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OFFICE—In Brick building of White, Lloyd & Co., on Front street.
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ESTABLISHED 1832.
Lumberyard and Builders' Warerooms—Door, Sash & Venetian Shutter Factory
OUR FACTORY IS 80 BY 200 FEET, 4 STORIES high. We manufacture and keep on hand, Panel doors, Sash, Blinds and Shutters, Venetian Front and Panel Shutters, Mantles, Door and Window Frames, Base Plasters, Weatherboarding, Window Sash, Flooring, Sheeting for Stores, Planed Boards, and Mill Stuff of various patterns, Scroll work for the finish of frame or brick houses of every description. All kinds of Stairs, with Mahogany or Cherry Rail and Posts. Rush, painted and glazed, constantly on hand.
In the LUMBER YARD connected with this establishment, we have an extensive assortment of Lumber for building purposes, viz: Siding, Joist, Plank, Scantling and Sawed Timber of every description. Also, Poles, Oils, Glass, Nails, Locks, Hinges and Screws.
Persons not to error or make alterations in their buildings or stores in city or country, can be supplied with all the carpenter's work, ready-made, of seasoned Lumber. If they will furnish us with a bill of items, giving size and quantity, we will send them the cost by return mail.
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$500 Reward
WILL be paid for proof sufficient to convict the person who sent me on the 6th of May,
250 Dollars
will be paid for any proof whatever of any kind, which will lead to the conviction of the party.
ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD
will be paid for the apprehension of Jenny Lester, about 5 feet 7 inches high, very black complexion, and weighs about 150 pounds. She is about 21 years of age. Jenny is somewhat corpulent, and is about 21 years old.
D. P. HOUSE, Jr.
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An Ordinance
In regard to the collection of wharf vehicle for its license
Be it Ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Meridian, That if at any time any vehicle for the transportation of goods shall be found on the Bridge or Levee for which the load is not paid and the collector shall demand the fee and refuse to pay the same, the owner of such vehicle shall be liable to a fine of $5 00.
Be it further ordained, That this ordinance to be in force from and after its passage.

Meridian.
Hurlbutt, Sturges & Co.,
AT THEIR OLD STAND,
on the Corner, and their
NEW STORE
ADJOINING,
HAVE on hand and are constantly receiving the largest and best supply of
Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Groceries,
Hardware,
Cutlery,
Crockery,
Bagging,
Rope,
Boots,
Shoes,
Hats,
Ever Seen in this Country.
Which they will sell as low as they can afford. Always cash buyers, and so understood.
They invite their old customers, friends and the public generally to call, and if they consult their own interest they will be sure to buy. mr9wly

Notice.
NO BOOKS—no more paper or ink—no trust—no pluc-gug—no more trouble COLLECTING—no more CREDIT—no fears of meeting the sheriff—goods at one nottery played out—pay for cash and you are sure of BARGAINS.
SANFORD & BRO.

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GROCERIES
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PROVISIONS,
which we will sell at the following prices:
BACON—Clear Sides, 16¾
Shoulders, 14
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Sugar, fair to choice, 11 to 12½
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STARCH, Irish Potatoes, Navy Beans, Cheese, APPLES—Dried, Hominy, Dried Peaches, NUTS, Macaroni, Spice, Pepper, Ginger, Tea, FISH, Snuff (Garrett's at 80 cents per bottle; OYSTERS, Shot, Powder, Caps, Corn Meal, RAISINS, Flour, Soaps, Mackerel, Candles, DYE Stuffs, Wash Boards, Buckets, Tubs, and splendid Butter, fresh and pure, Butter & Soda Crackers, Smoking & Chewing Tobacco BROOMS, Salt for stock and table use, Catsup, RICE, Mess Pork, Sardines, Preserved, Pepper, OLIVES, Can Fruits of all descriptions, Pepper Sauce, and other articles too numerous to mention. In connection with the above, as our adjoining house, we keep constantly on hand every description of
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Boots and Shoes, of endless variety,
Hats and Caps,
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Ladies' Hats,
Children's Hats,
Children's Caps,
Hardware,
all of which we are determined to sell at the very lowest cash rates.
We have entirely abolished the CREDIT SYSTEM, and hope our friends will not call for credit any longer, as they will positively be refused. Times are so uncertain, we feel convinced we can only be safe by the cash system. We therefore conceive that we can make a profitable to the consumer of goods to pay cash.
SANFORD & BRO.

A WARNING
TO ALL MANKIND.
How careful we should always be in every action in life, we should at all times, think twice before speaking once.
And above all things look before we leap for by the rash act we may ruin many years upon a wholesome reputation.
How careful a man should be in all he does.
He should never buy one pound of sugar without trying the strength of the market. Not every article that are called pure and sweet should not in any event buy Furniture unless he can see the fire of
WAGNER & RUSH.
We have now on hand a large and well selected lot of
Parlor and Bedroom
FURNITURE,
which we are determined to sell at the very lowest prices.
Also, Paints, Oils, Turpentine furnish our patrons unlimited, &c.
It is our intention to follow this business and we are willing to work for small profits.
Our furniture must be sold.
We only ask the public for a call, and feel very sure of we can please you in prices and quality.
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kept constantly on hand, and orders from the country respectfully solicited. Shop on Front street, Meridian.
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Primary course, per month..... $5 00
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" in Oil..... 8 00
Drawing..... 2 00
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To be paid in current currency, monthly, in advance, for the first month, and in three in advance for boarding pupils, unless otherwise arranged at the time of entering. Four weeks constitute a month. Arrangements made for boarding a large number of pupils in private families, whose pay will be taxed for and collected according to rates required by the Principal, where their comfort, health and social intercourse will be carefully guarded, and to which this distributed, they will be saved from many of the vices and annoyances so inevitable where a large number of girls crowded into a single boarding house. Charges for boarding will range from eighteen to twenty-five dollars currency per month, in advance.
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Intermediate Department..... 6 00
Higher English Dep't..... 8 00
Ancient and Modern Languages, including Latin..... 4 00
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Boys, under the age of fourteen years, will be admitted the Primary Section, and probably for that year.
In making this announcement, the Trustees beg leave to state that they desire making this a permanent school, and one of the first order—and to this end, have secured the services of teachers of high standing and of many years' experience, whose moral character (as well as acquirements) furnishes sufficient guarantee to all who may repose confidence in them, of the thorough and faithful manner in which their children will be taught. To test the merits of this school, therefore, they ask only a liberal patronage and a fair trial.
R. T. RAY,
Secretary.
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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FAMILY & FANCY GROCERIES.
Lee Street,
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI
CONSTANTLY receiving and on hand, Bacon, Lard, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Fish, Irish Potatoes, Hominy, Rice, Tobacco, and many other articles too numerous to mention, usually kept in a Grocery House, which they will sell at the best, at the lowest prices.
Also agents for the sale of Peters' Oil and Lee upholstering.

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FANCY SOAP, PERFUMERY,
OIL, GLASS, INK, &c.,
Also a large Stock of AYRES', SCOVILL & CO.'S Patent Medicines, of which I am agent for.
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DOORS AND BLINDS,
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We offer any Goods in our line at low as they can be bought in the Southern cities.
Orders from a distance will receive prompt attention.

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ST. JAMES HOTEL,
Magazine Street, between Gravier and Natchez,
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W. T. HICKLE & CO., Proprietors.
THIS establishment is now open for the reception of guests, having been newly furnished from the kitchen to the roof. Spring Beds, Hair Mattresses, Linen Sheeting, etc. The Furniture and Table Ware all new and the table is furnished with every luxury the market affords. The Bars and Liquors equal to any used in private families, and the polite and attentive proprietors of a house so far as personal attention is concerned.

Ragsdale House,
ON THE HILL,
On the East Side of the Railroad
IS always open for transient and permanent boarders, day and night. Its rooms are large and comfortable, and the Proprietor is making additions and improvements continually.
Remember "Ragsdale House," next side near railroad track. marl6ly

Private Boarding.
MRS. J. A. WOOD would respectfully announce to those who desire private board in a desirable portion of this city, that she has recently opened a Boarding House for the accommodation of boarders, with or without lodging. Location convenient to the business portion of the city. aprSawtm

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Front St., between Lee & Johnson Avenue
MERIDIAN, MISS.
A FIRST CLASS BAR ROOM, where the public can always procure the very best Foreign and Domestic Liquors to any style desired.
Free Lunch every day at 11 o'clock.
my4wtf H. E. SWITZER.

Dissolution.
THE firm of[illegible] W. Rumphy & James Lester has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, all debts due the firm will be paid to W. W. Murphy who will now pay the liabilities of the firm.
JAMES LESTER.
THE foundry and machine business will be continued as heretofore by the undersigned, who solicits all in wants of Castings to give him a call. Where Parties will furnish me Iron, Patterns or a tension given in the repairs of Portable and Stationary Engines, Mill and Gin Gearing on hand. Castings for Grates will be kept on the shortest notice.
W. W. MURPHY.
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LETTER FROM GEN. ACORN

We have been furnished a copy of the following letter from Gen Acorn, addressed to Hon. R. Leachman, of this city:

FRANK'S POINT, Miss., May 7, 1867.

MY DEAR SIR:—I am in receipt of your very kind letter of 29th ult., and greatly sensible of the compliment you paid me, and truly grateful for the continued confidence expressed in the friendship for me manifest in your communication.

I enclose as germane to the subject, communication addressed to a few days since, in response to a letter sent me by the Editor of "The Columbian." This will give you a clue to the course I had marked to pursue. The foolish counsels of our Secession Leaders and their agents throughout the South, on the recent issues of "restoration," were repulsed, only by their insane teachings of Secession.—But regrets are useless, our backs are to the past, our faces to the future.

I have observed with approbation your remarks as to the future organization of a political party in the State of Mississippi.

I am in favor of organizing a party in the State, with a platform broad enough, and comprehensive enough, for all men, loyal white to stand upon—a union party with an emphatic reprehension of the acts of secession—a party in favor of equal rights to all men, before the ballot box as well as material, of free labor universal suffrage—a party of reconciliation on our things past and study of the future and free suffrage, which will unite the black, mean and raise the man most tall, to the dignity of the manhood in the land. The abolition of slavery has drawn every one of us with the vortex of free labor, and has swallowed you and I, men and women, old young, black and white to the ruthless which crushes idleness in rags—which is the only wealth held by law—the reign of free labor in honor; in this, is a lesson for our study; for one, I am willing to do what I can towards maintaining all the rights enstrusted in politics of the new regime.

I am not in favor of keeping blindly on running in favor of any of the political organizations of the North, as maintaining me in my circular letter of July 4th, and if, for the reasons then given and which still exist, impolitic to ourselves at present with any party in the North, only so far as it is a party of freedom. At present we have no in the affairs of the Nation. When united to our place in the family of ate no longer a party. But are in the Union; in other words, it becomes our privilege to again participate in the Government of the try, we can deliberately and wisely on our political confessor. We will then, I trust, waive our issues in making terms of reconciliation, including the action of northern parties or north ions. We will not be turned from our path by the men, choose for future friends and confidants, our of the American Union, who while and willing to do for the South that can constitutionally do, and who are the true interpretors of the to assist in repairing the ruin war has caused to all the material prosperity of our section is willing to enter at once into the as a laborer, in support of a party on a theory like the regardless organization as described, necessary to occasion, and when I find such, shall en to join it. Should I find a party ciation, maintaining either of the ect tenets here set out, even though mitting or dissenting in other ex- ing and criticising that which I regard as shortcomings.

I have always been opposed to recent acts of Congress, the theo- universal suffrage. I had advocated negro suffrage—events in fact, a friend, and prominent member Mississippi Convention, while that was in session, urging the policy of ing that principle in the present constitution. I did this for the that I hoped by such action to the imposition of unmerited suf- upon us, and for the further reason pressed, that the protection of the men in the enjoyment of his civil ation, must rest in the power to share in the political power of the . It required but the smallest ment of statesmanship to see the pro- ity of giving this power, while the em was being cautiously ed out into the hands of the most diligent class. There was no response my suggestion, the opportunity was

I next, after the North had ed a large majority in the Congres- sponse—the opportunity was lost!! am now driven to accept *universal suffrage*; to vote upon it. It is idle to cavil about the law; that which I so much dreaded, and so earnestly sought to avoid is an accomplished fact; and while I claim none of the credit, either by acts of omission or commission, I shall waste no time in regrets, but as before stated, accept the inevitable. I am not all the *fulcrum* of its *consequences*. I do this with hope; all is not yet lost; there is a frontier still beyond. Here I have no fear, I cannot afford to play demagogue while my countrymen s t weeping in desolation—as soon turn robber in the highway.

My professional duties will fully occupy my time until the third week in June, after which I shall be ready, if then asked, to accept your kind invitation to visit and speak to the people in your portion of the State. The "Grand Old Man" a good friend of mine in a recent trial before the "Peoples Representatives". The names of those who stood for me on that occasion will be long remembered in my memory, the engraving reached my heart, such pulsation serves to keep the record clear. I am truly and gratefully yours, and when I say, I shall not forget my friends in the "East"

Very Respectfully,
Yours &c.,
J. L. ALCORN.
HON. R. LEACHMAN, Meridian, Miss.

HER FIRST.—A lady says the first time she was kissed she felt like a ship of stone swimming in honey, cologne, nutmegs and cranberries. She felt also as though she was running through her nerves in a buggy drawn by a locomotive, and that all the cupids in sweetest dream by angels, shaded by honey-suckles and the whole spread with mulled raindrops.

Fallen Snow Flakes.

If words were ever more wherein fully uttered, or made really yet more eloquently grief known than those heart-throbs reveling in rhyme, we have yet to emblaim them in the myrtle memory of our tears. They are not the hyperbreathings of testimony they were uttered from the blighted rose-lips of real life—each word a gem, each line a pearl. Perchance, when her wild word-wail closed amid earth's coldest stone sister spirit of song, listening entranced above, may have flung to earth her starry scarf of sympathy, and caught this lovely and lost Peri up to her home in Heaven! Hope inspires it.)

Oh! the snow, the beautiful snow,
Filling the sky and earth below;
Over the house-tops, over the street,
Over the heads of the people you meet.
Dancing
Flirting,
Skimming along;
Beautiful snow! it is nothing wrong.
Flying to kiss a fair lady's cheek,
Clinging to form in a picturesque freak
Beautiful snow from the Heav en above
Pure as an angel, gentle as love!

Oh! the snow, the beautiful snow,
How the flakes gather and laugh as they go
Whirling about in its maddening fun,
It plays in its glee with every one.
Chasing,
Laughing,
Hurrying by!
It lights on the face and it sparkles the eye,
And cheeks in a glow and lips in a pout
Snap at the crystals that eddy around.—
The town is alive and its heart in a glow,
To welcome the coming of beautiful snow.

How wild the crowd goes swaying along,
Hailing each friend with a snowball well thrown!
How the gay sledges, like meteors pass by,
Bright for a moment, then lost to the eye.
Gaily
Swinging,
Dashing they go,
Over the crust of the beautiful snow;
Snow so pure that it falls from the sky,
To be trampled by the crowd rushing by.
To be trampled and tracked by the hoofs of feet,
Till it blends with the filth in the horrible street.

Once I was pure as the snow—but I fell!
Fell like the snow-flakes from heaven to hell;
Fell to be trampled as filth in the street
Fell, to be scoffed, to be spit on and beat.
Pleading,
Cursing,
Pleadings in vain,
Selling my soul to whoever would buy,
Dealing in shame for a morsel of bread,
Hating the living and fearing the dead,
Merciful God! have I fallen so low?

And yet I was once like the beautiful snow
Once I was fair as the beautiful snow,
With an eye like the crystal, a heart like its glow;
Once I was loved as my innocence grew,
Chaste and unspoiled for the shrines of my home.

Father
Mother,
Sister,
God and myself I've sold them all.
What next, what next shall I be going on
Will outside sin and shame be all I need to know?
No night
For all that is not, or who is me, I know.
There is nothing so pure as the beautiful snow.

How strange it should be that any thing so pure
Should fall on a sinner with nowhere to go
How strange it should be when no one cared
If the snow and the ice a rock my desperate
Breast,
Pausing,
Freezing
Within,
Should refuse to give me a crust for a meal!
Or the comfort of fire from between its bars
To keep me from dying out in the street
Of a great city, where proud men meet
Apparently homeless, without a friend,
Without a shelter where head to bend.
Friendless,
Houseless,
Homeless,
Outcast,
Alone,
Dying,
Yet no one to pity a poor lost girl.
But the snow—the beautiful snow,
Filling the sky and earth below,
Over the house-tops, over the street,
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The street car difficulties in our Southern cities have been terminated for the present by the negroes being allowed to ride where they please.—When it is remembered that for a long time this "equality" was not tolerated in the Northern cities, our opposition is not to be wondered at, much less made a pretext for refleasing old charges of persecution. When Sumner and Wilson get their franchise bill through for the northern States, we shall breathe easier.

The Pall Mall Gazette, in speaking of the false ears for ladies, which report says have lately been introduced, adds: This is but another step in the wild race which the female sex is running in pursuit of what Lytton would style "the deceptive." It will soon be necessary, indeed it is now necessary, that a man taking a woman to wife should obtain a surgical certificate as to the genuineness of her charms.—What must be the feelings of a bridegroom who discovers that he is mated with a partner who wears a false eye, false hair, false ears, false teeth, and false bosoms, and whose complexion has been made beautiful forever by the Arabian enamel and Circassian cosmetics of Rachel & Co?

George H. Pendleton, in his recent Urbana speech, calls the Radical party the party of despotism; shows that it was and is opposed to our system of government; that it favors, and has established upon us, a grinding despotism of taxation and military rule, &c., &c.; in the imperial-military-moneyed-high-tariff-despotism, established by Lincoln, and continued by Congress (so called) led by Thad. Stevens & Co. We used to wade into this party pretty extensively ourselves, but have quit the occupation, and left "the cause to Providence and those who want to fight." Mr. Pendleton and Mr. Prentice, who remained North during the war, while we were being impoverished and oppressed, may "pitch in" as much as they please now. We of the South have given up the fight—have fought our last battle, and entered the grand army of reoperation and reconstruction. The "refined civilization" and "constitutional liberties" of other days, we will leave to these gentlemen who "have been asleep a summer's day to wake at nightfall" to secure for us. The South tried it for four years and failed; now she wants peace and quiet, and bread and meat.

The Bankrupt Law.

Of this law, which goes into practical operation on the first of June, the New York Herald says:

After the violent speculations and fluctuations of prices of the past six years, there must be multitudes of firms and individuals who are really insolvent, and who will be tempted to go into liquidation so as to start fresh and unembarrassed by incumbrances. As is always the case, persons who are least suspected will be among the voluntary bankrupts; and the swell crest-fallen among the creditor class; money will become tight, and then will follow forced sales of stocks and real estate. In addition to the thousands of old bankrupts who have been working for this law for years, there are also thousands who have been ruined by the war in the South. Add to these the great number of insolvent firms who will be glad to take advantage of the law, and it is easy to foresee how busy lawyers, judges, and registers will be after the first of June, and what a disturbance will be created in the financial circles until the "rush" is over, and the rotten firms sifted out. Indeed, we look for a possible repeal of the law when Congress next meets, on account of the disturbance which the first operation of the enactment will necessarily create. The prompt repeal of the bankrupt law of 1842 was because of a similar state of things then. That law was abused; so will this be at first, and it will take a couple of years and probably prosperous times to reconcile the general public to the scandal such enactments bring to light, even under the most favorable circumstances.

It would be wise for business firms to prepare for possible trouble during the summer months. Caution in lending and abstinence from all speculative enterprises now, may save ruin three months hence. Getting out of debt, keeping out of debt, and selling for cash, are the golden rules for merchants when the course of the market is downwards, as it will be for some years, and until we get back to specie payments. This tendency will be aggravated by the voluntary and involuntary bankruptcies which this law renders inevitable. Again we say, look out for squalls after the first of June.

Senator Wilson spoke at the Capitol in Montgomery on Tuesday evening. Gen. Clanton replied to the speech of Senator Wilson, refuting his arguments, and eliciting great applause.

Falsehoods about the South.

Jeremy Diddler's, from the North and in our own section, continue to peddle the old story about the proscription and persecution of Northern and Union men by the rebels. We have just finished reading a letter on the subject, and find it the same old song—northern men are looked upon with suspicion and so are the loyalists—the "shining lights" of the Radical party are tabooed and proscribed on account of their devotion to the Union; lose trade, trust and employment in, consequence of their loyal sentiments, and frequently their lives for the same cause. Sharp-tongued young ladies and rabid youths, lately from the field of battle, are very annoying, if not dangerous. Though these statements are in a very great degree false and malicious, we rarely are able to get refutations printed in Radical papers unless the editors come South themselves. The Cincinnati Commercial, one of the most popular Radical prints in the North, recently sent a special correspondent South to examine into the true condition of things, and write the result of his observations. This gentleman came, saw and reported, and his statements, which we find in the Commercial, makes a plain, unvarnished story, full of truth, made up from his own observations and the accounts of reliable Northern men, whom he found scattered amongst us. "Mack," the Commercial's correspondent, says:

On my way to Chattanooga I fell in with Gen. Willard Warner, of Newark, Ohio, who told me he was on his way to his plantation, near Montgomery, Ala. I asked him how much truth there was in the report that a Northern man couldn't live down in that section, and he replied there wasn't a word. He had been there a year and a half—had been known as an ex-Federal officer, and so far from that operating against him, it had exactly the opposite effect, he said, for those especially who had been in the rebel army, liked a Northern man all the better from his having been a Union soldier—and no two men could be better friends than a rebel and a Yankee soldier, provided neither is a fool. General Warner is no Copperhead, remember. He has been a member of the Republican party ever since it was started, and is now a Radical State Senator in the Ohio Legislature. He finds it quite as easy to be a decent Radical in Montgomery as in Columbus—not a bit more danger of being scalped in the one place than in the other. In fact it is much safer to be among reconstructed rebels in Alabama than among unreconstructed Copperheads, such as you are apt to meet every once and a while in Columbus.

"Mack" saw enough to warrant him in recommending, as a splendid business enterprise, the formation of a Loyal Life Insurance Company, for the benefit of fearful souls who want to come this way, but don't wish to be killed for their Union sentiments. The premium should be graded according to the past and present occupation of the insurer. A good Yankee soldier may be insured for three cents on a thousand dollars, but on fellows who want to steal cotton, or engage in some such laudable and patriotic pursuit, or have been guilty of some flagrant treachery or act of renegadeism and double-dealing, the risk would be heavy, and less than fifty per cent. wouldn't be likely to pay. Northern men, or consistent Union men, are in no danger—will not suffer in fortune nor feeling on account of their political precivities. Talent, capital, capacity, and that honesty which secures confidence, are the only essentials to patronage, respect and prosperity in the South. We care not what a man has been or where he came from, so he makes a good citizen; but we must confess there is a small class of men among us, low-minded demagogues and vindictive partisans, whose chief aim is to breed discord and keep the sections continually warring against each other, for whom the honest reconstructive masses of the South have but very little use. Men who are gentlemen, and speak and act as gentlemen, who have the best interests of the country at heart—not given to boasting and defaming—can get along here harmoniously, be they Northern or Southern Unionists.

A STARTLING REPORT.—The police have made some strange discoveries and disclosures in New York. Organizations are now in progress for the purpose, and with the distinct object of resisting by violence and bloodshed, if necessary, the execution and enforcement of the excise and other laws which are obnoxious to a large class of the citizens. The information is of a startling character, well calculated to excite general alarm, and the papers are endeavoring to deter the parties concerned in these conspiracies from attempting to carry them into execution, by warning them that the proper authorities are fully prepared to resist and defeat them.

Major Giles M. Hillyer, of the Natchez Courier, is quite indisposed.

The Riot in Mobile.

We find in the Mobile papers full accounts of the disturbance, which occurred in that city on the occasion of the attempt of Hon. W. D. Kelly to address a meeting on last Tuesday night. We extract the following account of this unfortunate occurrence from the Mobile Tribune of Thursday:

There is a deep regret among our citizens at the occurrence of this unfortunate affair, but the prime movers in it have only themselves to blame.—The speaker had spoken about three quarters of an hour when the difficulty commenced, which at the time it was the general impression originated in the attempt of the Chief of Police to arrest Mr. David J. Files, a well known and respectable citizen of Mobile, who, it was alleged, had made some remarks, which, in the judgment of Capt. Charpentier, were calculated to provoke disorder in the excited state of the crowd.

Mr. Files objected to the arrest, and stated that he had no intention of creating any disturbance whatever.—This led to some movement on the part of the crowd, and the clattering of a cab over the stones on Government street a short distance above the meeting, induced many to believe that a fight had commenced, and a panic seized upon them and the whole crowd broke and rushed frantically down Royal street and up Government street. Numerous pistol shots were fired on Royal street, near the Municipal building, but strange to say, but few were hurt at that time, and none seriously. The Council was in session in the Municipal building at the time the disturbance occurred. The negroes who had rushed away in a mell in a moment of panic, rallied and returned to the spot, where, finding that there was no disposition to interfere with them, they became very boisterous and brandished their clubs and pistols in a threatening manner, declaring that "they were now ready," "wade in you s—as of b—s," and other like remarks.

Capt. Jack Petty, of the Night Police, who was standing on the corner, having been engaged in using every effort to quell the disturbance, was seen by some of these negroes, who immediately rushed upon him, swinging their clubs and firing their pistols at him. Capt. Petty was forced to retreat, and sought refuge in the Corporation Building, faithful as Frank being at the gate which had been barred in case of an assault, opened it for him. The negroes rushed up against the gate and tried to break through, demanding admittance and crying, "kill the s—n of a b—h."—Several shots were fired through the railings, and the marks can now be seen on the walls and panels of the doors at the stairs. After clamoring for some time they left and commenced roaming through the streets.

The community will bear in mind that this attack on Capt. Petty occurred after the crowd had been dispersed and there was no disturbance on the streets.

The general alarm was rung and hundreds of people turned out, the city remained in a form of excitement during the entire night. After whooping and yelling around the scene of the last meeting, the negroes dispersed in small squads and attacked nearly every white man they met. With the exception of three or four persons who were shot and stricken with clubs when the difficulty commenced, and in the immediate vicinity of the place of meeting, the other parties were all injured at points several squares distant, and over a half hour after the first dispersion.

Gabriel Olsen, a shoemaker, living at 204 Dauphin street, was passing along Water street in the vicinity of Church, when he was attacked by a squad of negroes and brutally murdered.

Capt. Sedberry, a well known citizen, was wounded slightly with a pistol shot.

Mr. James Risk was badly beaten over the head and shoulders with a club, and is now suffering severely.

A young man named James Burns was also shot, but is not supposed to be in a dangerous condition.

Policeman Taylor, also was striving to maintain order, received a severe wound in the rist with a pistol ball.

Another policeman, whose name we have been unable to learn, was also injured by being beaten with clubs.

A gentleman by the name of Goldsmith was also injured, but not seriously.

A white man, named J. Gough, who was wounded in the affray, is reported dead.

A negro boy, shot in the head, was found dead on Cedar street, near Dauphin. It is supposed that he was shot at the original disturbance, and was running home when he fell dead.

We have heard of several negroes who were injured, but none others are reported dead.

We have heard of numerous other parties who were attacked whilst proceeding to their homes. These attacks were mostly made in the upper portion of the city. About half past ten o'clock three companies of the 15th Regulars reached Royal, street, and guards were immediately thrown out with instructions to disperse the crowd. In a short time the quietude of the city was perfectly quiet. The entire police force was out all night, and with the soldiers patroled the city. A guard was stationed around the Battle House, for, it is supposed, the protection of the Honorable Judge. We may here mention that at the first manifestation of a disturbance, Judge Kelly began to exhibit signs of timidity, feeling that he was guilty of creating it, and when the panic seized the crowd, he was amongst the first to run, followed closely by several of his allies. The negroes and some gentlemen who were on the stand, like sensible people, retained their position until the crowd had swept by them, and then made their escape.

Letter from Gen. Alcorn.

We publish in another column a letter from Senator Alcorn, which embodies some very sensible views on the political situation. We fully agree with Gen. Alcorn that it is "impolitic to unite ourselves at present with any party at the North, only so far as it is a party of restoration." The great living question before the country is that of the reorganization of our State Government, and the restoration of the State to the Union. It is very apparent that a large majority of the Southern whites honestly accept the terms of Congress and desire to accomplish this result. We think this should be done by the Southern people as a Southern measure, and separate from any alliance with the Northern Republican and Democratic parties. With restoration and full assurance of civil and political rights to the blacks, to be established in our State Constitutions, the issues of the past would be settled, and new political organizations would arise. The questions of reducing the taxes on cotton and tobacco, the lowest practicable tariff, and a general reduction of the expenses of the Government, would be the policy to commend a party to the Southern people.

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Resolved, That as a testimonial of our appreciation for the zealous, faithful and effective services of Charles D. Thrasher, Esq., as Superintendent of the Association in years past.

Resolved, That we tender him the thanks of this Association, and confer upon him the non-pilm-atory position of Agent of the Southern Press Association in the City of New York.

The terms of commendation employed in the above resolution, do no more than justice to your important services during your Superintendency of the Association which some had better opportunities to know, and none more highly appreciate than myself. Rise to express my thanks for the honor conferred upon myself of the act provided for by the resolution.

Very respectfully, your obedient serv't,

W. G. CLARK,
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Grand Tournament and Fancy Dress Ball, at Meridian, Thursday, June 13th.—We notice that the Meridian Tournament Club propose to have a grand tournament and fancy dress ball in this city on Thursday, the 13th of June. Preparations will be made on a large scale, and it is expected that it will be one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind that has ever been seen in the State. A large concourse is expected from this State and Alabama, and the arrangements will all be made on the most extensive scale. Three prizes in greenbacks are offered, besides the Knightly honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty.

Grand Tournament and Indian Ball Play at Marion.

There will be a Grand Tournament and Indian Ball Play at Marion, on Thursday, June 6th. Preparations are now being made to make this an entertainment that every body would like to witness. At a meeting held by the Marion Tournament Club on Saturday evening last, Old friend Col. J. Lowry, was chosen President; Judge Brooke, Vice President; W. W. McElroy, Marshal; L. Lowenstein, Treasurer, and W. L. Mayfield, Secretary. The Judges are Warren Alford, H. P. Brooks, C. W. Henderson, H. D. Mahan, and W. P. Evans. We anticipate a large gathering, and a pleasant time at Marion on the 6th.

A Southern Asylum Land Lottery.—We call attention to the advertisement of this grand Lottery now in successful operation at Hernando, Miss. The next drawing will be held at Hernando, Miss., on the 15th of June, at which time a large amount of valuable City and country property will be disposed of, to those who are so fortunate as to draw prizes. The price of a ticket is five dollars. They are for sale at this office.

We have received a copy of a new primary arithmetic for use in the common schools and academies of the United States, by Prof. P. A. Towne, of Louisville, Ky. The work contains in a small compass the cream of more labored productions; the subject is presented in a truly scientific form, and the greatest possible care taken in giving the rationale of every operation, to refer each step to its proper source, and in such a manner as to present the links to the eye itself. The rules are explicit, the explanations lucid and exactly where they should be. A careful examination of the work by teachers must lead to its general adoption.

Vicksburg Advertisements.

Our readers will find in our issue of to-day, the card of D. W. Flowerree & Co., dealers in ice at Vicksburg. They keep a supply of this article so necessary in the summer months and will fill all orders carefully and promptly.

We call attention to the card of H. B. Benner, worker in tin, copper, and sheet iron and dealer in cooking and heating stoves, house furnishing goods &c. On a recent visit to Vicksburg we called at the establishment of Mr. Benner. He has a large stock of every thing in his line, and will give satisfaction to all who send him orders both as to quality of goods and prices.

We invite attention to the advertisement of Joseph Bonte, wholesale and retail dealer in groceries, liquors, tobaccos and plantation supplies, &c., Vicksburg, Mr. Bonte has one of the largest stocks of goods and supplies in the Hill City, and is prepared to sell at very low prices. Give him a call when you visit that city, and you will not be disappointed.

One correspondent complains that our telegraphic news is too meagre. We have no more news than we publish. Our correspondents appear to regard it a task. We have to write and write and write and more pieces than one to get things, and sold has a "few more left." He has an excellent supply of all the goods usually found in hardware stores, and can sell at prices that will prove satisfactory.

He is agent for the celebrated Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, the best that are made and sole them at New York prices.

Sunday School Pic-Nic.

The various Sunday Schools of the City united in a pic-nic in Sweeney's Grove on Each school first met at its accustomed place, and after organizing proceeded to the new Presbyterian church—there forming a general procession, from there they marched down Johnson's avenue to Sidney street, and down Lee to the Railroad; marching along the road towards the depot, and branching off into a beautiful Magnolia grove on the southeastern below. About 200 children were in the ranks; and nearly as many more came in scattering afterwards. After singing a hymn, and remarked by Rev. Mr. Saville, the gathering was allowed to disperse, and engage in the innocent festivities of the occasion.

It is but just to remark that due notice would not be given to all the Schools, owing to the fact that a joint celebration was determined upon so late in the week. A trip to Lauderdale Springs has been in contemplation, and a pic nic in the campus of the Orphans' Home. This design was not abandoned until it was definitely ascertained that the M. & O. R. R. Co. would not charter an idle train for the transportation of the children, at a price within bounds. To disappoint the children entirely would not do; hence pic nic near the city.

There must have been between 400 and 500 persons on the ground. The children seemed to enjoy themselves most healthily; while neither discord nor accident occurred to mar the pleasures of the day. It required six long tables to accommodate the little ones at lunch; room afforded "big folks" at the "second table." All ate, however, and had enough; while the servants were also fed, and there was something to spare.

About 4½ o'clock P. M., the Brass Band visited the grounds, and delivered the visitors of the people with pleasant music; after which the schools were called together to re-organize in procession and return. The Band came in the advance, and as the line approached the City, the deep tones of fine brass pieces, and the sound of the drums told of its coming. Passing along Front street and up Johnson to the point of starting, the children were dismissed to their homes, joy beaming on their countenances, and their happy voices ringing through the air. The weather was oppressively warm, it is true; but few seemed to heed the fact.

To Mr. B. T. Rush, of the Star Stable, the schools are under obligations for furnishing conveyances; while the gentlemen of the Bands they feel grateful for exertions to add to the happiness of the occasion. Indeed all the citizens were kind and ready to assist in any manner in their power.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

HYMENEAL.

Married—On Sunday Morning, 10th inst., at the residence of L. D. Belk, Marion, by Elder S. Williams, Elijah Mosbley, Esq., and Miss. E. Bray, all of Marion.

We know not when we have witnessed a more agreeable and impressive ceremony than on this occasion; nor knows we have seen two more cheerfully united in the holy bonds of matrimony than the couple who had thus persuaded themselves that "it is well to wed." If matrimony is ever fully comprehended at the sacred altar, it surely must have been in this instance; both bringing with them a long array of past experience, yet fully competent to obey the mandates of Cupid. We wish the happy pair the full enjoyment of the usual felicities appertaining to the married state.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Washington May 15.—The deficiency in the accounts of the Assistant Treasurer at New Orleans, according to the latest statements here, is $1,000,000. This includes the amounts deposited in the National Banks of that city. Those engaged in the transactions have unconditionally surrendered all their private property to meet the deficiency, and the amount in the National Banks are less than the securities in the hands of the Government; therefore, the Government will not be loser to any great extent. Serious regrets are felt at the Treasury Department on account of these embarrassments. The parties concerned are of impeachable integrity. The difficulty is attributable to the decline in cotton. On Saturday week, when the Secretary first heard of the trouble, he dispatched a commissioner down.

The Russian Minister to-day communicated to the State Department, from Prince Gortschakoff, announcing the ratification of the Russian America treaty.

There was a brief argument in the Supreme Court to-day, on motion to dismiss the Mississippi bill, in which the recent action of Gen. Ord in taking possession of the Arkansas Treasury, and threats on his part to take possession of the Treasury of Mississippi, were discussed.

Hon. Robert J. Walker spoke in favor of the amendment.

Attorney General Stanberry replied that the motion to amend could not be received, and officially announced as an additional reason against the action of the complainants, that Gen. Ord had never made the alleged threat against the Mississippi treasury.

New Orleans, May 15.—We get the following from Hon. J. D. Campbell:

His messenger to Juarez, returned to-day —having made the trip from Matamoras to San Luis Potosi and back in fifteen days, remaining at San Luis Potosi two days. He was treated with the greatest courtesy and consideration.

There were several reports that Escobedo had 25,000 men at Queretaro, that he was in possession of all the roads except one, and expected soon to gain possession of that. Maximilian is inside with 15,000 men.

The feeling among the Liberals is very bitter against Maximilian's native officers, and it is feared that it will be impossible to save them in case of capture.

Juarez and his Generals are confident of their speedy triumph at Queretaro, and expect to be in the City of Mexico in two months.

The messenger left Juarez at San Luis Potosi on the 23d ult.

A fire last night destroyed the wholesale grocery establishment of Pugsley, Dyer & Co., and a wholesale grocery corner of Pugdras and Tchoupitoulas streets. Loss heavy—partially covered by insurance.

New York, May 15.—Steamer Columbia arrived with Havanah dates of the 11th.

Imperial reports from Vera Cruz state that the Liberals had been repulsed at Queretaro, and were being driven towards San Luis Potosi by Miramon, who had been sent from the relief of the City of Mexico.

Wilmington's death is positively denied in Mexico. He is reported to be dangerously ill.

Commercial.

Sugar—Cuba, 11 @ 11½; Porto Rico, 11½ @ 12; Muscovado, 10½ @ 11; Havana, 11½ @ 12.

Molasses—Cuba, 55 @ 60; Muscovado, 50 @ 55.

Coffee—Rio, 15 @ 16; Java, 22 @ 23.

Exchange—Sterling, 9 @ 9½; New York sight, ½ @ ¾ premium.

Cotton—Middling, 32 @ 33; Low Middling, 31 @ 32; Good Ordinary, 30 @ 31; Ordinary, 29 @ 30.

Flour—Superfine, $7 @ $7 50; Extra, $8 @ $8 50; Family, $9 @ $9 50; Fancy, $10 @ $10 50.

Corn—White, 90 @ 95; Yellow, 95 @ 1 00.

Oats—60 @ 65.

Bran—$1 @ $1 10.

Hay—$1 50 @ $1 60.

Pork—Mess, $30 @ $31; Prime, $28 @ $29.

Bacon—Shoulders, 12 @ 13; Clear Sides, 15 @ 16; Hams, 18 @ 20.

Lard—16 @ 17.

Butter—Western, 30 @ 35; Goshen, 40 @ 45.

Cheese—Western, 18 @ 20; Goshen, 22 @ 25.

Potatoes—Irish, $3 @ $3 50; Sweet, $1 @ $1 50.

Onions—$3 @ $3 50.

Whiskey—$2 @ $2 10.

Freights—Cotton to Liverpool, ¾ @ ⅞; Corn to Liverpool, 6 @ 6½; Flour to Liverpool, 2s 6d @ 2s 9d.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

To Our Patrons.—As defenders of the people, and as sentinels upon the wall, it is plain by our duty to warn the public against a perilous foe in whatever shape or form he may present himself.

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An Ordinance

In relation to the sale of real estate for its taxes

BE IT Ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Meridian, That it is any person shall purchase any real estate for taxes [illegible] and shall not redeem the same within the time allowed by law, the mayor is hereby authorized to execute a deed to the purchaser for the property so purchased, upon the payment to him of the amount of taxes, interest and costs, and the deed shall be prima facie evidence of the regularity of the sale.

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Ever seen in this Country,

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STARCH, Irish Potatoes, Navy Beans, Cheese, APPLES—Dried, Hominy, Dried Peaches, NUTS, Macaroni, Spice, Pepper, Ginger, Tea, FISH, Snuff (Garrett's at 50 cents per bottle), OYSTERS, Shot, Powder, Caps, Corn Meal, RAISINS, Flour, Soaps, Mackerel, Candles, DRIED FRUITS, Wash Boards, Tubs, Buckets, and splendid Butter, fresh and nice, Butter & Soda Crackers, Smoking & Chewing Tobacco BROOMS, Salt for stock and table use, Catsup, RICE, Mess Pork, Sardines, Preserves, Pepper, ONIONS, Can Fruits of all descriptions, Pepper Sauce, and other articles too numerous to mention. In connection with the above, in our adjoining house, we keep constantly on hand every description of

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TO ALL MANKIND.

HOW careful we should always be in every action in life, we should at all times think twice before speaking once,

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How careful we should be in all we do.

He should never buy one pound of sugar without trying the assertion of the market. Nor should he buy any calico—cotton and above all he should not in any event buy Furniture until he calls on the firm of

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We have now on hand a large and well-selected lot of

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Preparatory	3 00
College	4 00
Ancient and Modern Languages in addition, each	1 00
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" Oriental	4 00
" Grecian	5 00
" In Oil	5 00
Drawing	3 00
Embroidery—Silk	3 00
" French	5 00

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The School, now in its fourth year, will be admitted the first session, and probably for the year.

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R. Y. RUSH,
Secretary.

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Bishop Lavalle, of the Roman Catholic Church, died at Bardstown, Ky., on Saturday evening after a long and painful illness. The funeral ceremonies took place at Louisville on the 14th.

ABOLITION OF SLAVERY IN BRAZIL.—The Emperor of Brazil has issued a decree for the emancipation of slaves in that country. The mandate does not take effect until twenty years, but all the children of slaves born hereafter, are to be free from birth.

The Negro Riot in Galveston.

A dispatch of Thursday from Galveston says:

A mass meeting of the Republican Union party, last evening on the public Square, was attended by a thousand or twelve hundred people—three-quarters colored.

It was interrupted by a riot, after addresses by Hamsacker, the President, Col. J. Stancic, and Judge Baldwin. A negro named Passil followed, drawing offensive comparisons between the white and negro races.

Halfwhite States soldier cried out "that's a lie." A row ensued, fifty pistol shots were fired into the air, and a general stampede took place, leaving only half a dozen leaders and reporters on the stand. Afterwards order was restored, and moderate and more sensible addresses were made by Mr. Wiley White, and several colored speakers.

The shooting was chiefly by Blacks. Casualties: one negro minus his thumb, and a white man shot in the shoulder.

Resolutions endorsing Gen. Griffin and thanking him for Circular No. 13, were received with shouts of applause and adopted.

Mr. J. Batio, of Vicksburg, requests us to correct the erroneous impression circulated by the Natchez Courier, concerning his partnership with Captain Farlone, one of the Board of Registration. The partnership named was dissolved last year.

In this connection we would also state, that Col. Manlove, of the Vicksburg Times, informed us that Captain Farlone is not a "bitter partisan ladies" as announced, but a conservative and sensible ex-Union officer.—Natchez Democrat.

The editor of the Alabama Argus shows himself jolly under what other people might consider serious circumstances:

"We see that the Sheriff, during our absence has advertised the Argus for sale. We hope the bidders will have a merry time of it. If the Sheriff can sell it, he can do more than we ever could. Like a deep percussion cap, we think it will fail to 'go off.'"

Gen. McCardle and our neighbor of the Times are the most expert athletes of modern days. From the most ultra Southern standpoint, they have joined to the effect point of extreme Radicalism. Their policy is to disgust the Radicals with an over dose of negroism, by electing colored people to office. It remains to be seen whether the Radicals can swallow the nostrums administered by such empirics. Good bye, gentlemen; you tread on dangerous ground. We commend to you the following warning:

'To all my friends I bid adieu;
A saddener death you never knew
While loading the Radical mule to draw,
He kicked and killed me quicker'n a wink."

[Vicksburg Herald.

THE KINDNESS FROM THE NORTH.—A friend of ours, an old citizen, informs us that John M. Finch, Esq., of Dallas City, Ill., sent through him, to various destitute families here, a generous donation of meal and meal, which was distributed to them, greatly to their relief. Such acts will be remembered.—Vicksburg Herald.

BAD JAIL.—A white man and a negro, the only prisoners in our county jail, made good their escape on last Tuesday night. One of the prisoners, it appears, made his exit through the floor, while the other, after sawing the iron bars, jumped from the window of the second story.—The latter is the fact of the jail building, was absent on business at the time.—Panola Star.

A Washington dispatch to the N. Y. Times says the President has informed ex-Mayor Monroe and others, that he has decided Gen. Sheridan not to close the register in New Orleans, and that the question of the Attorney-General on the disfranchising clause is announced. Monroe expresses the opinion that this will keep the registry open until September.

ANOTHER HISTORY.—The Washington Star, of the 7th, says R. Barnwell Rhett, of South Carolina, left in the city sufficient material for a history of the late war, which he is writing.

Gen. Ord has announced the following additional appointments of registers, for the counties named:

For Kemper County—W. S. Gamble, A. Key, John Mellon.

For Chickasaw County—R. A. Murdock, F. H. Tatum, I. W. Blessing.

For Itawamba County—J. V. Thomas, Henry Flood, B. Schempert.

For Rankin County—John Lee, S. J. Proctor, R. D. M. Mason.

For Hancock County—J. F. H. Claiborne, Dallas G. Duell, Levi A. Brown.

For the County of Monroe—John Walker, J. B. Woodsmore, Frank J. Bedford.

For the County of Attala—J. M. Thompson, Oliver M. S. Simpson, C. H. Foster.

For the County of Lowndes—Early Hendricks, A. P. Kosciusko, Jr., Lewis S. Powell.

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Judge Watts sentenced four Federal soldiers to the penetentiary, last week, for horse stealing in Hinds county.

The Commercial Bank of New Orleans has suspended. Jacob Barker pledges his real estate, with an annual rental of $15,000, to cover the liabilities of the bank.

Miss Catherine Hatton, of Caroline county, Virginia, has lately made the discovery that she is the rightful heir to property to the amount of about one million of dollars, in the upper part of New Albany, Indiana.

Lieut. Col. Gay, commanding the post at Columbus, has issued an order requiring the immediate departure from the city of all freedmen who have no visible means of support.—Those disobeying the order will be promptly arrested and dealt with severely. This order shows that Col. Gay is alive to the situation of affairs.

The trial of Henry C. Brown, charged with embezzling funds to the amount of $15,000, which recently occupied the attention of the United States District Court at Little Rock, Ark., was closed on the 4th inst., and resulted in the jury disagreeing and the return of Brown to confinement. He was formerly an officer in the federal army.

A call has been issued for a National Democratic Convention to meet in Louisville on the 4th of next July.—The object in view as expressed in the call is to "consult upon the best means of re-organizing the party and by defending the constitutional liberties of the States and the people."

During the past week there were assembled in Convention, at Memphis, many of the most distinguished divines of the Baptist church in the Southern States. Their mission was connected with church affairs, and to discuss plans for the amelioration of the human race.

Hon. Jno. McRae has been appointed Probate Judge of Kemper county. The appointment will no doubt give general satisfaction.

The Crop Prospect.

The prospect of the planting interests in Mississippi is generally good. The growth of corn is extensive and promising. In many portions of Alabama the stands of corn and cotton are as good as was ever seen. The wheat looks green and vigorous.—There is less cotton planted in the Tennessee Valley than we have ever known. Corn and wheat prospects favorable. In Texas the wheat crop has suffered much from the weather, so much so that it is estimated the harvest of this year will be one third less than it was last, notwithstanding a larger area has been sown, and making no allowance for rust and other accidents. The best farmers all agree that the average yield of the wheat crop, throughout the country, will not reach more than ten bushels to the acre. Corn and cotton crops are very backward, but doing well. Freedmen are giving pretty general satisfaction.

In Illinois everything is growing magnificently; in Iowa wheat promises an average yield; fruit is in a favorable condition; in Southern Indiana wheat is in excellent condition, but there is some complaint of its being frozen out in a few localities further north; in Kansas there will be an unusual large crop of corn and wheat, unless the grasshoppers interfere with it; in Maine, Massachusetts and Michigan there is every prospect of a bounteous yield; in Minnesota, which was never known to fail, a large harvest is expected. Nebraska has one of the best stands ever known; in New Hampshire and New Jersey everything is looking finely; in New York, Vermont, Wisconsin and Rhode Island, wheat is vigorous, growing finely, and gives promise of a more abundant harvest than for several years; Ohio is doing better than for many years; a few reports come from Pennsylvania which are all favorable of the coming crops. Altogether the signs are that the coming harvest will be one of the most abundant ever known—the wail of want will be hushed and a smiling Providence give a yield for all.

COMPLIMENTARY.—A Western editor, speaking of a cotemporary, says "his intellect is so dense, that it would take the anger of common sense longer to bore into it than it would to bore through Mont Blanc with a boiled carrot."

The Trouble with the Colored Folks.

Mayor Heath, of New Orleans, has issued a proclamation to the colored people of the city, defining their privileges with respect to the right to enter theatres, public balls, bar-rooms, &c. This is done in consequence of the late disturbances, which he attributes to a mistaken and erroneous opinion as to the rights of the colored people under the laws. It is held to be the undoubted right of all citizens, upon complying with the requisitions of the law, to pursue any legitimate business, and in such pursuit to admit into their stores and places of business, and to deal with such persons only as they shall see proper, and to make such rules and regulations for the guidance of their customers as to them shall seem most conducive to their interests, provided the same be not contrary to law. Though the great principle that all persons are equal before the law animates the whole spirit of the Constitution, it will not, when applied to the actual and various conditions of persons in society, warrant the assertion that men and women are legally clothed with the same civil and political powers, and that children and adults are legally to have the same functions and be subject to the same treatment; but only that the rights of all, as they are settled and regulated by law, are equally entitled to the paternal consideration and protection of the laws for their maintenance and security.—What those rights are to individuals in the infinite variety of circumstances by which they are surrounded in society, are entitled, must depend on laws adapted to their respective relations and conditions. Gen. Mower, Assistant Commissioner of the Freedmen for Louisiana, n's issues an address to the colored people, in which he tells them they "will not be protected in wrong doing," and warns them that if their violent conduct is persisted in, the people of the whole North will turn against them and revoke the privileges lately conferred.

It is to be hoped the proclamation of the military Mayor, the circular from Gen. Mower and Gen. Sheridan's order disarming all persons except such as may be authorized or required by law to carry the same in the execution of their official duties, will have the effect of allaying the antagonism between the white and black races, which has been precipitated by ill-advisers who hope to rise thereby to the surface and float into power.—"Peace between the races" is certainly the interest of both black and white" and it should be the duty of all to restore those relations of concord and confidence which are essential to mutual prosperity and by which we can alone thrive. Northern propagandists who came here to educate the colored mind for political purposes should be eschewed. They mean no ulterior good to either race and only beget a perpetual enmity and strife, which if continued, will finally result in the black man having to succumb to the superior race. No one seeks to rob them of the privileges conferred by the government—peace and order, frugality and industry and a proper respect for the rights of both races, is all the Southern people ask.

Public Meeting in Mobile.

We find in our Mobile exchanges full accounts of the large meeting of citizens held in that city on Thursday the 16th inst., to express the views of the citizens of Mobile in reference to the riot on the occasion of Judge Kelly's speech.

Price Williams was chosen President and the following gentlemen Vice Presidents: Messrs. Charles Walsh, Jno. Reid, Jr., Wm. Stewart, W. H. Ross, Garland Goode, Wm. J. Ledyard, Chas. P. Gage and R. H. Slough.

A number of speeches were made and the following resolutions unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, At a recent meeting held in this city on the night of the 14th of May, 1867, there were disturbances and disorders resulting in the most lamentable consequences; and whereas, this meeting is composed of the citizens of Mobile, and they desire to announce to the people of the country their unqualified disapprobation and hostility to all such acts. Therefore, be it -

1st. Resolved, That we deeply deplore the affectionate occurrences that took place at the said meeting, and desire to express in the strongest terms, our disapprobation of them.

2d. Resolved, That we are of the opinion that the disturbance at said meeting was wholly unpremeditated, and the result of an accidental excitement to which all large assemblages are subject.

3. Resolved, That in our opinion, our people are not disposed to impede in any manner the free exercise of speech to all and every class of persons.

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The Illinois Insane Asylum.

REVELATIONS OF FRIGHTFUL CRUELTIES.

The following recital of a series of fiendish barbarities taking place in a presumedly humane institution we find in a late Pittsburg, Pa., journal. Our cotemporary says of the frightful abuses practiced in private insane asylums have been exposed in several American and English works of fiction, but the public generally have been apt to believe accounts coming through such sources were exaggerated to the imagination of the writers. Occasionally, however, well authenticated facts have gone to prove that no coloring of romance could exceed in shocking ghastliness the revelations of reality. Lately, circumstances have brought to light some scenes and incidents in the interior edonomy of the Illinois Insane Asylum, and such another chapter of horrors could scarcely be found outside the records of the Spanish Inquisition.

Within the walls of that terrible building, given over, hopelessly, helplessly, to the tender mercies of a gang of brutal, beastial doctors and keepers, hundreds of poor demented creatures have languished through years of torture and indignity until death kindly came to terminate their sufferings. From various sources the truth is gradually coming out, and the details already published are so sad and sickening as to make one almost doubt the possibility of their occurrence, were not the evidence in the case thoroughly sustained and irrefragible. There is proof positive that unfortunate inmates were, for the slightest offences—offences, be it remembered, committed in a condition of utter irresponsibility—subjected to the most cruel and revolting punishments. Think of a delicate woman consigned to the fiendish discipline of the "screw-room," and the case is one that actually occurred. The wretched victim was fitted closely-fitting waist or "jacket," with sleeves coming below the hand and sewed up, having a single loophole through which a string or cord might be passed. Her arms were then crossed in front, the hands being drawn tightly behind her. She was then thrown violently upon the floor, face downward, her clothing was removed, and then she was beaten until her flesh was a mere jelly.

With what was called refractory or obstinate patience, the indescribable agony of the cold bath was resorted to. The patient was taken to the bath-room, tied hand and foot, plunged into cold water, and held under until almost strangled, for a moment removed, only to be again and again submerged until life was nearly extinct.

A lady, employed in the asylum for three years and a half, writes to a female friend that one of the physicians instructed the attendants how to choke patients without leaving finger marks. From another attendant we have the following story of devilish malignity vouched for:

"An attendant discovered a patient of infirm health resting on her bed in the day-time, in disregard of a rule of the house to which no exceptions are allowed. To the peremptory and insulting order to get up, the poor patient ventured a word of submissive entreaty. This was too much. The attendant is not to be answered by a patient! She seizes her roughly and strikes her upon the head with violence. The patient is roused and defends herself, or attempts it. We are summoned to the attendant's assistance, and find her—a large and heavy woman—on the floor, her whole weight upon the invalids body, with her knees upon her stomach, and with the patient's head as a hammer, the tresses of her hair serving as a convenient handle, pounding the floor with all her might. To our exclamations and intercessions we get for reply the assurance that the offending victim has 'got the devil in her and I mean to beat it out. Help me to jacket her till I get satisfaction out of her.' She put on the jacket, tied the poor creatures arms behind her, dragged her across the hall to the bars, tied each hand and foot firmly to the bars, one side, not too close together, and then seizing her by the hair, again began pounding the bars as at first she pounded the floor. Her muscle was fearfully effective; every blow gashed the scalp, and spirted blood over the walls and the floor and her own person. A great splash fell upon a plate of food one of us chanced to be holding."

Mrs. Packard, who, though perfectly sane, was, through the machinations of some of her relatives, immured in this horrible place, in a published account of her account of her experience, says:

"Patients are often choked until their faces are black, and their tongues hang out of their mouths. A lady of refinement, of pure and virtuous character, and a nature remarkably sensitive to the instincts of a true woman, was thrown into a dirty, wet room, and stripped of all her clothing, except a torn chemise, and laid upon her back on the floor, Dr. —— sitting astride her naked body, while four attendants held down the strap to her quivering limbs."

We had thought that the system of coercion and chastisement had been virtually done away with, in public asylums at least. Those colored reports of the treatment of those whom Providence has afflicted with the loss of reason, received, at any rate, as much of care and kindness as their vacant wandering minds could be brought to appreciate, Illinois has undeceived us. We congratulate that highly civilized and Christian State on the possession of an indelible blot upon the reputation of the country, and a burning shame upon the very name of humanity.

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Grey hairs accumulate on many heads unobserved by their possessors until they are startled by the appearance of a friend who says the hair-dye they used has not done its work well. Such persons should use Lyon's Kathairon, which restores the color of the hair in a natural manner, and gives it a beautiful gloss and lustre, so that no one can detect the application. Sold by druggists and perfumers.

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A Grand Tournament, Coronation and Fancy Dress Ball,

Will be given at Meridian, Miss., on Thursday, June 13th, 1867.

THREE PRIZES IN GREENBACKS.

The first, $200; to be awarded to the Knight who obtains the greatest number of rings with the lance. The second, $100. The third, $50; awarded to the Knights taking the next highest number of rings with the lance.

The prize money will be placed in the hands of the judges and awarded on the field.

Each Knight of the tilting shall be announced.

A car on will accompany the first prize, and a wreath, each, with the second and third.

The Knight who wins the first prize shall be heralded "Ist. Royal Knight," and will have the honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty.

The Knight who wins the second prize, will crown the first Maid of Honor, and the Knight winning the third prize, will crown the Ist Maid of Honor. Married Knights, if successful, will turn over the crown or wreath to the bachelor Knight or Knights, the highest in rings.

RULES AND ORDER OF EXERCISE.

The tilting will be made with the lance. Lance to be nine feet long.

The rings, three in number, each two and a half inches in diameter, will be suspended on a wire, which can be raised or lowered, to accommodate the height of the horse or rider.

Each Knight will be entitled to three tilts, and in case of unavoidable accidents may retire from the field, and have three tilts—minimum six. All ties to be decided upon the quickest time.

The circle will be two hundred and fifty yards in circumference. One hundred and fifteen yards to be made. Time—10 seconds.

All points of dispute growing out of the exercises to be referred to the judges, whose decision will be final.

Ample preparations are being made to arrange comfortable seats in the Amphitheatre for spectators.

The Meridian Brass Band will be in attendance.

JUDGES.

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Gen. Jeff. Barksdale,.....Jackson, "
Col. D. C. Glenn,.....Mississippi City
Judge Wm. S. Yerger,.....Jackson, Miss.
Col. Jno. Pugh,.....Mobile, Ala.
Hon. R. L. Henderson,.....Meridian, Miss.
Genl. Wm. S. Patton,..... "
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Capt. Jno. M. Langan,..... "
C. H. Wilson,.....Enterprise, Miss.
A. J. Frantz,.....Brandon "
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OBATORS OF THE DAY.—Genl. B. F. Ramsey, Hon. Wiley P. Harris, Maj. Henry St. Paul.

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ANCIENT HISTORY.—The Washington Star, of the 7th, says R. Barnwell Rhett, of South Carolina, is in the city collecting material for a history of the late war, which he is writing.

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In regard to the selling of real estate for its taxes

Be It Ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Meridian, That if at any time real estate sold for its taxes, and there is no higher amount bid than the taxes for which the land is ordered and sold, the collector shall knock it off to the city and so state it.

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Sugar-house Molasses, 77
Sugar-house Syrup, 90
Soda, 15; Coffee, 25 to 30; Imperial Tea, $2 25;
Flour, $11 50, $12 50, $14 50 to $17 00 per bbl.

—We also have—

STARCH, Irish Potatoes, Navy Beans, Cheese,

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NUTS, Macarony, Spice, Pepper, Ginger, Tea,

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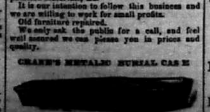

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MOLASSES,	"	5 "
MEAL,	per 100 lbs.	5 "
GROCERIES,	"	5 "
ASSORTED MERCHANDISE,	"	5 "
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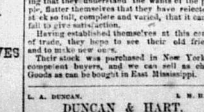

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Bishop Laralla, of the Roman Catholic Church, died at Bardstown, Ky., on Saturday evening, after a long and painful illness. The funeral ceremonies took place at Louisville on the 14th.

ABOLITION OF SLAVERY IN BRAZIL.—The Emperor of Brazil has issued a decree for the emancipation of slaves in that country. The mandate does not take effect until twenty years, but all the children of slaves born hereafter, are to be free from birth.

The Negro Riot in Galveston.

A dispatch of Thursday from Galveston says:

A mass meeting of the Republican Union party, last evening on the public square, was attended by a thousand or twelve hundred people—three-quarters colored.

It was interrupted by a riot, after addresses by Hammeker, the President, Col. J. Jones and Judge Caldwell. A negro named Pasell followed, drawing offensive comparisons between the white and negro races.

If United States soldier cried out "that's a lie." A row ensued, fifty pistol shots were fired into the air, and a general stampede took place, leaving only half a dozen leaders and reporters on the stand. Afterwards order was restored, and Mr. Maverick and more sensible addresses were made by Mr. Wiley White, and several colored speakers.

The shooting was chiefly by blacks. Casualities—one negro minus his thumb, and a white man shot in the shoulder.

Resolutions endorsing Gen. Griffin and thanking him for Circular No. 13, were received with shouts of applause and adopted.

Mr. J. Botto, of Vicksburg, requests us to correct the erroneous impression circulated by the Natchez Courier, concerning his partnership with Captain Furlong, one of the Board of Registration. The partnership named was dissolved about a year ago.

In this connection we would also state, that Col. Manlove, of the Vicksburg Times, informed us that Captain Furlong is not a "bitter partisan Radical" as announced, but a conservative and sensible ex-Union officer.—Natchez Democrat.

The editor of the Alabama Argus shows himself fully under what other people might consider serious circumstances:

We see that the Sheriff, during our absence has advertised the Argus for sale. We hope the bidders will have a merry time of it. If the Sheriff can sell it, we can do more than ever we could. Leave a deep percussion cap, we think it will fail to go off."

Gen. McCardle and our neighbor of the Times are the most expert athletes of modern days. Born the most ultra Southern stand-points, they have journeyed to the farthest point of extreme Radicalism. Their policy is to disgust the South with the reconstruction of measures, by electing colored people to office. I ron ains to be seen whether the Radicals can wield the enormous administered by such empirics. Good by, gentlemen—you travel too fast for us. We commend to you the following warning:

"Trail'er friends I tell thee:
A saddener death you never knew
While leading the Radical mule to drink,
He kick'd and killed me quicker'n a wink."

[Vicksburg Herald.

THE KINDNESS FROM THE NORTH.—A friend of ours, an old citizen, informs us that John M. Finch, Esq., of Dallas Co., Ill., sent through him, to various destitute families here, a generous donation of meal and meat, which was distributed to them, greatly to their relief. Such acts will be remembered.—Vicksburg Herald.

BAD JAIL.—A white man and a negro, the only prisoners in our county jail, made good their escape last Tuesday night. One of them it appears, made his exit through the floor, while the other, more daring, made his exit through the window of the second story.—The Sheriff who resides at the jail building, was absent on business at the time.—Panola Star.

A Washington dispatch to the N. Y. Times says the President has informed ex-Mayor Monroe and others, that he has directed Gen. Sheridan not to close the register in New Orleans until the opinion of the Attorney-General on the disfranchising clause is announced. Monroe expresses the opinion that this will keep the registry open until September.

ANOTHER HISTORY.—The Washington Star, of the 7th, says R. Barnwell Rhett, of South Carolina, is in the city collecting material for a history of the late war, which he is writing.

Gen. Ord has announced the following additional appointments of registers, for the counties named:

For Kemper County—W. S. Gamble, A. Key, John Mellue.

For Chickasaw County—R. A. Murdock, H. Narron, J. W. Blessing.

For Itawamba County—J. V. Thomas, Henry Flood, B. Schempert.

For Rankin County—John Lee, S. J. Proctor, B. P. D. Mason.

For Hancock County—J. F. H. Claiborne, Dallas G. Duell, Levi K. Brown.

For the County of Monroe—John Walker, J. B. Woodmansee, Frank J. Bedford.

For the County of Attala—J. M. Thompson, Oliver M. S. Simpson, C. H. Foster.

For the County of Lowndes—Early Hendricks, A. P. Beeseker, Jr., Lemuel S. Powell.

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Judge Watts sentenced four Federal soldiers to the penetentiary, last week, for horse stealing in Hinds county.

The Commercial Bank of New Orleans has suspended. Jacob Barker pledges his real estate, with an annual rental of $15,000, to cover the liabilities of the bank.

Miss Catherine Hatton, of Caroline county, Virginia, has lately made the discovery that she is the rightful heir to property to the amount of about one million of dollars, in the upper part of New Albany, Indiana.

Lieut. Col. Gay, commanding the post at Columbus, has issued an order requiring the immediate departure from the city of all freedmen who have no visible means of support.—Those disobeying the order will be promptly arrested and dealt with severely. This order shows that Col. Gay is alive to the situation of affairs.

The trial of Henry C. Brown, charged with embezzling funds to the amount of $15,000, which recently occupied the attention of the United States District Court at Little Rock, Ark., was closed on the 4th inst., and resulted in the jury disagreeing and the return of Brown to confinement. He was formerly an officer in the federal army.

A call has been issued for a National Democratic Convention to meet in Louisville on the 4th of next July.—The object in view as expressed in the call is to "consult upon the best means of re-organizing the party and by defending the constitutional liberties of the States and the people."

During the past week there were assembled in Convention, at Memphis, many of the most distinguished divines of the Baptist church in the Southern States. Their mission was connected with church affairs, and to discuss plans for the amelioration of the human race.

Hon. Jno. McRae has been appointed Probate Judge of Kemper county. The appointment will no doubt give general satisfaction.

The Crop Prospect.

The prospect of the planting interests in Mississippi is generally good. The growth of corn is extensive and promising. In many portions of Alabama the stands of corn and cotton are as good as was ever seen. The wheat looks green and vigorous.—There is less cotton planted in the Tennessee Valley than we have ever known. Corn and wheat prospects favorable. In Texas the wheat crop has suffered much from the weather, so much so that it is estimated the harvest of this year will be one third less than it was last, notwithstanding a larger area has been sown, and making no allowance for rust and other accidents. The best farmers all agree that the average yield of the wheat crop, throughout the country, will not reach more than ten bushels to the acre. Corn and cotton crops are very backward, but doing well. Freedmen are giving pretty general satisfaction.

In Illinois everything is growing magnificently; in Iowa wheat promises an average yield; fruit is in a favorable condition; in Southern Indiana wheat is in excellent condition, but there is some complaint of its being frozen out in a few localities further north; in Kansas there will be an unusual large crop of corn and wheat, unless the grasshoppers interfere with it; in Maine, Massachusetts and Michigan there is every prospect of a bounteous yield; in Minnesota, which was never known to fail, a large harvest is expected. Nebraska has one of the best stands ever known; in New Hampshire and New Jersey everything is looking finely; in New York, Vermont, Wisconsin and Rhode Island, wheat is vigorous, growing finely and gives promise of a more abundant harvest than for several years; Ohio is doing better than for many years; a few reports come from Pennsylvania which are all favorable of the coming crops. Altogether the signs are that the coming harvest will be one of the most abundant ever known—the wail of want will be hushed and a smiling Providence give a yield for all.

COMPLIMENTARY.—A Western editor, speaking of a cotemporary, says "his intellect is so dense, that it would take the anger of common sense longer to learn how it hurt it would to bore through Mont Blanc with a bullet pierced.

The Trouble with the Colored Folks.

Mayor Heath, of New Orleans, has issued a proclamation to the colored people of the city, defining their privileges with respect to the right to enter theatres, public halls, bar-rooms, &c.

This is done in consequence of the late disturbances, which he attributes to a mistaken and erroneous opinion as to the rights of the colored people under the laws. It is held to be the undoubted right of all citizens, upon complying with the requisitions of the law, to pursue any legitimate business, and in such pursuit to admit into their stores and places of business, and to deal with such persons only as they shall see proper, and to make such rules and regulations for the guidance of their customers as to them shall seem most conducive to their interests, provided the same be not contrary to law. Though the great principle that all persons are equal before the law animates the whole spirit of the Constitution, it will not, when applied to the actual and various conditions of persons in society, warrant the assertion that men and women are legally clothed with the same civil and political powers, and that children and adults are legally to have the same functions and be subject to the same treatment; but only that the rights of all, as they are settled and regulated by law, are equally entitled to the paternal consideration and protection of the laws for their maintenance and security.—What those rights are to individuals in the infinite variety of circumstances by which they are surrounded in society, are entitled, must depend on laws adapted to their respective relations and conditions. Gen. Mower, Assistant Commissioner of the Freedmen for Louisiana, also issues an address to the colored people, in which he tells them they "will not be protected in wrong doing," and warns them that if their violent conduct is persisted in, the people of the whole North will turn against them and revoke the privileges lately conferred.

It is to be hoped the proclamation of the military Mayor, the circular from Gen. Mower and Gen. Sheridan's order disarming all persons except such as may be authorized or required by law to carry the same in the execution of their official duties, will have the effect of allaying the antagonism between the white and black races, which has been precipitated by ill-advisers who hope to rise thereby to the surface and float into power.—"Peace between the races" is certainly "the interest of both black and white" and it should be the duty of all to restore those relations of concord and confidence which are essential to mutual prosperity and by which we can alone thrive. Northern propagandists who came here to educate the colored mind for political purposes should be eschewed. They mean no ulterior good to either race and only beget a perpetual enmity and strife, which if continued, will finally result in the black man having to succumb to the superior race. No one seeks to rob them of the privileges conferred by the government—peace and order, frugality and industry and a proper respect for the rights of both races, is all the Southern people ask.

Public Meeting in Mobile.

We find in our Mobile exchanges full accounts of the large meeting of citizens held in that city on Thursday the 16th inst., to express the views of the citizens of Mobile in reference to the riot on the occasion of Judge Kelly's speech.

Price Williams was chosen President and the following gentlemen Vice Presidents: Messrs. Charles Walsh, Jno. Reid, Jr., Wm. Stewart, W. H. Ross, Garland Goode, Wm. J. Ledyard, Chas. P. Gage and R. H. Slough.

A number of speeches were made and the following resolutions unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, At a recent meeting held in this city on the night of the 14th of May, 1867, there were disturbances and disorders resulting in the most lamentable consequences; and whereas, this meeting is composed of the citizens of Mobile, and they desire to announce to the people of the country their unqualified disapprobation and hostility to all such acts. Therefore, be it

1st. Resolved, That we deeply deplore the unfortunate occurrences that took place at the said meeting, and desire to express, in the strongest terms, our disapprobation of them.

2d. Resolved, That we are of the opinion that the disturbances at said meeting was wholly unpremeditated, and the result of an accidental excitement to which all large assemblages are subject.

3. Resolved, That in our opinion, our people are not disposed to impede in any manner the free exercise of speech to all and every class of persons.

Bishop Lavalle, of the Roman Catholic Church, died at Bardstown, Ky., on Saturday evening after a long and painful illness. The funeral ceremonies took place at Louisville on the 14th.

The Illinois Insane Asylum.

REVELATIONS OF FRIGHTFUL CRUELTIES.

The following recital of a series of fiendish barbarities taking place in a presumedly humane institution we find in a late Pittsburg, Pa., journal. Our cotemporary says; The frightful abuses practiced in private insane asylums have been exposed in several American and English works of fiction, but the public generally have been apt to believe accounts coming through such sources were exaggerated bo the imagination of the writers. Occasionally, however, well authenticated facts have gone to prove that no coloring of romance could exceed in shocking distinctness the revelations of reality. Lately, circumstances have brought to light some scenes and incidents in the interior edonomy of the Illinois Insane Asylum, and such another chapter of horrors could scarcely be found outside the records of the Spanish Inquisition.

Within the walls of that terrible building, given over, hopelessly, helplessly, to the tender mercies of a gang of brutal, beastial deatectors and keepers, hundreds of poor demented creatures have languished through years of torture and indignity until death kindly came to terminate their suffering. From various sources the truth is gradually coming out, and the details already published are so sad and sickening as to make one almost doubt the possibility of their occurrence, were not the evidence in the case thoroughly sustained and irrefragible. There is proof positive that the unfortunate inmates were, for the slightest offences—offences, be it remembered, committed in a condition of utter irresponsibility—subjected to the most cruel and revolting punishments. Think of a delicate woman consigned to the fiendish discipline of the "Screw-room," and the case is one that actually occurred. The wretched victim was fitted closely-fitting waist or "jacket," with sleeves coming below the hand and sewed up, having a single loophole through which a string or cord might be passed. Her arms were then crossed in front, the hands being drawn tightly behind her. She was then thrown violently upon the floor, face downward, her clothing was removed, and then she was beaten until her flesh was a mere jelly.

With what was called refractory or obstinate patience, the indescribable agony of the cold bath was resorted to. The patient was taken to the bath-room, tied hand and foot, plunged into cold water, and held under until almost strangled, for a moment removed, only to be again and again submerged until life was nearly extinct.

A lady, employed in the asylum for three years and a half, writes to a female friend tqat one of the physicians instructed the attendants how to choke patients without leaving finger marks. From another attendant we have the following story of develish malignity vouched for:

"An attendant discovered a patient of infirm health resting on her bed in the day-time, in disregard of a rule of the house to which no exceptions are allowed. To the peremptory and insulting order which followed, the patient ventured a word in self-defence. This was too much. The attendant is not to be answered by a patient! She seizes her roughly and drags her upon the floor with extreme violence. The patient, in terror, still defends herself, or attempts it. We are summoned to the attendant's assistance, and find her—a large and heavy woman—resting her whole weight upon the invalids body, with her knees upon her stomach, and with the patient's head as a hammer, the tresses of her hair serving as a convenient handle, pounding the floor with all her might. To our exclamations and intercessions we get for reply the assurance that the offending victim has 'got the devil in her and I mean to beat it out. Help me to jacket her till I get satisfaction out of her.' She put on the jacket, and the poor creature arms behind her, dragged her across the hall to the bars, tied each hand and foot firmly to the bars, tied her knees together, and then seizing her by the hair, again began pounding the bars as at first she pounded the floor. Her muscle was fearfully effective; every blow gashed the scalp, and spirted blood over the walls and the floor and her own person. A great splash fell upon a plate of food one of us chanced to be holding."

Mrs. Packard, who, though perfectly sane, was, through the machinations of some of her relatives, immured in this horrible place, in a published account of her account of her experience, says:

"Patients are often choked until their faces are black, and their tongues hang out of their mouths. A lady of refinement, of pure and virtuous character, and a nature remarkably true to the instincts of a true woman, during the long, dreary hours was stripped of all her clothing, save a torn chemise, and laid upon her back on the floor, Dr. —— sitting astride her naked body, while four at tendants applied the strap to her quivering limbs."

We had thought that the system of coercion and chastisement had been virtually done away with, in public asylums at least. Rose colored reports had led us to believe that those whom Providence had afflicted with the loss of reason, received, at any rate, as much of care and kindness as their vacant wandering minds could be brought to appreciate. Illinois has undeceived us. We congratulate that highly civilized and Christian State on the possession of an indelible blot upon the reputation of the country, and a burning shame upon the very name of humanity.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, May 21, '67.

All persons owning dogs are notified that the ordinance prohibiting dogs running at large, unless muzzled with a collar, after the first of June, will be promptly and strictly enforced.

L. M. HART,
Acting Mayor.

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CONFECTIONERY.

WE have just opened a Fresh Lot of Confectionery, received from the best of manufacturers, at prices to suit the times. We recognize the fact of the great scarcity of money, and we are determined to regulate our prices in accordance therewith, and to place our goods within the reach of all

TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS we offer our Goods at prices as low as they can be had in the Mobile market.

HALLORAN & HORNUTH,
Fronting Front Street, above Masonic Hall.
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—AND—
MACHINE SHOP

THE undersigned is fully prepared to manufacture all machinery usually made or repaired in Foundries in this section in the most approved style, at moderate prices and promptly. Having practical and experienced machinists, and first-class workmen in all departments, he feels confident of his ability to give satisfaction in every particular.

Those in want of Awnings, Verandahs, Columns, Sills, Lintels, Sash, Weights, Iron Railing for Cemetery or other purposes, and, in fact, any description of castings needed or used in this country, are invited to communicate, before ordering from elsewhere, with W. W. MURPHY.

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Messrs. PLEASANTS & CO.,
TOBACCO MERCHANTS,
LOUISVILLE, KY.

ARE PREPARED to furnish Planters and Merchants with the best Brands of Kentucky and Virginia Leaf Tobacco, at prices merely nominal. The enormous Government Tax on MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, has caused so much adulteration, that it is almost impossible to get a pure article. The undersigned are EXPERIENCED TOBACCONISTS, and will, upon receipt of your order, ship to any address at the following prices: BEST CHEWING, 2 to 3 cents per pound, BEST SMOKING, 4 to 5 cents per pound, neatly put up in boxes from 25 to 100 pounds, at one pound packages, and warrant each of the best quality—superior to any manufactured in the market.

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Maj. Gen. Sterling Price, St. Louis, Mo.
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Hon. R. J. Henderson, Mayor, Meridian.
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Judge Thornton, Okolona, Miss.
Frank S. Rondd & Co., 9th Street, Tobacco House, Louisville, Ky.

AGENTS WANTED.—Any active young man with two hundred dollars capital can make from fifteen to thirty dollars per day, selling our Tobacco. We will give all necessary information and thoroughly call it every one in regard to the entire practicability of the undertaking upon application to us by letter.

Address, PLEASANTS & CO.
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WANTED, AGENTS.—$250 per month The Year Round or 6 per cent Profit on Commission. We guaranty the above salary or commission to active industrious agents at their own homes, to introduce an article of indispensable utility in every household. For full particulars call on, or address C. W. JACKSON, & CO., may21w5 31 South st. Baltimore, Md

Meridian Tournament Club.

A Grand Tournament, Coronation and Fancy Dress Ball,

Will be given at Meridian, Miss., on Thursday, the 13th, 1867.

THREE PRIZES IN GREENBACKS.

The first, $250; to be awarded to the Knight who obtains the greatest number of rings with the lance. The second, $150; the third, $50; awarded to the Knights taking the next highest number of rings with the lance.

The prize money will be placed in the hands of the judges and awarded on the field, when the issues of the tilting shall be announced.

A crown will accompany the first prize, and a wreath, each, with the second and third.

The Knight who wins the first prize shall be heralded "Ist Royal Knight," and will have the honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty.

The Knight who wins the second prize will crown the first Maid of Honor, and the Knight winning the third prize, will crown the second Maid of Honor. Married Knights, if successful, will turn over the crown or wreath to the bachelor Knight or Knights next highest in rings.

RULES AND ORDER OF EXERCISE.

The tilting will be made with the lance. Lance to be nine feet long.

The rings, three in number, each two and a half inches in diameter, will be suspended on a wire, will be raised or lowered, to accommodate the height of the horse and rider.

Each Knight will be entitled to three tilts, and in case of unavoidable accidents, may retake the tilt, not to exceed three times, maximum six. All ties to be decided upon the quickest time.

The circle will be two hundred and fifty yards in circumference. One hundred and fifteen yards to be made. Time—10 seconds.

All points of dispute growing out of the exercises to be referred to the judges, whose decision will be final.

Those desirous of entering the list must give their names to the Secretary by 10 o'clock, A. M., of the date of the exercises; if not entered on the roll they will not be recognized as real and true Knights, and be forbidden the lists by the Marshal.

Each Knight will appear in Knight's costume and character designated.

Knights entrance fee, $10.

The chivalry of Meridian throws down the gauntlet to all true Knights! Right royally we invite you to the contest.

Ample preparations are being made to arrange comfortable seats in the Amphitheatre for spectators.

The Meridian Brass Band will be in attendance.

JUDGES.

Lt. Gen. N. B. Forrest,.....Memphis, Tenn.
Col. D. Cockrake .....Jackson, Miss.
Col. D. C. Glenn.....Mississippi City
Judge Wm. S. Yerger.....Jackson, Miss.
Hil. Henry St. Paul, ...Miss. Ala.
Hon. R. L. Henderson.....Meridian, Miss.
Genl. Wm. S. Patton.....
Col. J. E. Shannon.....
J. Gibson, Esq.....
J. B. Payne, Esq.....
Gen. Shearer, Esq.....
Capt. Jno. M. Langan.....
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W. G. Clarke.....Mobile, Ala.

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AGENTS,
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KEEP always on hand, a large and complete stock of Drugs and Medicines, such as Opium, Castor Oil, Spirits Turpentine, Iperac, Rhubarb, Cream Tartar, Bi carbonate Soda, Epsom Soda, Essential Oils, Select Powders, etc., and in fact all

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Embraced in the Pharmacopia. Our Pharmaceutical Preparations are made in strict accordance with the revised Pharmacopia. Prescriptions attended to carefully.

FAMILY MEDICINES, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, WINDOW GLASS AND SASH of various sizes.

Liquors, Liquors,

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SPICES, LEXINGTON MUSTARD, PAINTS, OILS & COLORS,
White Lead, Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Coal Oil, Paints of all Colors, etc.

Our stock embraces everything coming within the Drug Business. Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction.

All orders intrusted to our care, filled with promptness and accuracy.

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Corner of St. Francis and Joachim Streets,
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Have constantly for sale much
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THESE GOODS HAVE BEEN IMPORTED DIRECT *from the Manufactures of Europe and America, and will be sold as Cheap as by any other House on this Continent.*

P. H. Lavender of Greensboro, Ala., is with the above house, and will be pleased to serve his friends. ap11tr

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FACTORY,
16 Miles East of Meridian.

WE are prepared to deliver all kinds of Building Lumber best pine rough or planed at any station on the Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Also, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Dressed Flooring and Shingles. All orders promptly filled, on Terms Cash. Send orders to Dr. Bennett, at Bennett's Station, or to Sanford & Bro., Meridian.

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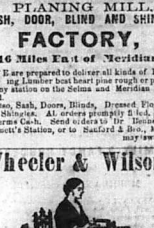

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$20 Reward!

STRAYED or stolen from my place, 12½ miles west of Meridian, on the Mobile and Ohio Road, on the 3d inst., a small BAY MARE, seven years old, a scarred saddle spot on right side of her back, an affected place in one of her fore feet half way between the upper and lower edge of the hoof, supposed to be caused by a cut. The above reward I will pay any person bringing the said mare to me, or half that sum for any information so that I can get her. Any information left with Brandt, Brown & Co., at Meridian, will suffice. JOHN C. BROWN.

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Imported & Domestic Wines & Liquors,
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Agent for Wheeler & Wilson's Celebrated Sewing Machine, which will be sold at the New York Price.

All Kinds of Guns Made and Repaired.
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Spring Millinery Goods.

WE have received the first installment of our Spring Millinery, embracing every variety of the latest fashions, together with Dress Trimmings, &c., and would respectfully call the ladies of Meridian and vicinity to call and examine for themselves. We have secured the services of a competent Dress Maker, from Mobile, who will execute all orders in a manner unsurpassed.

Call at the old Miss A. E. Beville Building.

MRS. A. E. BEVILLE,
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Compri—s a class of pure and select P—lly Medicines, prepared from pure liquor, by a class of experienced Northern Physicians, specially for the diseases incident to a Southern locality.

They are not secret or patent mixtures, and are recommended to be used in lieu of those prepared by our Northern friends, who are not familiar with Southern treatment.

Ours is the only class of Family Medicines ever offered to the public which were prepared by the Medical Profession.

FEMALES OF THE SOUTH!

Diseases peculiar to your sex, incident to all localities, rolled from 1 to a thousand horse that like you with its pretty face, its sad feet, and its prominent draw-drop, we do not a comfort and ability to breathe. Whether you are troubled with fits of scanty, hill or dale, palsies or bowel, disease rankles and sores upon your vitals, blood and fever or your most resistant complexions. Your pale and sickly countenance, your sleepless nights, your listless days, your fevish and tottering walk, your palpitating heart, your deformities, all of these you can cure. What is gradually and steadily making inroads upon your continue system.

The Sunshine o Hope *

Is the only combination that actually and positively prevents and relieves Chronic Diarrhœa in all its conditions. It removes all unnatural obstructions, relieves painful irritability of the Bowels, cures Leucorrhœa or Whites, Falling of the Womb, Hysteria, Chlorosis, Painful, Irregular and Suppressed Menstruation and Giddiness of the Head, effectually Liberation and Irritation of the Kidneys and Bladder, and all diseases that are peculiar to the Female constitution. Ask your druggist for it. Send and get one bottle, it will do you good.

YOUR LIFE BLOOD

Must be changed, in order to be relieved of that troublesome class of diseases requiring pure blood.

DRUMGOOLE & CO'S

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Is recognized by the Medical Profession as the BEST and most reliable Blood purifier now in use. It is a positive and very Simple Remedy in all complaints of the blood such Scrofula, Erysipelas, Boils, Bullfrogs, Yellow Jaundice, Rheumatism, Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Tetter, Scrofula, Carbuncle, Skin Diseases, Mercurial Affections, Ulcers, Sores, Pimples, Blotches, and Ulcers and Sores, Constitutional Derangements, etc., etc., and is warranted to cure.

DRUMGOOLE & CO'S

Fluid Ext. Bearberry, Cubebs and Buchu,

A highly concentrated medicinal compound, expressly for the relief of the Kidneys and Bladder, and Diabetes, such as Incontinence, Frequent Desire to Urinate, Urinary Irritation, Stone or Gravel, Brick Dust Deposit, Dyspepsia, Nervous Prostration, Grossel, Gout, Pains in the Back, Loins and Kidneys, Lack of Energy, Nervousness, and all affections requiring a quick and reliable Diuretic.

In all cases of a want of action on the part of the Kidneys and Bladder, especially old or young, male or female, this Compound can be relied on.

DRUMGOOLE & CO'S

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Can be so easily cured by using one package of Dromgoole & Co.'s "CHILL CURE," which never fails to arrest the fever, cleanse the Stomach, Liver and Bowels and restore the most inveterate case of Chills. One package will cure the most obstinate case.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

RED DIARRHŒA REMEDY,

The most certain and effectual cure for all forms of Diarrhœa, Dysentery and Vomiting, Cramps, Cholera Morbus, Sick Stomach, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Sour

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Mr. L. A. Ingraham, the largest property holder in Meridian, has enjoined the collection of his city taxes, on the ground that they are oppressive. We regret very much he has seen fit to take this step. It will entail a great deal of litigation, and probably stop much of the machinery of the city government during the summer.

A few of our advertisers receive editorial attention this morning. Others will follow in succeeding numbers until every patron has a touch of our pen. Send in your advertisements, gentle men, if you want your business ventilated.

Yes, perfect bliss is fragrant smoke;
Proof rises all around;
Nor shall strife like this,
In sight of Pleasants's are be found.

The place to get cheap and pure chewing and smoking tobacco is at the extensive establishment of Pleasants & Co., Louisville, Ky. Maj. J. B. Pleasants, the head of the house is an old Confederate, well known here where his business qualities and personal character gained him the esteem and confidence of the people. See the advertisement elsewhere.

ADVERTISE.—We commend the following, which we find in one of our exchanges, to the attention of the Merchants and business men of Meridian, who don't advertise in the Gazette.

Let everybody—merchants, farmers, mechanics, professional men, &c., bear in mind the following rules:

If you have land to sell,
If you have goods to sell,
If you have stock to sell,
If you have any property to sell,
If you want to sell anything
If you want to buy anything,
If you wish to increase your business,
build up your town, and grow rich, which in all probability is the case, advertise in your local paper—a paper that is extensively read by the above named classes and families.

Bear this in mind also *that the most successful business* men of our country, are those who *advertise liberally*. Not one man in a hundred who possessed the requisite energy and business habits, and who advertised liberally, *has failed* in business.

Stephen Girard, Astor, A. P. Stewart, Barnum, Banner of the Ledger, and nineteenths of the men, who from small beginnings have amassed immense fortunes—laid the foundation of their prosperity by *liberal advertising*.

If you are doing fit, advertise that you may do well, and if you are doing well, advertise that you may do better.

No matter how dull the times are, advertise liberally. Let the public know what you have to sell—your sales will be increased, and even if it benefits the printer, it will benefit you immensely more. Think a little and you will agree with us; and if you do agree with us send in your advertisements for our next issue.

Meridian was visited by a heavy thunder storm on Monday morning, accompanied by a very heavy fall of rain. The lightning struck the store of Hill, Henderson & Co., slightly injuring the establishment, and setting some Petro oil on fire. The fire, however, was extinguished, before it made much progress.

There is a colored man in our midst named James Collins, who thinks he is in such imminent danger as to render a body guard necessary when walking the streets at night. Last Sunday night, we understand, he mustered a large armed escort to conduct him from church to his boarding house. We hardly believe there is any one absent here particularly anxious to perforate his body, and incline to the belief he would like to get a "proscription" impression among the colored people and thus become a Martyr. Collins hails from Mobile, and we hear, is sojourning with us for his health. We hope it will improve rapidly, and enable him to soon return whence he came. We have no use for agitators, white or black, in our city. We don't want either race exasperated, and a feeling created that must inevitably result in collisions. Let harmony and good will prevail, and all will get along smoothly and prosperously.

GRAND TOURNAMENT AND FANCY DRESS BALL, at Meridian, Thursday, June 18th.—We notice that the Meridian Tournament Club proposes to have a grand tournament and fancy dress ball in this city on Thursday, the 18th of June. Preparations will be made on a large scale, and it is expected that it will be one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind that has been known in the State. A large crowd will be present from Mobile, and all the towns and villages on the line of the Alabama and the Chattahoochee railroad. We will be made more definite in our next issue.

The Meridian Manufacturing Company.

At the late extra session of our Legislature a few friends of this enterprise from this place, prepared and had, a "charter" for the Company, and after some exertion procured its passage through the Legislature. The act provides, "That Levi Hurlbutt, Jno. T. Ball, J. M. Roberts, L. A. Ingraham, S. Evans, R. Y. Brown, Jno. Watts, J. Harvey, I. S. O. G. Greer, C. E. Rushing, and R. McLemore, together with others who may become Stockholders and Others for the one hundred to be corporate, by the name of "The Meridian, Miss., Manufacturing Company," for the purpose of carrying on at Meridian, Miss., the manufacture of cotton and woolen yarns, and fabrics from wool, &c." The capital stock of the Company shall be $50,000, which may be increased to $150,000 to be divided in shares of $100 each. The company can commence operations when $18,900 is paid in. Section four of the act allows the Company to receive lands for stock at such cash valuation as may be fixed upon by their agents and Section five says they may, from time to time, as is expedient and necessary, issue bonds in sums not less than one hundred dollars, payable at such time as *they may think best*, (not over 20 years,) based upon Real Estate and other property of said Company, at such *rates*, &c. The Charter granted, shall be and remain for fifty years.

Here is one of the most liberal of Charters, giving the Company existence for fifty years, and it may be based and built up of material, of which we have an abundance. Our idle lands may thus be made productive, and yielding to us. Our poor population who are almost starving, given employment. Our city given an additional stimulus and a better price given for cotton at our doors. There may be the Pioneer movement in this city, to eventuate in our becoming the "Lowell of the South." It will pay our monied men much better than selling goods, and our planters who have saved from the wreck, or who may hereafter deny yearly, fresh their farms a few hundred, or thousands. Having no negroes to invest in, we cannot do better than put our money in stock.

Let us get ready by Fall and go to work, and put the thing in motion. Send a word to our friends at a distance who subscribed their land that they will be all right, that the Company expects to revive and act in good faith toward those who subscribed their lands. Let us hear from the Directory.

There was some murmuring and threats made Monday morning by a few indiscreet colored persons about the city, and for a time many persons feared there was trouble ahead. It appears that on Saturday night Deputy Sheriff Means arrested and lodged in Jail Henry Loper, (colored) for whom a reward had been offered and who was charged with having attempted to assassinate Batt Moore, Jr., a few weeks since. On Sunday, about noon, Henry escaped from jail, and in the afternoon was pursued by Mr. Moore and Policeman Smith with a dog. When they were in the vicinity of Sonnachie creek, persons had by heard two or three shots and as one concluded Loper had been overtaken and fired upon. Upon the return of Mr. Moore and Mr. Smith, however, they stated that the fugitive had not been overhauled—that but one shot had been fired by them and that was at a dog but interfering with the pursuit. But the statement did not suffice, and on Monday morning Capt. Sunderland, of the Bureau, in company with a large number of freedmen scoured the woods and searched the creek for the body. There was a good deal of excitement among the freedmen for a while which gradually died away after it was ascertained the body could not be found, and but very little evidence, if any, discovered of foul play. Our own opinion is there was no foul play—that the fugitive and would-be-assassin made good his escape and is now secreted in some of his old haunts near Ozatibbe. On Monday afternoon Capt. Sunderland caused a warrant to be issued for the arrest of Policeman Smith, which was found in the sum of five hundred dollars. Yesterday some freedmen renewed the search for Loper's body, but of course without success.

A writ has also been issued for Mr. Moore, we understand.

An important decision was recently made by the Supreme Court of Louisiana. The court held that no recovery can be had on notes given for the purchase money of slaves. They also held in conformity to previous decisions that no recovery can be had on notes issued on Confederate money, or in other words, that such money was illegal and no consideration for any contract such as could be entertained by the Court; and further, that notes signed before the passage of the stamp law do not require to be stamped to be used as evidence.

Is it Anybody's Business?

Is it anybody's business if people should chose
To call upon Hurlbutt and by groceries or clothes;
Or, to speak a little plainer, that the morning all may know,
Is it anybody's business if Hurlbutt sells so low?
Is it anybody's business if both sides do not draw,
At Hurlbutt's Store to look at goods, they do not buy at all.
Or, is it necessary that a curtain should be drawn,
To hide the splendid goods that in Hurlbutt's shows are shown?
Is it the people on the sidewalk, whether
Or not they buy or sell,
Is it anybody's business whose fancy goods they buy,
They may look and welcome, or help themselves to buy.

The large establishment of Broach, Brown & Co., issue in our columns of today, an advertisement of uncommon interest to the public. Everybody is invited to visit this house and see what we have in our own borders a place to buy dry goods as cheap as in New York—a store fully adequate to our trade and presenting goods of unexceptionable quality.

"Suited to a T," is the usual verdict of the domestic jury upon articles purchased at Sanford's. Prices at this house are getting down towards the *ante-bellum* figures.

A traveling correspondent of the Baltimore Sun writes:

"Between Montgomery and Atlanta I have seen people selling their bedding off corn. The destitution in Alabama is as great now as at the surrender—daily rations are served to sixty thousand of the most needy. In addition, there are about 20,000 who are on the verge of distress. Counties refuse to pay the Government 1/10 of the corn furnished, and order the agents to sell part of the foreign charity for the purpose."

HYMENEAL.

MARRIED, at St. Michael's Church in Marengo county, Alabama, on Thursday, May 18, 1867, by Rev. E. H. Thomas, Mr. F. E. WHITFIELD, of Memphis, Tenn., and Miss LULA H. GAY, of Marengo county.

The ceremony was performed at the Episcopal church where as many were in attendance to witness the beautiful and imposing rite. It was indeed a scene of peculiar interest and beauty—the young and lovely bride standing by her manly groom and surrounded by her bridesmaids and their suits. The entertainment, on the occasion of the wedding, was attended by quite a number of friends and relatives and was a superb affair—decidedly a success. Those present could not help but enjoy themselves to the fullest extent both in the parlor and around the festive board. The friend has every cause for self-gratulation in having made such a happy alliance—for in his lovely bride are happily blended those qualities of heart and soul that serve to make the perfect woman and secure a fidelity as undying as our pulse. We breathe a heartfelt prayer that they may drift pleasantly adown the stream of time, and that the lengthening shadows of life, when girlish graces resign into dignity and loveliness, chastened with the gentle meekness of maternal affection, will find them as now, united in heart and destiny.

LOCAL MARKET.

Store Prices of Articles at Meridian, Miss.

CORRECTED BY A MERCHANT.

MERIDIAN GAZETTE OFFICE, May 22, 1867.

Ams—Collins.....	@	$1 75	@2 00
Reynolds.....	@	$ 2 00	—
Bagging—Ky. @ yd.		40	@ 36
India..... @ yd.		35	@ —
Bacon—Hams..@ lb..		20	@ 18
Sug. cured..@ lb..		21½	@ —
Country sids. @ lb..		15	@ —
West. cl. "..@ lb..		14	@ 15
" rib "..@ lb..		13	@ 14
Shoulders..@ lb..		14½	@ —
Beef—on foot, @ lb..		5	@ 6
Corn fed..@ lb..		7	@ 8
Butter—Goshen @ lb..		50	@ —
Western..@ lb..		40	@ —
Brooms.....Peach		50	@ 75
Buckets.....Peach		50	@ 75
Cotton—Mid. @ lb..		21	@ 24
Castings.....@ lb..		10	@ —
Corn..@ bu. $1 70		@ 1 75	
Coffee.....@ lb..		28¼	@ 30
Chickens.....@ doz.		$4 80	@ $5 00
Eggs.....@ doz.		25	@ 30
Flour—Ch. @ bbl.		$18 00	@— 18
Double ex..@ bbl.		$16 00	@— —
Superfine f..@ bbl.		$14 00	@15 00
Lard.....@ lb..		16	@ 18
Molasses—La @ gal.		90	@ 1 25
Syrup.....@ gal.		1 15	@ —
Mackerel.....@ bbl.		$ 23	@ —
Kits.....@ bbl.		$3 50	@ 4 00
Nails.....@ lb..		10	@ 12½
Oil—Linseed..@ gal.		$ 2 25	@ —
Lamp—on foot, @ lb..		10	@ 12½
Powder.....@ lb..		75	@ —
Putty.....@ lb..		20	@ —
Rice.....@ lb..		15	@ —
Potatoes—Irish @ bbl.		6 00	@ 8 00
Sweet.....@ bu.		75	@ 1 25
Salt.....@ sck		$ 3 00	@ —
Sugar—Crush..@ lb..		25	@ —
Louisiana ..@ lb..		14	@ 18
Clarified..@ lb..		20	@ —
Loaf.....@ lb..		30	@ 28
Sugar—Drop..@ lb..		20	@ —
Buck.....@ lb..		20	@ —
Tobacco—Ch. @ lb..		$ 1 00	@ 1 50
Common..@ lb..		$ — 45	@ 1 00
White Lead ..@ keg		$15 00	@— —

New Spring & Summer Goods

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Poplins,
Lawns,
Mosambiques,
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Cloaks,
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Edgings,
Insertings.

They would also direct attention to their Clothing Stores to their stock of Boots & Co.,) where may be found Goods of every description.

Terms low for cash, and cash *only*.

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"Speak, daughter, speak," the old man said.
Said she, "where is it father, where is it,
It I say.
English Female Bitters, I must have today."

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For all cases arising from indigestion, use the mild cordial Red Jacket Bitters, which will gently assist, instead of attacking, the functions of nature. These Bitters are for sale by all respectable druggists and dealers throughout the country.
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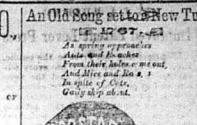

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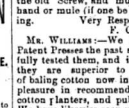

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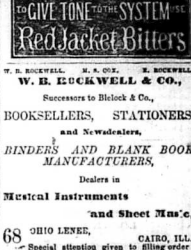

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The colored people of Enterprise held a meeting last Saturday evening at their church. Addresses were made by two colored men. Everything passed off quietly.

Two freedmen, Toney Clark and Geo. Robertson, got in a difficulty at Enterprise the other day over a game of cards, when Robertson drew a pistol and shot Clark, the ball penetrating the heart and causing almost instant death. George has been committed.

MAYOR WITHERS REMOVED.—On the recommendation of Gen. Swayne, Major Gen. John Pope has caused Mayor Withers and Capt. Charpentier, chief of Police in Mobile, to be removed from office. Mr. Gustavus Horton has been appointed Mayor and Col. C. A. R. Dimon chief of Police. The Advertiser speaks well of the new officials.

FIRE IN NEW ORLEANS.—The Picayune gives the following particulars of the fire which occurred in the Third District of that city on Sunday evening last, destroying the whole block of buildings bounded by Port, Rampart, Good Children and Ferdinand streets, with the exception of one on the corner of Rampart and Port.

The mortality among the mules, attributable to feeding them upon Western shelled corn, has been very great in the Northern portion of the State, and threatens to seriously interfere with farming operations. The most successful treatment for this corn cholera that we have seen announced, is an ounce of Chloroform to half an ounce of Laudanum, given as a drench.

IMPORTANT MILITARY ORDERS.—Col. Shepherd commanding at Mobile, has ordered the provost guard to seize and take possession of all large firearms found in the hands of improper persons, and to search the person of every one suspected of having small arms for evil purposes, such as disturbing the good order and peace of the city. The Provost Marshal is ordered not to permit any one to bear fire-arms through the streets without written permission.

THE CRASH COMING.—It was only a few days since that we announced the failure of the immense house of Crane, Watts & Co. Now we see that Frazer, Trenholm & Co., of Liverpool, with several houses in this country, have failed, with liabilities footing up four millions of pounds. Also that the well known house of Hyde & Porter, of Cincinnati, has suspended, leaving its creditors minus one hundred and seventy thousand dollars.—The news of Frazer, Trenholm & Co's. failure, caused gold to advance to 137½. This but the beginning. The paper bubble must burst ere long under the corruption, enormous and disproportioned taxes and the increase of military expenses, produced by the "revolution of ideas." Legislation that paralyzes the strongest limb of the national industry and is forever vascillating and turning into confusion the best laid plans of business men, is the bane of self government.

The Horizon Darkening—Let the South Act Wisely.

The Mobile riot, like the New Orleans disturbance of July last, is producing its legitimate fruit. All radicaldom stands aghast at the disturbance, and Mr. Kelly returns home with a pocket-full of data with which to excite the passions of the Northern people and keep up political fury that will carry the Republican party successfully through the next Presidential campaign. Already the radical prints teem with malevolent comments; the disturbance is, they say, only the out cropping of the old pro-slavery intolerance; the resurrection of secession doctrine and the rekindling of the smouldering fires of an unsubdued rebellion, which, if necessary, must be quenched in blood. A reader of northern papers would naturally conclude we had another "bleeding Kansas" down here, where political gladiators satiated their vindictive hate in human gore; and really we fear unless something is done to neutralize the agitation, check needy adventurers and propagandists in their efforts to excite the passions and cupidity of those whose influence they seek at the ballot box, the extravagant pictures now painted in the North may become life-pictures.

It has been very properly observed that during four years of terrible and cruel war, we had large districts of country where there were thousands of colored people, with scarce an abledbodied white man, or five pounds of powder, or five guns in ten miles square; and there were no insurrections, no riots, nor scarce any acts of violence. Ladies lived on plantations with large numbers of colored people, without one male protecter, and yet treated with courteous respect. Now we submit if, after the war closed, and the colored man was emancipated, Radical agitators and office-seekers had remained at home and left the Southern people, or all races in peace, they would soon have peacefully and pleasantly adjusted themselves to the situation. The races would have continued what they were before—friends, friends from association and interest. The colored man would have accepted his new position with moderation—would have cheerfully taken service in house and field, and regarded as his friends those who gave him honest employment and fair wages. None of the present anxiety on agitation would have disturbed the equanimity of the public mind. The colored man would have gone forward in a moderate and healthy development, wisely appreciating and judiciously improving his advantages.—All our great industrial interests would have prospered and the whole country gone forward in a prosperous career of recuperation and social and financial improvement. In thus alluding to the past we only desire to fasten the responsibility of getting up the present antagonism, where it properly belongs, and to conjure our people to make the future as honorable for good order and moderation, as were the years of war, whose dying echos are forever hushed. Let our aim still be to harmonize and fraternize; to infuse a new life into the dead avenues of trade, and exalt our unfortunate people; to combat the inflammatory harangues of the mischievous, be they from the North or South, with that calmness which becomes a quiet, dignified and manly submission. The North is unquestionably "master of the situation" and opposition to her will is useless; let there be none; remain peaceable and orderly, complying with the law faithfully and honestly, trusting that "behind a frowning Providence he hides a smiling face." You cannot find a stain of dishonor upon us yet, and by the help of God, there never will be. The policy we urge, under all the difficulties that surround us now, demands much self-sacrifice and magnanimity, but we believe the Southern people are equal to it.

FORNEY ALARMED.—The Mobile Advertiser's Washington correspondent informs us that the Chronicle is filled with wonder and alarm in consequence of recent information from Baltimore, announcing that numerous volunteer military companies are organizing in that city, the members of which are drilling nightly, and perfecting themselves in the art of soldiering. It learns, also, that these companies are made up of young men who were formerly in the Confederate service, and it regards the information as reliable but unaccountable. There is doubtless some truth in the rumor. Warned by experience, and contemplating the possibility of an exigenty, it may be inferred that the Baltimoreans are profiting by Forney's example.

Col. Wm. Polk died in Marshall county on the 1st instant. He was a native of North Carolina, but had resided in this State for many years. His age was 74 years.

MILITARY RULE IN MOBILE.—To prevent further violence growing out of the disturbed condition of affairs, Col. Shepherd, by order of Gen. Swayne, assumes the maintenance of public order in the city of Mobile. The city police administration is suspended and special policemen, or members of the old force may be employed when necessary. Breaches of city ordinances will be tried as heretofore. All violations of the public peace and existing orders will be dealt with by the military. Outdoor congregations after nightfall are prohibited. When public demonstrations are intended notice must be filed at the Mayor's office in season, to permit the presence of such police force as may be deemed essential. Severe responsibility is attached to the publication of articles commending or inciting riot or violence to individuals, or the public use of incendiary language, or occurrences of disorder in rooms of public entertainment. The spirit of the order is very good, yet a perusal of the ukase reminds us of the old French maxim *pas a pas on va bien loin*. Every order of this kind should admonish the people of the necessity of organizing under the present law and relieving the country of military rule. True, Mississippi has been fortunate thus far, but our next neighbor's house is now on fire and it behooves us to consider our own safety.

TICKETS FOR THE SOUTHERN ASYLUM LOTTERY.—Valuable city and country property to be drawn at Hernando, Miss., June 15th. Tickets five dollars. Send by mail, or call on

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Albert Pike, though a Tennessee editor, is laboring very hard to convince the people of Mississippi that they should vote against organizing under the military bill. If the General will try and relieve his own State of Brownlow's rule and secure the ballot for the good and true Tennesseans, the citizens of Mississippi will endeavor to look after the interests of their own State. Bespattering our fair women with flattery, couched in chaste *rhetorique*, is a shrewd plan to defeat reconstruction as proposed by Congress. In the days of the Confederacy it did very well to tell the girls the man in the moon would hold his nose as he passed the fire-side warriors by; but that kind of tea-pot patriotism has "played out." Our women, like the great bulk of the men, want peace and order, and are not disposed to array themselves against Congress and the army and navy, with broomsticks. The *men* tried that for four years with guns and failed—now Lee, the noblest Roman of them all—says peace, and a hearty compliance with the law, and we are sure that nine-tenths of those who wore the "grey" will be as ready to obey his injunction now as when he cried "onward" in the Valley.

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The bureau of statistics shows that the exported products of this country for the first quarter of the present year were valued at thirty-three million dollars, of which amount the Southern States furnished just twenty-two millions worth, or 70 per cent. of the National exports.

Gen. J. H. R. Taylor, Senator from Marshall county in this State, has addressed a letter to Gen. Ord and published in the Memphis Avalanche, asking for an order stopping civil proceedings for the collection of debts, a la Sickles.

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The citizens of Kentucky are about to present to the wife of Hon. John C. Breckinridge, a home within the borders of the State she loves so well, and which has showered so many honors upon her distinguished husband.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 22.—The steamer Santiago de Cuba has four feet of water in her hold. All have been safely landed except five passengers and two of the crew, who were drowned by the upsetting of a boat.

MONTREAL, May 22.—Mr. Davis arrived here to-day.

General Massey, alias Condon, is reported here in disguise and hiding from Fenian avengers.

Two suspicious persons arrived here from New York to-day. At first they were thought to be detectives, but they are now supposed to be Roberts' men on the trail of traitors.

TROY, May 22.—Special dispatches to the Herald say: Indications abound that a new and formidable Fenian invasion is being rapidly organized, and that a large body of troops will be concentrated on the frontier within a few weeks, with a view to the seizure of Canada.

LONDON, May 22.—Flood and Duffy, Fenians recently convicted, were to-day sentenced to imprisonment for life at hard labor.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The treasury agent reports that the City National Bank of New Orleans during the recent run, paid out $670,000 in two days. Its deposits were $670,000.

It is stated in high financial circles that the next monthly statement will show a slight increase of the public debt, owing to the payment of $33,000,000 interest, and light revenue receipts (only about $15,000 for the month.) Receipts for June will be heavier, as the income tax will then be due.

The statements of the probable meeting of Congress in July to meet the treasury difficulties are mere speculations. No treasury officer was suggested nor meeting expected, for such purpose, as the treasury will require no relief.

Those largely interested in the state of the firm of Frazer, Trenholm & Co., the Government has received no official advices of their suspension.

A telegram from Unionville, Nevada Territory, says there is great excitement there about rich gold discoveries in that section.

The Indians in Idaho are driving off the stock and shooting the settlers in all directions. The savages are generally well armed.

CINCINNATI, May 22.—Flour dull; family $14@15. Wheat firmer; No. 1 winter $2 25; No. 2 $2 07. Corn dull and unsettled; 80@81c. in bulk; sacked 92c.; car 75c. Oats dull at 73c. Cotton dull at 24c. for middling. Whisky unsettled at $2 23. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Pork $22 50. Lard 12½c.

ST. LOUIS, May 22.—Four weak and quotably unchanged. Wheat, prime fall $2 80@3; choice red $3 10@3 20. Corn dull and lower at $1 03@1 10. Oats firm at 91@83c. for prime and choice. Provisions dull and unchanged.

LOUISVILLE, May 22.—Sales of 200 hhds. tobacco at $2 50@3 25. Superfine flour $7 75@8 75. Wheat $2 85. Prime red corn dull; Shelled $1@1 02 delivered; Ear in bulk 39c. Mess pork $22 25. Bacon Shoulders 9c. Loose Clear Sides 12½c. packed. Raw whisky, free, $2 20. Prime Hay baled $21. Rye $1 70.

NEW ORLEANS, May 22.—Sales to-day 2,000 bales; market unsettled and easier; Low middlings 24½@25½. Sugar dull; Louisiana nominally 12c; choice 13½@13¾c.; Molasses, no sales and nominally 72c. Prime flour dull and depressed; superfine $12@12 25. Corn steady and firm; Mixed yellow $1 15@1 20; White $1 25@1 75½. Oats unchanged. Pork dull at $24 25@24 37½. Bacon in fair jobbing demand; shoulders 9½; rib 12½; clear sides 13½. Gold 137½.

LIVERPOOL, May 22.—Cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 11@11¾; sales 10,000 bales. Breadstuffs quiet. Corn closed with a declining tendency. Provisions quiet.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—All necessary rules and forms in bankruptcy have been adopted, and a manual of some four hundred pages has been prepared by Clinton Rice, Secretary of the Commission of Justices, by their order, and will be issued on Tuesday. No delay or difficulty is apprehended in putting the law in effect on the 1st of June.

All Registers have been nominated, and in case the District Judges do not confirm nominations, they are empowered to fill vacancies with suitable persons.

WATERTOWN, N. J., May 22.—Last night at one o'clock the steamer Wisconsin was burned, about three miles from Cape Vincent. Twenty-five to thirty lives lost.

CITY MARKET,

SANFORD BUILDINGS, MERIDIAN, MISS.

THE undersigned have opened a Market House in the basement building, for the sale of fresh beef, mutton, pork, &c., and hope by prompt attention to the wants of the community to secure a patronage that will enable them to always keep the finest quality of meet the country affords.

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A Grand Tournament, Coronation and Fancy Dress Ball,

Will be given at Meridian, Miss., on Thursday, June 15th, 1867.

THREE PRIZES IN GREENBACKS.

The first, $200; to be awarded to the Knight who obtains the greatest number of rings with the lance. The second, $100 The third, $50; awarded to the Knights taking the next highest number of rings with the lance.

The prize money will be placed in the hands of the judges and awarded on the field, when the sucee s of the tilting shall be announced.

A crown will accompany the first prize, and a wreath, each, with the second and third.

The Knight who wins the first prize shall be heralded "Ft. Royal Knight," and will have the honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty.

The Knight who wins the second prize, will crown the first Maid of Honor, and the Knight winning the third prize, will crown the second Maid of Honor. Married Knights, if successful, will turn over the crown or wreath to the bachelor Knight or Knights, next highest in rings.

RULES AND ORDER OF EXERCISE.

The tilting will be made with the lance Lance to be nine feet long.

The rings, three in number, each two and a half inches in diameter, will be suspended on a wire, which can be raised or lowered, to accommodate the height of the horse or rider.

Each Knight will be entitled to three tilts, and in case of unavoidable accidents, may repeat the ride, not to exceed three tilts—marshal's order. All ties to be decided upon the quickest time.

The circle will be two hundred and fifty yards in circumference. One hundred and fifteen yards to be made. Time—10 seconds.

All points of dispute growing out of the exercises to be referred to the judges, whose decision will be final.

Those desirous of entering the list must file their names in the Secretary by 10 o'clock, A.M., of the date of the exercises; if not named on the roll they will not be recog. nized, and will be entitled to three tilts.

Each Knight will appear in Knight's costume and character designated.

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Judge Wm. Yerger,.....Jackson, Miss.
Maj. Henry St. Paul,.....Mobile, Ala.
Col. J. L. Henderson,.....Meridian, Miss.
Genl. Wm. S. Patton,..... "
Col. J. J. Shannon,..... "
Genl. Wm. Barry,..... "
I. B. Payne, Esq..... "
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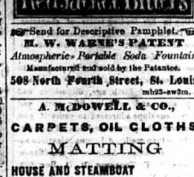

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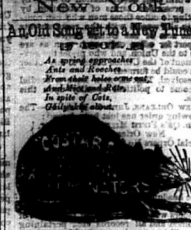

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The wherewithal to interest those wishing to subscribe to a cheap newspaper, will be found under the head of club rates.—We have revised and reduced our terms so as to put the Gazette within the reach of every one. We pledge a newspaper for every worthy subscription—filled with varied and interesting reading—and devoted to the interest of our section. Let our friends in the East stir themselves in getting up clubs and extending the circulation of our paper.

Notice to Correspondents.

"May," who sends us an acrostic and a piece of poetry on "Night," is informed that her communications is respectfully declined. If you wish to write anything for publication try prose. The verses you send are deficient in measure and do not indicate much genius for poetry.

"Long Ago," by E. S. will appear in our next.

We invite attention to the card of Smiths & Parsons, Vicksburg, and to the fact that they are now offering for sale three thousand sacks of corn, just received from St. Louis, by barge. There is no better firm in Vicksburg than Smiths & Parsons, and they sell at prices that defy competition.—They are agents for the Mississippi Valley Transportation Company at St. Louis, and receive weekly large shipments of corn, flour, &c., thus offering superior inducements to merchants. Our young friend, J. J. Hood, formerly of Scott County, is with this house, and will be glad to serve his friends. Besides J. A. Jones, of this city, well known to our merchants, is in their employment and will be pleased to see his many friends from this section, when they visit the Hill City. may30-6t

The great object of persons who have become debilitated and feel forewarned of disease, is a remedy. Many think that billousness is the cause, and use medicine which but feeds the disease. To all who feel thus, we suggest that they try a bottle of the Lung Tonic Bitters, which will invigorate the system and produce perfect health.

Smith & Alford.—The card of this house will be found in to-day's print.—The gentlemen composing the firm are known to everybody in the county, and understanding the wants of the people, have purchased with an eye to supplying them. Their goods are unexceptionable in quality, and are sold at moderate figures.

We call attention to the advertisement of the Cushing House, Cairo, by Shipley & Stiles. We spent a few days recently at this Hotel, and can recommend it to our friends who visit Cairo.

Thanks.—We are under obligation to Messrs. W. B. Rockwell & Co., Booksellers, Cairo, for late papers.

Messrs. Enterprising Friends, Messrs. Putnam & Madison, will accept our thanks for a copy of St. Tood'an, a most interesting periodical of St. Louis.

Grand Tournament, Coronation and Fancy Dress Ball.

It will be seen that the Meridian Tournament Club proposes to have a grand tournament and fancy dress ball in this city, on Thursday, the 13th of June.

Preparations are now making on a large scale and there is no doubt that it will be one of the most brilliant affairs that Meridian has ever been the scene of. The large assemblage that will be here from all parts of this State and Alabama will be addressed by Maj. H. St. Paul, the talented and eloquent editor of the Mobile Times and other distinguished speakers. Gen. Forrest is confidently expected here as one of the Judges. It will be noticed from the advertisement that three prizes in greenbacks are offered besides the knightly honor of crowning the queen of love and beauty.

The Knights will form in procession at Rusha's Stable at 10 o'clock P. M., and march through the principal streets.—Tilting will commence at 2 o'clock. The crowning will take place as soon as the tilting is over. A committee of young ladies will then be selected by the Judges, and invited to the stand, to designate the most graceful rider.

The ball comes off at the hall over Sherer's store, on Johnson Avenue.

Notices.

We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Ruddle & Co., found in another column of our paper, whose medicines command the patronage of all those who are afflicted.

We would call special attention to their Ague Tonic, a never failing remedy for Chills and Fever; a trial is all they ask.

Their Sarsaparilla for Eruptions of the Skin, Diseases of the Blood, &c., &c., is too well known to require any comment.

Dr. Seabrook's Soothing Syrup, the Children's Panacea and Mother's Friend, is, like the Ague Tonic, fully equal to any thing now in use, and defies all competition.

What! Ho!! Ye Dyspeptic!!! Ye who suffer with Indigestion, ye who need a gentle Stimulant, Tonic and Appetizer, take Hurley's Stomach Bitters. Bitters that are Bitters.

Oriental Pearl Drops, for beautifying the Complexion and giving a softness to the Skin, far excells anything of the kind known, and is free from all injurious ingredients. No ladys' toilet table is complete without it.

Bitterson's English Horse Liniment is one of the best Liniments now in use, as all who have used it for man or beast can testify.

For all Summer Complaints, Cramps, Colic, Cholera, &c., use the Extract of Jamaica Ginger, Prepared by James Ruddle & Co.

We deem it useless to say anything of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluid and Carmine Ink, for their reputation as the best made is known to all who use them; to such as have not used these links we recommend to give them a trial.

White, Lloyd & Co.—The advertisement of this enterprising house will be found elsewhere. Our energetic publisher is one of them are all natives of the State, and quiet unassuming gentlemen with whom it is a pleasure to deal. They keep a good supply of the "necessaries of life" always on hand, and are as moderate in their figures as the times will justify. They are also agents for a superior article of lime.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation from Capt. W. C. Dowd, and others, committee on invitation, to attend the examination of the Scotland High School, to be held at Carr Institute, Columbus, on the 4th July next. It would afford us pleasure to attend but for another engagement on that day.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

New Orleans, June 4.—Jacob Barker proposes to the Creditors of the Bank of Commerce to form a joint stock company with a capital of half a million to build houses and stores. The stock to be paid for in checks on the Bank of Commerce. He proposes to turn over to the company all real estate and personal property, as well as the assets of the Bank.

Washington, June 4.—The West Point Board of Visitors met to-day at the Hon. Francis Vinton, of New York, President, and E. H. Augemar, of Louisiana, Secretary.

The Radicals have carried this city by 2,500 majority, and have a majority in the City Council.

Mr. Davis will reside during the summer at Niagara, a beautiful little village, one of the oldest in Canada and New Ontario. A fine residence has been fitted up for his accommodation.

Attorney General Stanbury has returned from New York.

Gen. Sheridan's actions of yesterday, have produced a profound sensation in political circles.

It is confidently expected that the President, upon his return from Raleigh, will take the reins in his own hands.

It is stated that Gen. Durell has declined the Governorship of Louisiana.

Attorney General Stanbury is in receipt of many letters with petitions in regard to particular points—answers to which, in his opinion, he cannot lawfully give; but there are assurances that the supplemental opinion, based upon abstracts from State laws, will be prepared and promulgated in ample time to meet the issue.

Richmond, June 4.—Chief Justice Chase arrived here to-day, from Raleigh, N. C., to-morrow morning to preside at the session of the Circuit Court there.

Louisville, June 4.—An important race came off over the Woodlawn Race Course to-day—two mile heats for 4 year olds—won by Lee Paul. Time, 3.40 and 3.41—the first heat Stonewall came in second, Merrill third. In the second heat Merrill came in second and Stonewall third.

New Orleans, June 4.—General Sheridan's removal of Gov. Wells is favorably commented upon by the press. It is important to be favorably regarded by the majority of the people here.

Baker, the newly appointed street commissioner, is one of the registrars of the first district.

Toronto, C. W., June 4.—A fashionable wedding took place at St. Jude's Cathedral to-day. Miss Hincks, eldest of Sir Louis Rosellieau, was married to Hon. Benson, a Southern lady, who has resided here for some time. The church was densely crowded. Lord Dufferin, Governor Mason, Admiral Hardy, Col. Gray, and Mr. Davis, on being recognized, were heartily cheered. The service was performed by Bishop Cronyn.

New Orleans, June 4.—Gen. Sheridan's proclamation has given universal satisfaction. Speculators are disappointed and property holders are delighted. The Bulletin says: "Gen. Sheridan has given us a clear, concise and comprehensive order, and we hope to see the day when the order of Gen. Sheridan will be carried out in the spirit in which it was conceived."

A telegram from Galveston says: A letter from Matamoras, dated 31st ult., says that Gen. Escobedo has received orders from the Juarez government to march upon Monterey and capture Maximilian, if possible. The entire army of Maximilian, artillery, ammunition and wagons, is reported to be in the following are the chief prisoners: Maximilian, Miramon, Castillo, Casanave, Goyon, Mejia, Prince Salm Salm, Mexico and Almonte; the latter was captured in the street of the city while disguised as a woman. Gen. Meadow, alone missing. Over two hundred subaltern officers were also captured. Maximilian is reported by a private letter having been shot on the 15th. Maximilian had a severe attack of dysentery on the 10th, and it is said that Escobedo's was sent to him. Private correspondence from San Luis says he has recovered, and is expected in that city, and will probably cross over into the United States on his return to Austria.

Montgomery, June 4.—The Union Republican Convention met at noon to-day.

Judge Wm. H. Smith of Randolph was elected permanent President, with fourteen Vice Presidents—including L. S. Herry, of Mobile, and J. C. Bullock, Wm. B. Figures, and three others Secretaries.

A Committee of Thirteen on Resolutions and Platform was appointed.

A motion this morning to invite Judge Busteed to a seat in the Convention, was withdrawn, on account of the appointment of two colored delegates from Mobile, and a white delegate from Dallas county, the subject was renewed this afternoon, when a stormy debate occured; Griffin leading the negroes in opposition to giving Judge Busteed a hearing.

The whole afternoon session was occupied in this debate, and after counting, adjourned until to-morrow in great disorder.

Raleigh, N. C., June 5.—Chief Justice Chase arrived on the evening train. He was welcomed at the depot by a large concourse of white and colored citizens. The Mayor, on his arrival at the hotel, extended a cordial greeting with appropriate remarks, to which Chase responded, thanking him for his hospitality, and saying he was glad that the time had come when all stood equal in the light of the law, irrespective of color or previous condition. His speech was received with enthusiastic applause.

Charleston, June 5.—Considerable depression is felt in the commercial circles in consequence of Gen. Sickles interfering in municipal affairs. In the last two days city stock has fallen 5 per cent. per cent.

The Board of Trade has passed a resolution deprecating some of the provisions of Order No. 30 as injurious to the prosperity of the city and requesting the Governor to confer with Gen. Sickles in relation thereto.

A white man, recently committed to jail on the charge of attempted rape upon a little colored girl, hung himself last night.

Raleigh, N. C., June 5.—The State Executive Committee of the Holden wing Republican party held a meeting at the Standard office to-day, and invited the Republicans throughout the State to hold primary meetings in every county to select delegates to a general State Convention to assemble in this city on the first Wednesday in September next.

Chief Justice Chase is receiving members of the bar here in the city. He has attended a favorable impression and the utmost cordiality prevails.

New Orleans, June 5.—The Board of Levee Commissioners appointed by Gov. Wells, met to-day and perfected their organization, electing Rufus K. Stiles President; E. A. Augomar, Chief Engineer; N. C. Snethan, Secretary. The selections are satisfactory, and give general confidence, and assure the immediate rebuilding and repairing of the levees.

The military bill amendments are peace offerings and we should accept them as such and place ourselves in a position for starting point from which to meet future political issues as they arise."

Gov. Wells replies in a letter addressed to the President, protesting against his removal. Another, very caustic, was addressed to Gen. Sheridan. In this letter there is not a word of truth in the charge that he was impeding the execution of the Act of Con., res.

Washington, June 5.—The debt bearing coin interest has increased sixty-one millions four hundred and fifty-two thousand dollars; currency bearing has decreased forty-one million four hundred and twenty-three thousand; matured debt not presented has decreased two million two hundred and nineteen thousand; bearing no interest has increased three hundred and sixty-eight thousand; decrease of coin in the treasury, fifteen millions three hundred and ninety-two thousand; increase of currency, thirty-eight million eight hundred and twenty-seven thousand; total decrease of debt, five million one hundred and seventy thousand.

It is officially announced that the Treasury is prepared to redeem compound interest notes as they shall mature by the payment of the principal and interest on presentation to the Treasurer or either of the Assistant Treasurers at New York, Philadelphia or Boston.

Montgomery, June 5.—The Union Republican Convention of Alabama adjourned sine die, to-day, after a two-days's session. The proceedings of the first day were confined chiefly to completing organization. H. Smith, of Randolph county, formerly a Colonel in the Federal army, was elected President, with thirteen Vice Presidents and four Secretaries. Officers and committees were selected without distinction of color. Every committee were represented by about 170 delegates. To-day the Committee on Platform made the following report, which was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The loyal men of Alabama desire the earliest practicable restoration of the disturbed condition of the country; and whereas, we believe the establishment of justice is essential to that restoration, that patriotism should be exalted as a virtue, and that it is the duty of the States to punish all who oppose it; and whereas, those who assert these principles are throughout the Union called opprobrious names;

Resolved, That the Republican Union party of Alabama declares itself a part of and in alliance with the National Republican party of the Union, and is the constitutional friend of the Union of these States.

Resolved, That we endorse the action of Congress on the question of reconstruction, and pledge ourselves to carry out the same to its conclusion.

Resolved, That we will endeavor to secure by constitutional means the enforcement of the laws of the United States, and of this State, the equal rights of all men, and the full participation of the latter in all offices, also without distinction of color.

Resolved, That we are friends and advocates of free schools, and that free schools, and the most liberal provision by the State for the education of the children of the people thereof; and henceforward there is to be no distinction made between the intelligence and virtue of this State, and that the times will justify, the State will provide for all persons, without distinction on account of color or previous condition.

Resolved, That we discountenance all attempts to stir up strife and contention among the people, believing such a course to be in every way injurious to the welfare of the State.

Resolved, That those men who stood firm to the cause of the Union are entitled in that confidence which is the reward of patriotism, and fidelity in every land and every age.

Resolved, That we pledge our endeavors to the support of such men for office as will carry out the principles herein declared, and will be true to the interests of the people of the State, and to sustain a reliable and economical administration of affairs.

Resolved, That we recommend to the people of the State that they manifest a disposition to abide by the provisions of the Constitution, by electing to office those who will come cordially in all respects with the requirements of the Government of the United States, and to secure for the offices only such men as are true to the Union, and who prefer the government of the United States to any other that could be formed.

Resolved, That all men have a cordial welcome to political equality upon this basis.

New Orleans, June 6—10 A. M.—The following order has just appeared:

Hd. Qa's Fifth Military District,
New Orleans, June 6, 1867.

Special Orders No. 131.

I. In pursuance of the duty declined the assignment to command of the State of Louisiana conferred upon him in Special Orders No. 100, dated June 1, from these headquarters, Brevet Major General Philip H. Sheridan, U. S. Army, is hereby assigned to the command of the Fifth District, and will hereafter assume the duties of his office, and all records etc., pertaining to it will be turned over to him without delay.

By command of Maj. Gen. P. H. Sheridan,

Geo. L. Hartsuff, A. A. G.

New Orleans, June 6.—General Sheridan telegraphs as follows to General Grant regarding the progress of registration in Louisiana:

"Gen. Grant Commanding Armies U. S.—I have just received registration from seven of the parishes of this State; also the reports of the officers supervising, and can report you the greatest success. The best of feeling existing among the people.

P. H. Sheridan, Maj. Gen."

Washington, June 6.—The steamer sutter Lincoln, stationed on the Pacific coast, has been ordered to prepare for a permanent cruise off Russian America, to look after revenue, the Russian authorities have authorized its agents to admit American shipments properly manifested.

Admiral Farragut had an attack of vertigo yesterday. He is here arranging to take command of the Mediterranean squadron.

It is stated that Gen. Schofield's registration order meets with Stanton's and Grant's approval. Gen. Grant has forwarded a copy to Gen. Ord for his direction, not officially however.

Montana advises report an increased yield and shipments of gold over former years.

Thomas Little was arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the late Richmond bank robbery, and hanged by a mob at Warrensburg.

New York, June 6.—The Directors of the Western Union Telegraph Company, at a meeting held in this city on the 5th inst., unanimously resolved to accede to the provisions of the national telegraph law passed by Congress, and directed that the necessary notices be filed with the Postmaster General immediately. By this action the company will acquire the right to purchase the company's lines and property, at a valuation to be determined by commissioners chosen.

Cleveland, June 6.—A joint meeting of the executive committee and the trustees of the Merchant's Union Express Company is being held here, with a view of taking action on many matters connected with the welfare of the company and the adoption of efficient measures for the prosecution of its business.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 6.—L. C. Durant, late manager of the Union Pacific Railroad, has served an injunction against the further laying of the track. Extensive complications grow out of Durant's removal.

The citizens of Cottonwood have been ordered to remain at home to guard their houses. Six men were killed recently in the vicinity of the town.

Petersburg, June 6.—A convention of the chief Officers of all the important lines of railway in Virginia and North Carolina, fifteen delegates being present, met here to-day, and engaged in the dissension of a schedule by which the time between New York and New Orleans may be shortened. The session will probably be continued two days longer.

Cleveland, O., June 6.—In the State Episcopal Convention to-day the chief feature of interest was a letter from the Rev. Bedell, Episcopal Bishop of Ohio, now in Rome, taking strong law church ground, characterizing ritualism contrary to the spirit of the prayer book, and giving a strict adherence to the forms of worship prescribed therein. The letter was powerful one and was well received by the Convention.

Richmond, June 6.—The registration of voters is directed to be commenced in this city on the 17th inst., and to be continued one week.

E. A. Pollard has entered suit against W. James, Revenue Collector, for property in Washington, sold by confiscation and purchased by James.

Philadelphia, June 6.—A boiler explosion at 1020 Sansom street demolishing a five story building. Thirteen persons have been dug out; six dead and two died almost immediately.

Twelve others are supposed to be in the ruins.

Buffalo, June 6.—The Jury in the case of Prather, Wadsworth & Co., of Pittsburg, vs. the Cleveland, Pittsburg, Telegraph Company, to recover $10,000 damages for money obtained by a swindler upon a dispatch forwarded by the Western Union and the United States Telegraph Companies, returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs, allowing them $11,271.

Augusta, June 8.—Gen. Pope has issued the following order:

1. The interference of the Post Commander of Mobile with the newspapers of that city was unauthorized and is entirely disapproved. He will at once undo what ever action he has taken.

2. It is the duty of the military authorities in this district to accord to the people the utmost freedom of speech and press consistent with law, and see perfect this order. No satisfactory execution of the late acts of Congress is practicable unless this freedom is granted, and its exercise protected by the usual legal means.

3. No officer or soldier of this command will interfere in any manner with newspapers or speakers on any pretence whatever. If the conference is feared from these causes, the remedy is presentation to preserve the peace will be taken in the manner and through the channels Gen. Orders No. 25 from these headquarters.

4. Treasonable utterances are not legitimate subjects for newspaper discussions. But even in such cases, whatever action is taken must be by direct orders from these headquarters, and not by any subordinate authority.

Augusta, June 6.—A meeting of the citizens of Columbia, S. C., was held in Atlanta to form a Conservative Union. A preamble and resolutions were adopted denouncing the Sherman bill as infamous, and preferring military rule to organizing under its provisions.

The press of that city has no sympathy with the movement, and pronounce it illadvised and premature.

The feeling throughout Georgia is to submit and organize under the Military bill.

Hon. Joseph Henry of the Supreme Court of Georgia, died at Athens.

The wheat harvest has commenced. The yield promises to be very large. All the crops are looking finely and promise well.

Chapel Hill, N. C., June 6.—The President and party arrived here this afternoon. They were received by Governor Dr. Swain, of the University, who in the course of his remarks said, that in the republic of letters there should be no parties, and paid a high compliment to the honesty, integrity and administrative ability of the Executive.

President Johnson returned thanks for the manifestation of friendship, not only from the friends and admirers of the University, but by the large concourse of fellow citizens present.

Postmaster General Randall made a few remarks in response to a call.

The procession next proceeded to the University lake to witness the annual

SPECIAL NOTICES.

For Your Kidneys and Bladder.—Use an old and acknowledged combination for diseases of the Urinary Organs. If you will call on the agent of the "Great Southern Preparations," he will show you the recipe and medicine, known as Dr. Prongoole & Co's Extract Buchuy, Cubebs and Buchu, which is prepared in the south, and is the best medicine now before the public, for diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder. Large bottles only for sale.

Who Would Not Be Beautiful.—All may possess it clear, unadulterated cake of Chatellar's White Liquid Enamel. It is the most perfect article in use, for removing all impurities of the skin, and unlike all other cosmetics, contains nothing that will injure the cuticle; being vegetable, it is perfectly harmless. For sale, Wholesale and Retail, by Berger, Sievers & Co. Chemists, Troy, N. Y. See their advertisements in another column in this paper.

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Madame E. F. Thornton, the great English Astrologist, Clarvoyant and Psychometrican who has astonished the scientific classes of the Old World, has now located herself at Room 3, N. 4 Adams Street, where she possesses such wonderful powers of second sight, as to enable her to impart knowledge of the greatest importance to the single or married of either sex.—While in a state of trance, she delineates the very features of the person you are to marry, and by full advice on business, &c. This is no humbug, as thousands of testimonials can vouch

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Music on Piano	6 00
Use of Instrument	1 50
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Oriental	5 00
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In Oils	6 00
Drawing	3 00
Embroidery—Silk	5 00
French	5 00

The next session will commence on the first Monday in July, and continue five months. Parents desiring to send their children to this School, can rest assured that every effort will be made to render it pleasant and profitable to the pupils. Strict attention will be paid to the moral training of the pupils, and every effort made to render the School worthy the patronage of the public.

The Trustees have secured the services of Mrs. Landrum, widow of the late Rev. Leroy Landrum, as Matron. She is a lady of refinement and culture, and will have the entire supervision of the boarding department. Her rooms are large and well ventilated, and her table will be supplied with the best the market affords.

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In making this announcement, the Trustees beg leave to state that in addition to making this a permanent school, one of the first order, employing the services of the very highest class of teachers it has already and at many years' experience, gone before it, is in their opinion, furnishes sufficient guarantee to all who may express confidence in them, of the thorough and faithful manner in which their children will be taught. To test the merits of this school, they only ask call and liberal patronage and a fair trial.

E. V. REW,
Secretary.

marSO 1867.

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The Southern Asylum—Reasons why it should be Patronized.

There is no simpler transaction than that defined by the character of the Southern Asylum. The profits of the company are devoted to the endowment of an asylum for widows and orphans. Those profits consist in the difference between the time and cash valuation of land disposed of. To the former amount tickets are sold. In the first drawing it is the purpose of the company to pay all debts and make no profits; in other words, to make the tickets equal in face value to the cash valuation of property distributed. The company will thus demonstrate the practicability of its plans, so simple, that every reader seeks to find some mystery in this process of subdividing "plantations" into "farms." Then, too, it is the policy of the corporation to show how readily poor men may be enabled for a very small sum, Wherever twenty or thirty valuable prizes are distributed among ticket holders, and when the books of the company—open to the inspection of all—show that the value of prizes distributed is precisely equal to the amount of tickets sold, there will be no more doubt of the fairness of this lottery. Then, too, a great political and industrial good, is effected by the subdivision of estates among small farmers, and the attraction of white emigrants to the South. The good done by the Southern Asylum will soon be realized and its mode of distribution fully comprehended. It begins its work at home, and here would first win approbation and confidence. It has neither made professional parade of piety nor asserted any policy of unmanaged benevolence. The company has never denied its purpose to make money. Any sane man can understand how this is done when he reflects upon the multiplicity of business transactions that arise from world-wide advertising and resulting trades in real estate.

The charter of the company is perpetual. As good faith, now to be inspired, will be invaluable. Stockholders understand this quite as well as the public. Hence the employment of gentlemen, who have no interest in the profits of the company, to conduct the operations. Its managers are intermediate agents between the public and the stockholders.

We may add that the Lauderdale Springs Home of Destitute Widows and Orphans, which Abraham Lincoln was a benefactor, even when war raged, will probably be made the recipient of the beneficiaries of the Southern Asylum. This institution at Lauderdale Springs was originally founded by planters of Eastern Mississippi and then it was managed by the Baptists of Mississippi. These planters became so improverished that they are looking for further expenditures in behalf of the multitudes of poor women and children who appeal to them for aid. That paradise, which planters bought, with all the property has been transferred to the Asylum authorities. Governor Humphreys of Mississippi, is President of the Board of Trustees, and the eleemosynary institution is in charge of the State. If the Southern Asylum Land Company undertook the purchase of sits and the erection of buildings, hundreds would starve before any practical good could be achieved. Hence, if the trustees of Lauderdale Springs Charity will contract with the Board of Managers of the Southern Asylum, as they have agreed, those who buy tickets in the Land Lottery may rest assured that by no other process can they expend money which will give food and shelter to those more helpless and deserving. Northern people cannot object, since President Lincoln himself approved the beneficent institutions at the Southern Asylum would foster and the widows and orphans fed and clothed are those who lost everything by the exigencies of the war.

The seat of the institution to which the profits of the land lottery will be appropriated, is Lauderdale Springs, on the Mobile and Ohio railroad, twenty miles above Meridian, and near the Alabama line. There are now five hundred applicants for food and shelter and beneficiaries of the institution. It is enough that a woman or a child is helpless and impoverished. It matters not whence they come or what their history. Beneficiaries of the institution are extended alike to all people of all the States. A cotton factory is building hard by, in which the youths and women are to be employed. It is to this institution, now sadly in need of funds, that the profits of the Southern Asylum will be devoted.

Buy at least one ticket in the first drawing of the Southern Asylum. The buyer may be lucky enough to make some poor widow or half starved child will have reason to bless an unknown benefactor.—*Memphis Bulletin.*

We learn that the Choctaw Manufacturing Company, who, for some time, have been preparing to build the necessary houses about two miles from this place, let out the contract for the brick buildings, to a company from Selma, Ala., who have agreed to have them finished by the first of December next.—Enterprise Star.

A Union Convention will be held by the citizens of Tippah county, Miss., at Ripley, on the 29th May.

The following is a list of registers appointed in Mississippi up to date:

Warren County—J. A. Maltby, Alexes Myratt, C. E. Furlong.

Jefferson County—James E. Lusk, W. H. Gray, H. C. Rowley.

Hinds County—Edward Pickett, Joseph McCoy, H. T. Fisher.

Adams County—W. M. Sellers, T. F. Sears, James Dixon.

Madison County—A. Warren, Thomas Shackleford.

Monroe County—John Wilder, J. B. Woodmansee, Frank B. Tedford.

Attala County—J. M. Thompson, Oliver M. S. Simpson, C. H. Sessions.

Lowndes County—Eugene Hendricks, P. B. Kennedy, Jr., Leon. S. Powell.

Clarke county—Benjamin S. Jackson, C. W. Chisham, E. W. Evans.

Yazoo county—S. Gallagher, L. M. Lockett.

Carroll—W. Bunnell.

Harrison county—J. W. Weeks, Reuben E. L. Slaughter.

Wayne County—W. H. Robson, F. W. Logue, Wm. Brown.

Rankin county—John Lee, J. Frederick, B. M. Smith.

Hancock county—J. F. H. Claiborne, Dallas G. Beall, Earl K. Brooks.

Scott county—J. Turnbull, John G. Owen, A. C. Pitts.

Marion county—J. R. Crosby, John Hudson, George Knowlton.

Jackson county—Caleb Lindley, G. H. Nixon, Benjamin A. Steelman.

Claiborne county—Samuel Mellican, G. H. Fisher, O. M. Dick.

Lafayette county—Frank A. Ware, W. C. Falkner, M. B. Tuttle.

Jasper county—Francis E. Adams, Elijah Barnes, Reuben D. Lee.

Lowndes county—T. Smith, Joshua Sessions, George T. Holman.

Simpson county—Alexander McLaurin, G. G. Power, Phil. Raymond.

Kemper county—W. S. Gamble, A. Key, Jack Mathews.

Claiborne county—R. A. Murdock, L. H. Hall, Robert Bullen.

Tunnah county—J. V. Thomas, Benjamin Flood, R. Schemper.

Marshall county—R. C. Catlin, Wm. Weston, Charles H. Townsend.

Tishomingo county—Frank A. Owen, Andrew Cuffle, W. W. Mitchell.

Wayne county—S. B. Carlisle, W. L. Jarvis, Thomas Caldwell.

Tishomingo county—William Walker, A. W. Patterson, Joshua Webster.

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HEADQUARTERS MILITARY DISTRICT,
Mississippi and Arkansas,
Vicksburg, Miss., May 25th, 1867.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 9.

The Commanding General calls the attention of post commanders to the prevalence of the crime of horse-stealing in certain sections of this State, and considering the Military District to an extent materially obnoxious to the interests of peace, order and valuable property owners.

Such communities are authorized and directed to exert their utmost efforts to break up the nefarious trade in the secret associations existing under the pretense of a commutated and under command of a commissioned officer when proof can be had to dispatched after the offenders, formed with competent guides and if pursued to capture if possible. It will be their duty to hold for trial by Military Commission, and a report of the facts of every case sent at once to the Headquarters for further instructions.

In all cases of this class, arrested by the civil authorities, will be immediately turned over to the nearest commander, who will cause the trial to be had in strict accordance with the rules and regulations directed in the preceding clause.

In all cases no pains will be spared to secure evidence necessary for conviction. When the perpetrators are ordered to be sent for murder proof for trial, the witnesses will be sent with them, or if he deems it unsafe to do so, transmit to send the parole testimony, the requisite affidavits in due form must be forwarded with the prisoners.

The civil authorities in the District will not consider the foregoing as in any way intended to relieve them from the responsibilities of their official positions, but on the contrary, it should urge them to increased vigilance, and in case of riots, in the aid thus rendered, an acknowledgment will may possibly be done away with.

The civil authorities in the District, which do desire the speedy restoration of good order and the enjoyment of perfect security invited to co-operate with the military commanders in this matter by giving their explicit instructions according, as public feeling dictates of persons in their districts against whom there is evidence of such crimes as may warrant the commission of horse-thieves, and generally by such action as the particular circumstances of each case may seem to require, to secure their hearty good will in the work.

Military Commissions will be ordered from and their proceedings reviewed at these Headquarters. In other respects the execution of this General order is devolved upon the Sub-District Commanders.

By command of BREVET MAJOR GENERAL A. C. ORD.

O. D. GREENE,
Assistant Adjutant General.

Official: Jno. TYLER, Brevet Major and 1st Lieut. 33d U. S. Infantry,
Actg. Asst. Adj't. Gen'l.

The Enterprise Star learns that a son of Mr. Barnett Pendleton, living at Claiborne in Jasper county, was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun, in the hands of one of his playmates, Albert Donald, son of Squire Donald.

The same paper also records the murder of one negro boy by another. It says: About 9 o'clock last Friday night, two freedmen, Tony Clark and George Robertson, were playing around the track of the M. & O. R. R., in the southern part of town. Some misunderstanding about the game arose, which resulted first in abusive language, and finally in fisticuffing with a pistol of Tony Clark by Geo. Robertson through the heart, which caused instant death.

The Friar's Point Coahomian says that in a terrible affray on Mr. T. J. Jackson's plantation in that county, last Wednesday, Leo Turner killed a man named McCloud. McCloud attacked Turner with a large cane knife, when the latter killed him with a handspike.

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Published on Thursday & Sunday by

J. GIBSON.

J. J. SHANNON.....Editor

MERIDIAN, MISS.

Thursday - May 20, 1867

A meeting of the Directory of the Meridian & Chattanooga Railroad (N. E. & S. W.) was to have been held at Enton on Tuesday, for the transaction of important business.

The newly appointed Military Mayor of Mobile, has been petitioned to appoint half the policemen from the colored ranks.

Idaho has been destroyed by fire. Main Street burned from Bears' Run to Moore's Creek, including the office of Wells, Fargo & Co.

SUICIDE OR PAREMAN.—John M. Parkman, the defaulting President of the First National Bank of Selma, who was confined in Cahaba jail, escaped on the 23d, plunged into the river and drowned himself.

ISSUE OF SUPPLIES.—Gen. Gillem, Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau, for the State of Mississippi, has ordered the issue of four thousand two hundred and fifty sacks of corn, and sixty thousand pounds of pork to the destitute people of this State.

TICKETS FOR THE SOUTHERN ASYLUM LOTTERY.—Valuable city and country property to be drawn, at Hernando, Miss., June 18th. Tickets five dollars. Send by mail, or call on

SHANNON & ARMSTRONG.
Gazette Office.
Meridian.

Inducements of a character not to be disregarded, have influenced the editor of the Jackson Mississippian to unite its interests with the destinies of the Vicksburg Herald. The names of the two journals, as well as their interests, will be continued. The editorial department will be controlled by the editor of the Mississippian.

The Opinion of the Attorney-General.

The importance of this document, and its great length, have caused us to publish it in a supplement, to the exclusion of much that would otherwise have appeared in this number. We have not space at present to give anything like a summary of the many points to which he refers; the opinion is able, his reasoning is logical and the whole document is characterized by a justice and fairness that will be gratifying to the Southern people who have so great an interest in this important decision. While there is some doubt still as to whether some few classes of officers are disfranchised, and we are promised, that hereafter a table will be prepared giving lists of such as are affected by the bill, the opinion is sufficiently plain as to most cases.

The rule of construction is to be in favor of the voter, and all not clearly excluded have the right to register and vote.

Another most important question on which the opinion is very clear is that *the Board of Registers have no discretion* in accepting or rejecting those who offer to take the oath. Their duty consists simply in administering the oath and registering the voter. They have no power to inquire as to whether the person is qualified or not. If he swears falsely he may be indicted for perjury in a court of competent jurisdiction, but the Board of Registers have nothing to do with it, if he offers to take the oath and be registered; they must administer it, and register the applicant even if they know he is not eligible under the law.

THE Board of Registration for the county of Lauderdale, for the purpose of registering voters under the first section of the act of Congress supplementary to an act entitled an "Act to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States," passed March 2d, 1867, will enter upon the discharge of their duties, we understand, at an early day. The Board, as our readers are aware, is composed of Wm. Cathey, Alpin Sloan and D. A. Smalley. Messrs. Cathey and Sloan are old citizens of the county and have the confidence and good will of everybody. Mr. Smalley is a comparative stranger in the county—was an officer in the Federal army—but has gained the esteem and respect of every one with whom he has had any dealings. He accepted the position at the request of a number of our citizens, and we are confident will discharge the duties pertaining thereto impartially and "without fear or favor." Although we differ with him in politics, we have found him a gentleman and a social host.

Gerrit Smith and Greeley on the Stump.

Two prominent pillars of the Republican party in the North—two really honest philanthropists who figure in politics—Horace Greeley and Gerrit Smith—have been making speeches to the subjugated whites and emancipated blacks of Richmond, Va. The speeches are characterized for mildness and impartiality (though some things said are bad in logic), and we believe will do some good North and South. Mr. Greeley believed the time for peace had come—that one year from the date of Lee's surrender should have seen the restoration of peace. He warned the riotous blacks that they must disabuse their minds of the idea that the lands of their former masters were to be confiscated for their benefit, and that they will find it to their advantage to settle down to habits of industry. Mr. Greeley said Mr. Stevens was the only "confiscation" member of Congress that he knew, and then referred to the hundreds of millions of acres of good lands in the Southern and other States which were offered to every man for the mere cost of drawing up the title deed, and he asked the colored people if they believed it would be becoming on their part to seek to get slices off their neighbors' lands rather than seeking for the public lands as he had proposed. Mr. Smith did not spare the South for its sins and follies, for bringing on the war, or for attempting, in some cases, to run away from the restoration terms of Congress; but he blamed the North also for its share in bringing on the troubles and for its want of magnanimity.

It is a good sign to see Greeley and Smith doing something to counteract the effect of some of their own teachings. It is an indication that the war spirit of might is cooling down, and that order and justice will yet assume its wanted sway. We should be glad to see Greeley and Smith take a tour through the Southern States and meet upon the stump the Kelly stamp of wrangling fanatics who would roll the waves of anarchy mountain high.

We find the following notice of John P. Morton & Co's school books, and Professor Towne's Primary Arithmetic in one of our Louisville exchanges. We fully concur in what the writer says as to the value of the books, and hope they may be adopted generally in our schools:

JOHN P. MORTON & CO'S SCHOOL BOOKS—TOWNE'S PRIMARY ARITHMETIC.—We have received from John P. Morton & Co. a catalogue of the school-books published by that enterprising house, the only Southern house, by the way, engaged in the publication of school-books. The series embraced in the catalogue is complete, while the accompanying recommendations are strong and almost endless, coming from the leading educators in all quarters of the South. In our opinion, these testimonials are richly deserved. The series is indeed everything it should be. In excellence of style, in charm of thought, in purity and elevation of tone, in justness of method, in force of exposition, in general adaptability, and in every other appropriate quality, the members of this series are unsurpassed if not unequalled. Certainly no better series is now published. If our authority is worth anything we cheerfully fling it into the scale already weighed down by with so many of the highest and brightest names in the land.

The mathematical section of this series is prepared or is in course of preparation by Professor Towne, formerly Principal of the Barton Academy in Mobile, and one of the most skilful, thorough and successful teachers in the whole country. Professor Towne, are now in use, the test of which they abide triumphantly, all who have used or critically examined them attesting their excellence in the warmest terms. The accomplished author, as we are pleased to see, has just completed the Primary Arithmetic of the series, a copy of which we have received in advance of publication. The work is surely a masterpiece of the kind. Never did the learner begin at the foot of the hill of mathematics by a smoother or gentler ascent. The grade is one of the very lightest known to educational engineering. The feeblest and most timid of learners will find it by a way of pleasantness. He will scale the rugged steep almost without knowing it. We hazard nothing in predicting that the Primary arithmetic will become as speedily favorite wherever it is known. And it will soon be universally known.

A LIBERAL BRIDEGROOM.—The Columbus (Miss.) Index is responsible for the following:

We heard a good joke on one of our most popular preachers the other day. He will pardon us the liberty taken, as such instances of human liberality should not go unrecorded in these times of selfishness.

An old bachelor applied to him to tie the knot matrimonial between himself and an old girl of an approximate age. The bridegroom was a clever fellow in his way, but inordinately stingy, and with no more sentiment than a pig, or poetry than a turnip. The ceremony through, the crusty bridegroom bethought him of the usual question that bones from the happy man's lips, and asked in his usual way, "what is to pay?" Our minister replied that usually the matter was optionary with the bridegroom—whatever he thought right, &c. That sometimes it depended on the intensity of the bridegroom's love for his bride, or of his love for the preacher, &c. That sometimes it depended on the liberality of the bridegroom, and sometimes on the amount of the bride's fortune, &c. Whereupon the bridegroom pulled out a ten dollar bill, and handed it to the preacher, saying, "I reckon that will be about right, sir. That sometimes it depended on the liberality of the bridegroom, and sometimes on the amount of the bride's fortune, &c. Whereupon the bridegroom pulled out a ten dollar bill, and handed it to the preacher, saying, "I reckon that will be about right, sir. That is liberality with a vengeance.

—Telegraphic Summary.

Official information was received in Washington on the 27th inst. of the surrender of Queretaro, and the capture by the Liberals of Maximilian, Mejia, Castelz and Miramon.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—John Surratt was brought into the criminal court today to be tried for murder and conspiracy to kill President Lincoln. His brother Isaac had been brought there from Canada was in the court room. The defense was ready for trial, but the United States was not. Four or five important witnesses were absent.

CHARLESTON, May 20.—Two negroes, William Hugey and John F. Stewart, charged with stoning the cars in a street car riot in Charleston, and afterwards resisting the police in the discharge of their duty, have been sent by General Sickles before a military commission for trial.

LONDON, May 23.—Notwithstanding the declaration to the contrary, it is thought the Government will not carry into execution the death sentence of the Fenian prisoners.

Mr. J. P. Dement, Jr., has started a neat and interesting little paper at Forest, called the Register. Forest is one of the most promising stations on the line of the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad, and will, we think, sustain a paper handsomely.

We learn that within the last two weeks, two steam saw mills have been burned in this county, to-wit: That of James R. Ainsworth, in the Pine Ridge neighborhood, and that of Judge Bridewell and brother, six miles south of Hazlehurst, on the railroad. It is believed that both were fired by incendiaries.—Hazlehurst Copiahan.

FINANCIAL.—The Mobile Times, of Tuesday, says:

News of a most cheering character has reached our city. Mobile merchants and Mobile bankers are "all right."

In addition, we may add that nearly two hundred and fifty thousand dollars were yesterday received by our banks, having arrived by express, and that, although they were not in need of it to meet their obligations, this welcome increase to their cash resources strengthens them against even the remotest possibility of any temporary embarrassment.

Mobile will this year, as in 1857, maintain her high financial character and give the country another example of what prudence, combined with ability, can accomplish.

Secretary McCulloch completely negatives the Radical intimations that financial matters would necessitate a meeting of Congress in July. He says, in his opinion, the Treasury can get along easily till December. The maturity indebtedness of the United States is being converted at the rate of one million per day, and there is no reason to doubt but that the first series of 7-30's and early compound notes will all be converted by the end of the fiscal year.

A difficulty occurred in Mobile the other day between Mr. Perryman, of the firm of Perryman, Roberts & Co., and Mr. Hall of the firm of Jewett, Hall & Co., of St. Louis, which resulted in the shooting of Mr. Hall in the back, inflicting it is thought, a mortal wound. Mr. Perryman has been bonded in the sum of $5,000.

Mr. Hall has since died.

STARVATION IN MISSISSIPPI.—The last number of the Kosciusko Chronicle, announces the actual starvation of two persons in Leake County. It seems that a family of ten persons had been living for several days upon sassafras blossoms, roots and barks, in the absence of proper food, and disease and death ensued. As soon as the condition of the family was known, the neighbors came forward, and by contributions saved the remaining portion of the family from a similar fate.

We regret to learn that on Tuesday night last, the residence of Col. M. Mimms, living near Choctaw Agency, was burned through the carelessness of a servant-girl in replenishing a kerosene lamp. The furniture was saved. It would not be out of place for all persons using kerosene lamps to be a little careful. —Louisville (Miss.) Bulletin, 18th.

OBITUARY.

With pain and regret we are called upon to announce the death of George W. Carpenter. He died with hemmorage of the lungs at his Mother's residence, near the Somsuba, May 20th, 1867, aged 30 years, 2 months, 10 days.

The state of his health from childhood, has been a source of great solicitude to his friends—having been afflicted from his infancy, and enhanced suffering more or less he was relieved by death. The closing scene of his suffering was intense, and could he have received medical attention in due time, his suffering might have been relieved, and his life prolonged as a stay and comfort to his friends. The physician reached him Monday evening. His friends were not apprehensive that his exit from earth was at hand; but, in two hours after the administration of the first dose of medicine, he was a corpse. He lingered only three days, when his spirit took its exit, and we trust that he has been healed by the great Physician above, and made whole through the atoneing blood of Jesus. Since the death of his father, at the beginning of the war, he has been the stay and comfort of a widowed mother and two sisters, who now mourn his loss—together with a large acquaintance of relatives and friends. His last words were, while he pressed his mother's hand, "Mother, what will you do without me?"

While pity prompts the sorrowing sigh,
Oh! may this truth, O Lord, be nigh,
That thou hast taken him away
In mercy, not in wrath, we pray.

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The first, $200; to be awarded to the Knight who obtains the greatest number of rings with the lance. The second, $100 The third, $50; awarded to the Knights taking the next highest number of rings with the lance.

The prize money will be placed in the hands of the judges and awarded on the field, when the ounce s of the tilting shall be announced

A crown will accompany the first prize, and a wreath, each, with the second and third.

The Knight who wins the first prize shall be heralded "Ht. Royal Knight," and will have the honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty.

The Knight who wins the second prize, will crown the first Maid of Honor, and the Knight who wins the third prize, will crown the second Maid of Honor. Married Knights, if successful, will turn over the crown or wreath to the bachelor Knight or Knights, next highest in rings.

RULES AND ORDER OF EXERCISE.

The tilting will be made with the lance, Lance to be nine feet long.

The rings, three in number, each two and a half inches in diameter, will be suspended on a cross, which can be raised or lowered to accommodate the height of the horse or rider.

Each Knight will be entitled to three tilts, and in case of unavoidable accidents, may renew the ride, not to exceed three tilts—maximum six. All ties to be decided upon the quickest time.

The circle will be two hundred and fifty yards in circumference. One hundred and fifteen yards to be made. Time—10 seconds. All points of dispute growing out of the exercises to be referred to the judges, whose decision will be final.

Those desirous of entering the list must give their names to the Secretary by 10 o'clock, A. M., of the date of the exercises; if not named on the roll they will not be recognised as real and true Knights, and be forbidden the lists by the Marshal.

Each Knight will appear in Knight's costume and character designated.

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Judge Wm. Yerger,.....Jackson, Miss.
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GAZETTE

LOCAL MARKET.

Store Prices of Articles at Meridian, Miss.

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MERIDIAN GAZETTE OFFICE,
May 18, 1867.

Axes—Collins		$1 75	@—2 00
Reynolds		$ 2 00	@—
Bagging—Ky.	₱ yd.	40	@ 36
India	₱ yd.	35	@—
Bacon—Hams	₱ lb.	20	@ 18
Sug. cured	₱ lb.	21½	@—
Country sds.	₱ lb.	15	@—
West. cl. "	₱ lb.	14	@ 15
" rib "	₱ lb.	13	@ 14
Shoulders	₱ lb.	14½	@—
Beer—on foot	₱ lb.	5	@ 6
Corn fed	₱ lb.	7	@ 8
Butter—Gosh.	₱ lb.	50	@—
Western	₱ lb.	40	@—
Brooms	₱ each	50	@ 75
Buckets	₱ each	50	@ 75
Cotton—Mid.	₱ lb.	21	@ 24
Castings	₱ lb.	10	@—
Corn	₱ bu.	$1 65	@ 1 70
Coffee	₱ lb.	28½	@ 30
Chickens	₱ doz.	$4	@ $5 00
Eggs	₱ doz.	25	@ 30
Flour—Ch. f.	₱ bbl.	$18 00	@— 19
Double ex.	₱ bbl.	$16 00	@—
Superfine f.	₱ bbl.	$14 00	@ 15 00
Lard	₱ lb.	10	@ 12½
Molasses—La.	₱ gal.	90	@ 1 25
Syrup	₱ gal.	$ 1 75	@—
Mackerel	₱ bbl.	$3 64	@—
Kits	₱ bbl.	$3 64	@ 4 00
Nails	₱ lb.	10	@ 12½
Oil—Linseed	₱ gal.	$ 2 25	@—
Pork—On foot	₱ lb	10	@ 12½
Powder	₱ lb.	75	@—
Putty	₱ lb.	20	@—
Rice	₱ lb.	15	@—
Potatoes—Irish	₱ bbl.	6 00	@ 8 00
Sweet	₱ bu.	75	@ 1 25
Salt	₱ sck	$ 3 00	@—
Sugar—Crush	₱ lb.	25	@—
Louisiana	₱ lb.	14	@ 18
Clarified	₱ lb.	20	@—
Loaf	₱ lb.	30	@ 28
Shot—Drop	₱ lb.	20	@—
Buck	₱ lb.	20	@—
Tobacco—Ch.	₱ lb.	$ 1 00	@ 1 50
Common	₱ lb.	$ 75	@ 1 00
White Lead	₱ kg.	$15 00	@—

The following treason cases have been ordered dismissed by the United States District Courts at Memphis, upon the payment of costs by the defendants: Gideon J. Pillow, D. C. Adkins, R. V. Richardson, Jesse Forrest, John B. Crose, Reuben Barrow, Jr., A. C. Wurzbach, Capt. F. A. Cole, J. Perry.

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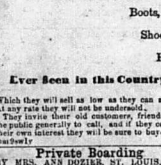

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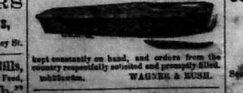

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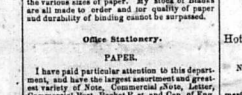

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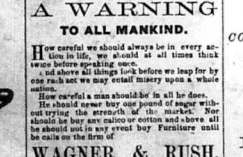

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That we fix one hundred and fifteen be assessed if by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the following: That the taxes on manufactures, and on sales, be assessed on the first day of March, and be due and payable on or before the thirtieth day of April, in every year, and in and during the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two no longer; and in any such case such assessment shall be made after the thirtieth of April, enforce collection thereof by the collector, shall be levied in addition thereto the same five per centum on the amount of taxes unpaid, and interest at the rate of one per centum per month upon said tax from the time the same became due as a penalty, except from estates of deceased persons, or insolvent persons: Provided, That the tax on incomes for the year eighteen hundred and sixty-six shall be levied on the day this takes effect.

That section one hundred and twenty-three be amended by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the following: That there shall be levied, collected, and paid on all salaries of officers, or payments for services to persons in the civil, military, naval, or other employment or service of the United States, including senators and representatives and delegates in Congress, when exceeding the rate of one thousand dollars per annum, a tax of five per centum on the excess above the said one thousand dollars; and it shall be the duty of all paymasters and all disbursing officers, under this government of the United States, or persons in the employ thereof, when making any payment to any officers or persons as aforesaid, whose compensation is determined by a fixed salary, or upon settling or adjusting the accounts of such officers or persons to deduct and withhold the aforesaid tax of five per centum; and the pay-roll, receipts, or accounts of officers or persons paying such tax as above said shall be made to exhibit the fact of such payment. And it shall be the duty of the accounting officers of the Treasury Department, when auditing the accounts of any paymaster or disbursing officer, or any officer without his salary from moneys received by him, or when settling or adjusting the accounts of such officer, to require evidence that the taxes mentioned in this section have been duly paid and paid over to the Treasurer of the United States, or other officer authorized to receive the same: Provided, That payments of prize money shall be regarded as income from salaries, and the tax thereon shall be assessed and collected in like manner: Provided further, That this section shall not apply to payments made to mechanics or laborers employed upon public works and ground further, That in case it should become necessary for showing the true receipts of the government under the provisions of this section upon the books of the Treasury Department, the requisite amount may be carried from unappropriated moneys in the Treasury to the credit of said account; and this section shall take effect upon salary and compensation for the month of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Sec. 14. And be it further enacted, That there shall be levied, collected, and paid on all distilled spirits, upon which no tax has been paid according to law, a tax of two dollars upon each and every proof gallon, to be paid by the distiller, owner, or any person having possession thereof, and every proprietor and possessor of a still, distillery or distilling apparatus shall be responsible and liable for the taxes imposed by law upon the spirits distilled therein, and the tax shall be a lien upon the spirits distilled, on the distillery used for distilling the same, with the stills, vessels, fixtures, and tools therein, and on the lot or parcel of land, whereon the said distillery is situated, together with any building thereon, from the time said spirits are distilled until the said tax shall be paid: Provided, That the tax upon any spirits distilled and removed from the place where the same were distilled, and deposited in bonded warehouses as required by law, shall, at any time, upon knowledge of such fact obtained by the assessor or assistant assessor of the district where such spirits were distilled, be assessed by him upon the distiller of the same, and be refunded or remitted to the collector, who shall immediately demand payment of such tax, first upon the neglect or refusal of payment by the distiller, shall proceed to collect the same by distraint. But this provision shall not exclude any other remedy or proceeding provided by law: Provided further, That the tax on all spirits shall be collected at no lower rate than the basis of first proof, and shall be increased in proportion for any greater strength than the strength of first proof.

Sec. 15. And be it further enacted, That proof spirit shall be held and taken to be that alcoholic liquor which contains one-half its volume of alcohol of a specific gravity of seven thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine (7936) ten thousandths at sixty degrees Fahrenheit, and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to adopt, prescribe, and prescribe for use such hydrometers, weighing and gauging instruments, meters, or other means for ascertaining the strength and quality of spirits subject to tax, or for the prevention or detection of frauds by distillers of spirits, and to prescribe such rules and regulations as he may deem necessary to insure a uniform and correct system of inspection, weighing, and gauging of spirits subject to tax throughout the United States. And whenever the Secretary of the Treasury shall adopt and prescribe for use any meter or meters, it shall be the duty of every owner, agent, or superintendent of a distillery to make application to the collector of his district for such meter or meters, to be used in his distillery, and the same shall be furnished and attached to the distillery by the collector of the district, whose duty it shall be to furnish all the pipes, materials, labor, and facilities necessary to complete such attachment in accordance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, who is hereby further authorized to order and require such changes of or additions to distilling apparatus, connecting pipes, pumps, or cisterns, or any machinery connected with or used in or on the distillery premises, or may require to be put on any of the stills, tubs, cisterns, pipes, or other vessels, such fastenings, locks, or seals, as he may deem necessary. And in all sales of spirits hereafter made, where not otherwise specially agreed, a gallon shall be taken to be a gallon of first proof, according to the foregoing standard set forth and declared for the inspection and gauging of spirits throughout the United States.

Sec. 16. And be it further enacted, that every person, firm, or corporation, who distills or manufactures spirits or alcohol, or who treats or makes mash, wort, or wash, for distillation or the production of spirits, shall be deemed a distiller, and the making or keeping by any person of grain, mash, wash, wort, or beer, prepared or fit for distillation, together with the possession of such grains of a still or other apparatus capable of use for distilling upon the same premises, shall be deemed and taken as a presumption of evidence that such person is a distiller.

Sec. 17. And be it further enacted, That hereafter all distilled spirits, before being removed from the distillery, shall be inspected and gauged by a general inspector of spirits, who shall mark the barrels or packages in the manner required by law; and so much of the act approved July 28, 1866, chapter two hundred and sixty-six, as requires the appointment of an inspector for each distillery established according to law is hereby repealed: Provided, that all such other duties as have heretofore been imposed upon inspectors of distilleries may be performed by such other [illegible] appointed officers as may be designated by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Sec. 18. And be it further enacted, That whenever, in the judgment of the collector, there shall be a general bonded warehouse so located as to be conveniently accessible to a distillery, and in the same collection district, the said collector shall direct all spirits which may be removed in the bonded vehicles attached to such distillery to be transferred directly to a general bonded warehouse; and all spirits thereafter produced in such distillery shall be removed to a general bonded warehouse, within the time and in the manner hereinbefore required for the removal to the bonded warehouse attached to the distillery.

Sec. 19. And be it further enacted, That no spirits shall be removed in any cask or package containing more than ten gallons from any general bonded warehousing in which the same may have been distilled, redistilled, rectified, or manufactured, nor from any distillery of less age, at any other times than after sunrising and sun-setting, on pain of forfeiture of such spirits, and every person who shall violate this provision shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred dollars for each cask, barrel or package of spirits removed. Any officer of Internal Revenue may be specially authorized by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to issue any passport which may by law be subject to seizure, and for what purpose said officer shall have all the power conferred by law upon collectors of internal revenue, and such special authority shall be limited in respect of time, place, and kind or class of property as the said Commissioner may specify.

Sec. 20. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for any internal revenue officer to seize and detain any barrels, casks, or packages containing, or supposed to contain, distilled spirits, when such officer has reason to believe that the tax imposed by law upon the same has not been paid, or that they are being removed in violation of law, and such packages may be detained by such officer in a safe place until it can be satisfactorily ascertained by the proper officers whether the articles so seized are liable to be proceeded against for violation of the internal revenue laws.

Sec. 21. And be it further enacted, That whenever any distilled spirits so found elsewhere than in a bonded warehouse shall be sold or offered for sale at a less price than the tax imposed by law thereon, such selling or offering for sale as aforesaid shall be taken and deemed as prima facie evidence that said spirits have not been removed from a bonded warehouse according to the law, and that the tax imposed by law on the same has not been paid, and the said spirits without further evidence be liable to seizure and forfeiture: Provided, That this section shall not apply to spirits sold at auction by an auctioneer who has paid the special tax as such under such rules and regulations, and upon such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, nor to sales made by judicial or executive officers under the order or decree of any court.

Sec. 22. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of every person, who empires or carts any goods, wares, or other article subject by law to tax, from a cask, barrel, or package, bearing any of the marks or brands required by law, or marks intended for or purporting to be, or designed to have the effect of such marks, immediately upon such cask, barrel, or package being removed, to efface and obliterate said marks or brands; and any person who shall violate this provision shall be liable to a penalty of ten dollars for each offence, and any such cask, barrel, or package, from which said marks or brands shall be and obliterated as herein required, shall be liable to forfeiture, and may be seized by any officer of internal revenue wherever found.

Sec. 23. And be it further enacted, That in case any bond under which any distilled spirits shall have been withdrawn from a bonded warehouse be forfeited by failure to furnish or produce at the proper time the evidence required by law or regulation that the articles named in the bond were duly received and actually stored in the bonded warehouse or district to which they were destined, or by other breach of the obligation, the obligors in the bond shall pay the total amount of duties upon the articles removed under the bond, with a penalty of fifty per centum upon that amount, and the collector of the district in which such bond is to be given may proceed with distrain from any property, real or personal, subject to distraint or seizure, belonging to said obligors; and in case no such property can be found, the collector shall immediately forward the bond to the United States district attorney for the proper district for suit, and notice of the breach of the obligation of any such bond shall be forthwith forwarded by the collector of the district to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Sec. 24. And be it further enacted, That the forty-fourth section of the act of July thirteen, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, approved July twenty, be amending thereto as follows: Provided, That when any still used, or fit for use in the production of distilled spirits, shall be not exceeding one thousand dollars in value, has been or shall be seized for any violation of the laws relating to internal revenue, the same shall not be released by the court to the claimant, or any other intervening party, before judgment; and if declared forfeited, such still shall be so destroyed as to prevent its use for the purpose aforesaid, and the materials thereof shall be sold as other forfeited property. In case of seizure, as above, of a still exceeding in value the sum of one thousand dollars, its release to the claimant or any other intervening party, before judgment, shall be at the discretion of the court.

Sec. 25. And be it further enacted, That the owner, agent, or superintendent of any still, boiler, or other vessel used in the distillation of spirits, who shall neglect or refuse to render true and exact entry and report of the same, to do or to cause to be done any of the things by law required to be done concerning distilled spirits shall, in addition to other fines and penalties, now by law provided, forfeit for every such neglect or refusal all the spirits owned by or for him, and all the vessels used in making the same, and the stills, boilers, and other vessels used in distillation, found on the premises, together with the sum of five hundred hundred dollars for each offence, to be recovered by the usual suit, and shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be subject to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years; which said spirits, with the vessels containing the same, with all the vessels used in making the same, and all such materials, may be seized by the collector and by him sold; a description shall be [illegible] of the property to be sold, and the manner of sale;

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From the Clarion.]

Gen. D. H. Hill, in an article published in his Magazine, says incidentally that it is the duty of voters in the South to elect men to office "whose consistent Unionism will be satisfactory to the dominant party."

If Gen. Hill had qualified his counsel by the words "*federal* office," it would have met our approval. It will be idle to re-enact the farce of electing persons to Congress who cannot take the oath prescribed, that they have never borne arms against the United States, nor given aid and comfort to others thus employed. Though the range from which selections will be required to be made in order to elect persons who are eligible under this stringent and unjust law, is limited, yet they can be found—and men too, whose sympathies are with the South, and will serve her faithfully if the people choose to elect them though they may not have approved her attempt to establish a separate Government.

For the present, let ambition sleep. No man should permit his name to be used for an important office, knowing in advance that he will not be allowed to perform its duties.

In regard to State offices, the range of selection will not be so restricted. They are accessible to any persons who are entitled to vote under the Reconstruction laws. Under these acts, the vast body of young, ardent and patriotic men who followed the fortunes of the Confederate flag, are eligible to any State office within the gift of the people if they have attained the age prescribed by the Constitution. There are many old men of sound judgment, matured thought and ability, who have heretofore stood aloof from public affairs, but who now, in the interest of their country, will be induced to give it the benefit of their services. It will be the part of wisdom, to give more attention to our local governments, and less to federal politics than heretofore. Here in Mississippi, is ample scope for the display of the highest order of statesmanship. Our laws are to be remodelled and adopted to the new era: and he who gives the energies of his body, and of his mind to the work, and performs it successfully, will entitle himself to be called a public benefactor.

The Panola Star, of the 14th says:

The case of the State against Evans, for the shooting and killing of a man named Bond, in Lexington, in the year 1866, was set for trial on the 15th inst. Great difficulty was had in procuring a jury, but success at last attended the efforts of the sheriff, and the trial commenced yesterday. Up to the present writing we have not heard the decision of the jury.

The Natchez Democrat says:

"Mr. Edward Metz, a German citizen of Natchez, whose residence was on the corner of Canal and Washington streets, was found dead in his bed Friday morning. He was seen working in the garden last Thursday evening, and retired that night complaining of headache. When milkman came Friday morning to serve his house with milk he knocked at the door. No one came, and the milkman entered and found the deceased in bed a corpse."

The Fayette Chronicle, of the 23d, says:

"A posse of citizens a few days since arrested, on the premises of Rev. W. B. Johnson, nine negro men, all armed to the teeth, who, it is said, were trying to capture and hang a negro in Capt. Thompson's employment, for what reason we did not learn. The would be lynchers were thwarted in their plans and the fellow's neck saved.

The town of Corinth has voted to take $30,000 stock in a railroad to connect that town with the Tennessee river at Clarksville.

HON. GEO. W. GAYLE—The case of Judge Gayle, of Cahaba, Ala., charged with treason and conspiracy to assassinate Lincoln, was finally disposed of on Tuesday in the United States District Court, Montgomery, Judge Busteed presiding. Judge Gayle was present in Court, and by his counsel, ex-Governor Watts plead pardon by the President, when the case was taken from the docket and the Judge fully discharged. The pardon, says the Montgomery Mail, was "full, complete and unconditional." Thus ends a case of more magnitude, and at one time fraught with much danger to our distinguished fellow citizen. We congratulate Judge Gayle upon his being at last relieved from all trouble in this matter.

ISSUE OF PROVISIONS IN MISSISSIPPI.—Maj. Gen. A. C. Gillem, Assistant Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau in Mississippi, on the 2d inst., ordered the following issue of provisions to the destitute people of that State:

Sub-Districts—Columbus, five hundred sacks corn and eight thousand pound of pork.

Corinth—five hundred sacks of corn and eight thousand pounds of pork.

Oxford—two hundred and fifty sacks corn and four thousand pounds of pork.

Grenada—five hundred sacks corn and four thousand pounds pork.

Yazoo—two hundred and fifty sacks of corn and four thousand pounds of pork.

Jackson—five hundred sacks corn and eight thousand pounds pork.

Natchez—five hundred sacks corn and eight thousand pounds pork.

Greenville—two hundred and fifty sacks corn and four thousand pounds pork.

Brookhaven—two hundred and fifty sacks corn and four thousand pounds pork.

Lauderdale—five hundred sacks of corn and four thousand pounds of pork.

Winchester—two hundred and fifty sacks of corn and four thousand pounds of pork.

Total, four thousand two hundred and fifty sacks of corn and sixty thousand pounds of pork.—N. Y. Herald.

THE SOUTHERN NEGRO DURING THE WAR.—Gen. Halpin in the New York Citizen, makes the following statement:

If Judge Kelly had been South during the war, he could not have the hardihood—not even he could—to speak of the negroes of the negroes of the South as if they had all been loyal to the United States during the rebellion. The fact is that ninety-five per cent. of them were as faithful to the Confederacy as any average equal number of Southern whites. They formed the quartermaster, commissary, ordnance and pay department of the rebel armies—working faithfully and perceivingly at their allotted tasks, although not five per cent. of the able bodied whites were left at home to compel them to this work, had they been otherwise minded. It is simply a bald, bold, black falsehood to speak of the Southern negroes as having been faithful to the Union, or faithful to anything but the rebellion, during the recent civil war.

FINALITY OF THE RECONSTRUCTION ACT.—Thurlow Weed, of the New York Commercial Advertiser, a well known veteran leader in the Republican ranks, commenting upon the dismissal of the injunction cases by the Supreme Court says:

And now that the Supreme Court has refused to interfere in this bill, our Southern countrymen may rest assured that it will be a finality in every sense of the word. The North will never consent that any further conditions shall be exacted from them. The Republican party has, with hardly an exception, repudiated Thaddeus Stevens' recent declaration as to confiscation and further exactions, and the Northern people will expect Congress to carry out in good faith the terms of the measure, should that body be disposed to "go back" upon it. There is no probability, however, that congress will be inclined to do anything of the kind, and those at the South who have cherished doubts as to the bill being a finality may dispel their fears at once."

Gen. Swayne's Report upon the Riot at Mobile.

HEAD'QRS DISTRICT, OF ALABAMA, }
Montgomery, Ala. May 20th, '67. }

Maj. Gen. John Pope, Commanding Third Military District, Atlanta, Georgia:

GENERAL—Herewith I have the honor to transmit to you the report of Col. O. L. Shepherd, 15th U. S. Infantry, commanding officer at Mobile, upon the recent riot in that city.

Immediately upon hearing of the outbreak, I proceeded to Mobile in company with Brevet Brigadier Gen. Wm. McKee Dunn, Assistant Judge Advocate General, and made personal inquiry into what occurred.

So far as I can learn, the disturbance was not apprehended or deliberately planned, unless possibly by a small party of ruffians such as usually found in cities. Nor do I find that after it commenced, it was participated in by a large number persons, but that, on the contrary, the mass was hastily abandoned except by the police, and by such parties of freedmen as gathered together for defence or from confusion or curiosity.

It seems that the speaker having been for some time interrupted by some persons who should have been immediately arrested, a single arrest was made. This was accompanied by the discharge of a pistol, after which a number of shots were fired at the stand occupied by the speaker and his friends. After a momentary lull, a large number of additional shots were fired, apparently without rin.ifinite purposes, the weapons so far as known being pointed in the air.

I do not find that a greater charge than timidity or inefficiency can be sustained against the police authorities of the city of Mobile. At the same time freedom of speech and public order will seem greatly outraged in that city, by an element which is active in the spirit of the rebellion, and proven upon the part of the police simply by timidity. This is supported by the antecedents of the police, and by the fact that but a single arrest was effected on the night of the disturbance.

Sincere and earnest apprehension was expressed to me lest a collision of races, extending and disastrous, and involving with the fate of the colored people, and that of Union men in sympathy with them should grow out of the impulse given by the recent outbreak.

To prevent the possibility of this I directed the Post Commandant to assume the maintenance of public order, to place guards at the headquarters of the fire companies, to prohibit out-door assemblies after nightfall, to suspend the entire police force and re-appoint only such as were known to be trustworthy, and to summarily punish all disturbers of the peace.

For the final suppression of the disorderly element above referred to, and to give confidence and support to those who have been heretofore the allies of the government, I respectfully recommend that the control of municipal affairs be transferred to persons well known for their continuous loyalty to the United States.

Your obt servant,
WILLIS SWAYNE,
Brig. Gen'l.

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Imperial Rule Ended in Mexico.

The power of the empire of Maximilian is confirmed; the Imperial drama in Mexico is ended, and the leading actors prisoners in the hands of Juarez, the head of the Liberal party. Mejia, Miramon, and Castillo, also passed into Liberal custody when the Imperial garrison fell at Queretaro, their last stronghold.—In a short time, as soon as Marquez is forced from the city of Mexico, the Liberals will be undisputed masters of that unhappy country. But we have no hope for anything like a permanent peace in bleeding, distracted Mexico. Comparative order will be established for a time, but Mexican ambition and hate will soon burst forth again. The past history of the country shows it contains turbulent elements that no power in Mexico can keep down. Considerable anxiety is manifested for the fate of the leading prisoners. It is feared the wild cry for retaliation and revenge will prevail, and the prominent officers be shot. It is to be hoped human counsels will, however, prevail, and the Archduke allowed to return to his native country.—But little hope can be entertained for Miramon and Mejia. The history of the former is well known, and the latter has been acknowledged as the leading and most successful General fighting under the Imperial banner. The execution of Maximilian would bring upon Juarez's head the execration of all mankind.

The full name of the Archduke is Ferdinand Maximilian Joseph. He is the eldest brother of Francis Joseph, the reigning Emperor of Austria, and was born in 1832. He married Marie Charlotte, youngest daughter of Leopold, King of Belgium, in 1857. Maximilian is a member of the Lorraine branch of the proud, imperial house of Hapsburg, which has wielded the sceptre over different nations of Europe for over six hundred years.

We find the following in the Vicksburg papers:

Owing to certain changes in the business arrangements of the proprietor, I have withdrawn from editorial connection with the Herald. The change in its management, has not resulted from any change of the views I have always taken in its columns for the past two years. I shall still urge them; if not as a journalist as a citizen. During my whole residence in Vicksburg, it has been conspicuously before the public as an editor. In now retiring for a season, I make my acknowledgements of the profound courtesy of people and press.

I. M. PARSONS.

We regret to part with him. He has contributed much to the reconstruction movement, and we hope will soon return to the tripod and aid in the completion of the work.

The True Policy.

We take the following extract from a late number of the Clarion:

It is wiser to realize at once that the present Congress has two years to run, and that the excluded States can be readmitted only on such terms as it may prescribe; and that it is better therefore, to elect members to a Convention pledged to accept the terms tendered without hesitation or delay. To this complexion, unpleasant as the reflection may be, it must come at last. The refusal of the Supreme Court to take jurisdiction of the questions involved in the Military Laws, removes every ground of hope of relief from the conference to which the opponents of Reconstruction occupied, and nothing is left but to reorganize under them, or to accept the alternative proposition of prolonged military rule with the certainty of ultimately organizing upon some other plan dictated by the dominant party, which would probably exclude from the polls all except the blacks and the so-called loyalists of the Brownlow clan. For this reason, while we rejoice to see that our opposition friends in Alabama have so far modified their position as to advocate the holding of a Convention, we shall advise its Mississippi the election of men who will face the issue squarely, and pledge themselves to put the State through on the shortest route to reconstruction in conformity to the requirements of Congress.

The commutation awarded to all Mississippi Confederate soldiers, who lost legs in the service and have supplied themselves with artificial ones, is seventy-four dollars. They receive a warrant on the State Treasury for this amount, on the certificate of the Probate Judge.

A force is now employed in taking up the remains of the Federal soldiers buried in the vicinity of Rienzi, and are removing them to the Soldiers' Cemetery, at Corinth, for reinterment.

Gen. Seymour, commanding at Pensacola, announces that quarantine will be enforced at that harbor from and after May 21st.

GRENADA AND MERIDIAN RAILROAD.—The people along the line of this road are going earnestly to work, to have the road built. Meridian and Lauderdale county will subscribe $125,000. while we are daily lying over our road to Okalona, these more energetic people are laboring day after day; and, if we do not wake up to our interests in the premises, will snatch the golden fruit from our grasp.—Holly Springs Reporter.

The Hernando Press of last week, says that Col. Felix Labauve was about to leave for France. Col. Labauve's object to visit the land of his birth and the haunts of his childhood, and also to attend the World's Exposition at Paris.

Judge Quarles, who has just returned from the South, says the construction party of the Memphis and Little Rock Railroad, on the 25th from Rio de Janeiro.

Mr. Stanbery's Opinion Reviewed.

We have read the Attorney General's opinion and breathe easier, as it relaxes many of the rigors of the military bill as interpreted and enforced by some of the military commanders. Mr. Stanbery divides the disfranchisement under the law into classes. 1st, those who held office under the federal government, and 2d, those who held office under State governments, after which he proceeds with his opinion. Those of whom he speaks explicitly are members of Congress and members of State legislatures, and members of conventions which have exercised legislative powers in respect to the seceding of the State, and organizing secession governments; but members of State conventions for the purpose of remodeling State constitutions, are not liable to disfranchisement therefor. Nor are any officers or clerks of the legislative or executive departments. The Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and officers of State government, whose functions are exercised at the capital, and judicial officers whose jurisdiction is co-extensive with the State, are clearly liable. Naval and military officers of the old army and navy, who took the oath of allegiance and afterwards entered the Confederate service, are among the excluded class. Those who can vote are all persons without distinction of race or color, aged twenty-one years and upwards, who have resided in the State twelve months previous to the day of election and have not been disfranchised for participation in rebellion or civil war against the United States, nor for felony at common law. Officers properly municipal are not disfranchised, "such as officers of cities, towns, villages, and subordinate and other municipal divisions, of less jurisdiction than a county, whether their functions are executive or judicial, as is sometimes the case where the same officers act in both capacities." Militia officers can vote, holding military commissions before the war. Persons appointed by the Governor or Legislature and exercising special duty are not disqualified. A man is not disfranchised although he has held office and taken the oath, if he has not afterwards engaged in the rebellion; and not, although he may have taken part in the rebellion, if he has not previously held one of the designated offices, and taken the oath.

His opinion relative to some officers of States of limited jurisdiction, such as justice of the peace, sheriffs, &c., is reserved for further investigation. Actions of active service, and not passive sympathy, constitute giving aid and comfort to the enemy. Paying taxes, or holding civil offices during time of war does not disqualify a man. In all cases of doubt as to the rights of the citizen, the interpretation must be in favor of his right. Registers have no right to question applicants; the oath is the sole test, and when a person applies to the board for registration, the power of the board is confined to the administration of the prescribed oath, and if the applicant takes that, his name must go upon the registry. The board cannot enter upon the inquiry whether he has sworn truely or falsely; that inqury must be reserved to the court, which may afterwards have jurisdiction to try him on any indictment for perjury. This abstract will give the reader a pretty clear idea of the chief points of the long, but interesting, opinion. It is marked by a refreshing degree of liberality in the construction of the military law, and will enable many who have heretofore been classed among the disqualified to approach the ballot box. His opinion relative to the extent of the liability of county officers, and the powers and duties of commanding officers, will be looked for with much anxiety by our people who wish to see the vexed question of registration finally settled.

Isaac Bragg, a gentleman of color, is a candidate for Congress, to represent the District of Texas in which Austin is situated. He is opposed by G. R. Scott, editor of the Austin Intelligencer. Isaac's chances are said to be much the best.

Among the popular errors an exchange mentions the following, to which we direct attention:

That editors keep public reading-rooms, That they have plenty of time to talk to everybody. That they are delighted to get anything to fill up the paper with—That every man's own special axe is a matter of "public interest." That it doesn't make much difference whether copy be written on both sides. That editors return rejected manuscripts.

A fight occurred at Danville, Virginia, between the members of the United States burial corps, and the negroes of Danville. Bricks and pistols were used, and the burial corps was driven out of town. There were two wounded on each side.

At a printer's festival, lately, the following toast was offered: "Woman; second only to the press in the dissemination of news."

Ex-Commander John N. Maffit, of the Confederate Navy, arrived in New York on the 25th from Rio de Janeiro.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The President has appointed T. H. Nelson, Minister to Mexico, Board of War Department.

The Comptroller of the Treasury advertises in city papers that the bank notes of the First National Bank of Mobile, Ala., will be paid in lawful money upon presentation at the treasury of the United States.

The Republican Convention of Vermont have nominated John Gregory Smith for Governor, and unanimously endorsed the reconstruction measures.

CINCINNATI, May 30.—The Inauguration of Hart's marble statue of Henry Clay today, in the courthouse square, was the most brilliant demonstration ever made here. Business was wholly suspended.

St. Louis, May 30.—The Kearney dispatches says the war has fairly begun.—Ranches are burned, stock stolen, and settlers murdered daily.

Troops are going Westward rapidly.

CINCINNATI, May 30.—A Gallipolis merchant, with Cincinnati connections, has failed. Liabilities over a million dollars.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., May 30.—A freight train on the Orange and Alexandria railroad ran off the track, killing the engineer and fireman.

NEW YORK, May 30.—The steamship Virginia arrived to-day from Liverpool, bringing 14,200 bushels of wheat.

RICHMOND, Va., May 30.—Gen. Brown, of the Freedmen's Bureau, has issued a circular directing the officers in view of the hostility that may exist to Freedmen voting, to see that the registration is instructed in his rights, and that he is registered and votes.

Judge Kelly spoke at Danville to-day.

CHARLESTON, May 30.—In the United States District Court, to-day, a bill of foreclosure was filed by District Attorney Corbin against Charles K. Prioleau, Theodore D. Wagner, James H. W. Ellsman, W. L. Trenholm, George A. Trenholm, and John B. Lafitte, members of the firm of the late firm of John Fraser & Co., charging them with a violation of the laws of the United States in blockade running operations, and claiming that in other respects they are accountable to the Government.

Judge Byran, upon hearing the bill, granted an injunction restraining the parties from disposing of any real estate now held by them.

MADRID, May 30.—The Government is considering the abolition of colonial slavery.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The President lea es Sunday morning—will remain at the Spottswood Hotel, Fredericksburg, 12 o'clock Monday, and then proceed to Raleigh direct.

MEMPHIS, May 30.—The Memphis and Charleston Railroad has paid $200,000 down, and have stipulated to pay $100,000 per month, until $325,000 due the Government is liquidated.

RICHMOND, May 30.—Gen. Schofield, yesterday, issued an order for the purpose of giving adequate protection to all persons in their rights of person and property in cases where the civil authorities may fail, directing the appointment of military commissioners in said districts, hereafter to be defined, giving these the command of the police, sheriffs and constables, and clothing them with the power of magistrates.

LIVERPOOL, May 30.—Evening.—Cotton closed strong at 12¾ for middling. Middling Uplands 11¾; Orleans 11¾; sales 15,000 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, May 30.—Sales to-day 2,150 bales. Market firm and unchanged. Receipts 435; exports 7,266. Flour and Molasses—nothing doing. Flour unchanged; Superfine $11.25@11.50; Choice Extra $12. Corn dull and droopingr; Yellow mixed $1.17½@1.20; White $1.25. Oats in fair demand at 75c@81. Hay declined; Prime Western $27@28. Bacon—Shoulders 9½c; Ribs 12c. Pork dull at $24@24.25. Lard prime, in tierces 13c., in keg 14½@14¾c. Gold 137½.

CINCINNATI, May 30.—Flour irregular; winter family to fancy $13.50@16. Wheat very dull. Irregular—winter No. 2 $2.75. No. 1 $2.85@2.90. Corn dull, 10@91c. in bulk. Oats dull, 58c. Rye dull, $1.25. Cotton quiet, 24@24½c. Whisky dull, $2.30@2.33. Pork dull, $22.50. Bulk meats dull—9c. for Shoulders, 9c. Sides, 12c. Clear Rib, 13½c Clear Sides, 13@13½. Lard, 15@15½c. or sugar cured, Lard 12c. for prime.

GENERAL SHERIDAN'S ORDER.—Under date of may 16, Gen. Sheridan has issued "Special order No. 45," couched in the following terms:

"Until further orders, no fire arms will be permitted to be carried, either openly or secretly, by any person in the city of New Orleans, except such as may be authorized or required by law to carry the same, in the execution of their official duties.

The Mayor of the city will give such instructions to the police as may be necessary to insure a strict enforcement of this order; and any person found violating it will be subject to trial and punishment by a military commission."

This order cannot be too highly commended, and we hope Gen. Ord will issue and enforce a similar one in Mississippi. In addition to fire arms, it should embrace bowie, dirk and butcher knives, and other implements of murder. Prohibit the carrying of arms and we will guarantee the quiet of the country against all rowdies and rioters.

The most practical speech made in Lafayette Square Thursday night, was by the colored Bishop Payne, of the African Methodist Church of Ohio. Although slow at the commencement, the old man warmed into a strain of fervor, humor and common sense, which held a large and admiring audience for a late hour. His advice to his colored brethren was in most respects sound and unobjectionable. He warned them against the advice of men who urged them to claim too many social prerogatives. He advised them to be slow in pressing claims which were unwillingly conceded, and to abandon the idea that Congress could elevate them unless they assisted in doing it themselves. He advised them to abandon the idea that the lands of their old masters were to be divided among the blacks; and, speaking for the negroes, he wished to say to those white people that the black man meant him. "If one negro stole a sheep it was no sign that all negroes would steal."—*N. O. Crescent.*

THE GIRLS TO THE YOUNG MEN.—The literary department of the loka (Miss.) Herald says: "Twenty four young men in this town are without wives."

Most young men consider it a misfortune to be born poor, or not to have capital enough to establish themselves at their outset of life in a good and comfortable business. Poverty is a misfortune, but often merely lacking a sufficiency to them, if we may judge by what we daily behold. It is the rich who are generally the poor; those who have no capital to begin with, are those who have a fortune in themselves, and who, by a proper application of their energies, soon become capitalists. Poverty is a blessing in disguise, and many a man has had reason to bless it for the good it has done him.

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and is now prepared, at the shortest notice, to give to those who call favor him with a visit, the finest pictures ever obtained.

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SOUTHERN PREPARATIONS

Comprise a class of pure and select Family Medicines, prepared from pure Drugs, by a class of experienced Southern Physicians, specially for the diseases incident to a Southern family.

They are not secret nor patent medicines, but are recommended to be used in lieu of those prepared by our Northern friends, who know but little about Southern treatment.

Ours is the only class of Family Medicines ever offered to the public which were prepared by the Medical Profession.

FEMALES OF THE SOUTH!

Diseases peculiar to your sex, incident to all localities, culled from the passin breeze, that fans your cheek in its perfumed breath, or snatched from some pedant dew-drop, are to you a constant and abiding trouble. Whether you are suffering from Leucorrhœa or whites, Falling of the Womb, Hysterics, Chorisis, Palpitation, Nervousness, Swimming and Giddiness of the Head, Melancholy, Ulceration and Irritation of the Womb, Derangement of the Liver and Bladder, and all the diseases that are peculiar to the female sex—affecting old or young married or single. Send and get one bottle, it will do you good.

YOUR LIFE BLOOD

Must be changed in order to be relieved of the numerous class of diseases requiring pure blood.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

CONSTITUTIONAL MONARCH

Is recognized by the Medical Profession as the best and most Certain Blood Purifier now before the public, and why? Simply because it is composed of the best medicine for that purpose, viz: Stillingia, Yellow Dock, Sarsaparilla, Burdock, and Iodine of Potash. For Scrofula, Cutaneous, Skin Diseases, Gout, Rheumatism, Glandular Tumors and Swellings, old Ulcers and Sores, Constitutional Derangements, etc., it acts like a charm.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

Fluid Ext. Bearberry, Cubebs and Buchu.

A highly concentrated medical compound, expressly for affections of the Kidneys and Bladder, such as Incontinuance, Frequent Desire to Make Water, Heavy Deposits and or Milky Urine, Effects of early Dissipation, Nervous Trembling, Gravel, Gout, Pains in the Back, Loss of Energy, Strangury, and all affections requiring a quick and reliable Diuretic.

In all cases of Debility, action on the part of the Kidneys and Bladder, affecting old or young, male or female, this compound can be relied on.

CHILLS AND FEVER

Can be speedily cured by using one package of Dromgoole & Co's Chill Pills, which never fails to arouse the Liver, clears the Stomach, open the Bowels and relieve the system of the cause of Chills. One package will cure a case of six months standing.

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RED DIARRHŒA REMEDY.

The most certain and effectual cure for all forms of Diarrhœa, Nausea, and Vomiting. Cramp Colic, Cholera Morbus, pain in the Stomach, summer complaint of children while teething, etc. It is exceedingly pleasant to take, and quiets the stomach, is not an alcoholic preparation, contains no lime, catechu, gallic tannin, Peruvian bark. It imparts tone to the already debilitated stomach and bowels, and no family should be without a bottle. It never fails to cure.

PILES! PILES!!

Why is it you continue to suffer with Piles, when the remedy to cure you can be so easily obtained? Dr. Kennedy's Pile Salve, day, send immediately and get one box of Dromgoole & Co's Pile Salve and be cured. Internal or external, whether recent or long standing can be cured immediately.

Cannot Southern Physicians cure the Piles as well as any one else? Try our remedy then.

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Gray hairs honorable can have them restored to their original color without staining the skin or beard. It does not dye the hair—but simply restores it to its former color—and at the same time prevents it from falling off, cleanses the scalp of all dandruff and scurf, imparts a beautiful gloss and causes a new growth. It will not be held as any other preparation. It is Dromgoole & Co's Tonic Hair restorer. It is warranted.

The Great Southern Preparation as a chast of Family Medicines, is highly recommended by every body.

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Embraced in a first class assortment. Our Pharmaceutical Preparations are made in strict accordance with the revised Pharmacopia. Prescriptions attended to carefully.

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Our stock embraces everything coming within the Drug business. Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction.

All orders intended to our care, filled with promptness and accuracy.

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LAND LOTTERY

Chartered by the State of Mississippi,

FOR THE

BENEFIT OF THE ASYLUM

AND

HERNANDO, MISS.,

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The property to be disposed of consists mainly of

CITY AND SUBURBAN LOTS,

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Small Farms,

Adjacent to Memphis, in Tennessee & Mississippi

ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE PRIZES,

Amounting to

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Plantations Subdivided into Farms

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Made sized from Mantels and Mantle Grates

THE greatest variety of Bankers' Iron and Wood Counter Railings, Rosewood, Walnut and Steel Rivets; Sash Weights, Sash Cord, Axles, Springs, Shovels, Tongs, Bells and Iron SCREWS.

We are offering the goods at such prices as will astonish purchasers.

We are Agents for the celebrated Chester, Oak Cliff & Co's Cast Steel Plows, Wood's Patent Metallic Scraper Bottoms, the Union Wood Mould Board, and other approved Plows.

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WE have just opened a Fresh Lot of Confectionery, consisting of the best of assortments, which we will sell at low prices. Also, a fine assortment of Pocket Cutlery, Pipes, Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, &c. Call and see us, and be convinced that we can sell you goods cheaper than any house in the city. Remember the place, Main street, next door to Mr. Hall's Jewelry Store.

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TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS

We are now receiving our Spring Stock of Goods, and are prepared to offer inducements to purchasers. Our stock is complete in every department, and we will sell at prices that cannot fail to please. Call and see us.

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THE undersigned is fully prepared to manufacture all machinery usually made or repaired in Foundries in this section in the most approved style, at moderate prices and promptly. Having practical and experienced machinists, and first-class workmen in all departments, he feels confident of his ability to give satisfaction in every particular.

Those in want of Cotton Gins, Verandahs, Railings, Cast Columns, Weights, Iron Fastenings for Cotton Presses, Gearing, Shafting, Pulleys, Hangers, Boxes, Screws, Bolts, Nuts, Washers, Rivets, Iron Castings of all kinds, Brass Castings, Steam Engines, Boilers, Saw Mills, Grist Mills, Sugar Mills, Cane Mills, Evaporators, Sugar Pans, Sugar Coolers, Sugar Moulds, Sugar Barrels, Hogsheads, Tierces, Kegs, Sugar Tanks, Sugar Cisterns, Sugar Pipes, Sugar Gates, Sugar Valves, Sugar Faucets, Sugar Elbows, Sugar Tees, Sugar Crosses, Sugar Nipples, Sugar Reducers, Sugar Plugs, Sugar Caps, Sugar Bushings, Sugar Flanges, Sugar Couplings, Sugar Unions, Sugar Stop Cocks, Sugar Globe Valves, Sugar Check Valves, Sugar Gate Valves, Sugar Safety Valves, Sugar Pressure Gauges, Sugar Water Gauges, Sugar Glasses, Sugar Whistles, Sugar Lubricators, Sugar Oil Cups, Sugar Steam Cocks, Sugar Water Cocks, Sugar Blow Cocks, Sugar Pipe Cocks, Sugar Pipe Fittings, Sugar Pipe Hangers, Sugar Pipe Boxes, Sugar Pipe 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Imperial Blue, the best in the world. 10 cents per box.

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For sale by SMITH & ALFORD, and JNO. W. HARVEY.

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Grand Tournament and Fancy Dress Ball at Meridian, Thursday, June 18th.

It will be seen that the Meridian Tournament Club proposes to have a grand tournament and fancy dress ball in this city, on Thursday, the 18th of June.

Preparations are now making on a large scale and there is no doubt that it will be one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind that has ever been seen in the South. The large assemblage that will be here from all parts of this State and Alabama will be addressed by Maj. H. St. Paul, the talented and eloquent editor of the Mobile Times and other distinguished speakers. Gen. Forrest is confidently expected here as one of the Judges. It will be noticed from the advertisement that three prizes in greenbacks are offered besides the knightly honor of crowning the queen of love and beauty.

Our Club Rates.

The wherewithal to interest those wishing to subscribe to a cheap newspaper, will be found under the head of club rates. We have revised and redraced our terms so as to put the Gazette within the reach of every purse. We pledge a newspaper in every way worthy of patronage—filled with varied and interesting reading—and devoted to the interest of our section. Let our friends in the East stir themselves in getting up clubs and extending the circulation of our paper.

Those who wish to enhance their exterior respectableness, and consequent influence in the circles of well dressed society, should examine the stock of Hirbuth, Sadler & Co., where gentlemen can be dressed in prevailing fashionable habiliments, and the ladies of fashion supplied with goods and exquisite corsets that will set the feminine world agog.

A Joint Depot Building is to be erected at Corinth by the Mobile & Ohio and Memphis & Charleston Railroad Companies. A Joint Depot was to have been commenced at this place long ago, but we have not seen any preparatory signs yet. Has the project fallen through?

Meridian is abundantly supplied with vegetables—gardens have been well cultivated, and though the late frost did much damage, old mother earth has supplied enough for all.

The house-furnishing and furniture establishment of Fallon, Fulton & Co., is as popular as ever and keeps up with the demands of the public. We invite the attention of country dealers to this house, assuring them the dealings here are conducted upon enlarged and liberal views. Both the Messrs. Fallon, as well as Dr. Fulton, are gentlemen with whom it is a pleasure to deal, and they are prepared to negotiate sales upon terms as favorable as any in this section. By an untiring energy, they have established a very large trade—by an undeviating integrity, they have made "troops of friends," and by an enterprise which is worthy of all commendation, they have established a position among the most successful merchants of the country.

We had a call on Monday from Eggleston, Esq., editor of the Mobile Tribune, who is just returning home after a visit to the North.

Judge Handy arrived here yesterday, en route to Macon to open the High Court on Monday. Ex-Governor Clarke and Hon. Patton Anderson, were also along, going up to look after the interests of their clients.

Sunday School Celebration.

A few of the children connected with the Baptist Church Sunday School in this City, assisted by a friend or two from another school, assembled early in the week, it seems, to get up a supper for the purpose of relieving the wants of a destitute Lady. The idea was a good one, plans arranged and preparations all made before the officers of the school were apprised of the design—so quiet was the matter kept, and so rapid its accomplishment.

On Wednesday night last the children of the entire Sunday School met at the Mayor's office and were kindly received and filled with lumbering amongst tables spread with heavy goodies and nice things provided over by the ladies of the Baptist congregation. The supper was a success in every particular, and the children, after an unusually hearty meal, returned to their homes and to bed, well satisfied with their evening's entertainment, and we presume dreamed of the delicious feast provided over by the ladies of the Baptist congregation.

The proceeding affair of energetic girls whose deep tenderness of heart overcquered natural timidity and gave them the courage to act, is worthy of the boys also devoted their [illegible] their own means to the [illegible] the laudable undertaking. We would like to know the names of the young misses engaged, were we satisfied that we could not be offended thereat. Some of the [illegible] to have the warm thanks of all concerned.

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Mr. Ru[illegible]

THE STATE [illegible]

In the Chancery [illegible] Term, 1867.

On bill of complaint [illegible] and Jo[illegible] vs. [illegible] and others.

[illegible] Chancery [illegible] Jones, [illegible] Esq., [illegible] Esq., [illegible] Esq.,

Meridian.

Hurlbutt, Sturges & Co.,

AT THEIR OLD STAND,

on the Corner, and their

NEW STORE

ADJOINING,

HAVE on hand and are constantly receiving the largest and best supply of

Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Groceries,
Hardware,
Cutlery,
Crockery,
Bagging,
Rope,
Boots,
Shoes,
Hats,

EVER SEEN IN THIS COUNTRY.

Which they will sell as low as they can afford. At any rate they will not be undersold.

They invite their old customers, friends and the public generally to call, and if they consult their own interest they will be sure to buy.

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Notice.

NO BOOKS—no more paper or ink—no more trouble charging—no more trouble COLLECTING—no more CREDIT—no fears of meeting the Sheriff—credit system entirely played out—buy for cash and you are sure of BARGAINS.

SANFORD & BRO.

We wish to call the attention of the public at large, that we are in receipt of a large assortment of all descriptions of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

which we will sell at the following prices:

BACON—Clear Sides, 16½
Shoulders, 14
Clear Bulk Sides, 14½
Canvas Sugar-cured Hams, 21½
LARD—in kegs, 12½
in tierces, 16½
Sugar, fair to choice, 14 to 18½
Sugar-house Molasses, 77
Rice—Carolina—16½
Meal, 1½; Coffee, 25 to 30; Imperial Tea, $2 25;
Flour, $11 50, $12 50, $14 50 to $17 00 per bbl.

—We also have—

STARCH, Irish Potatoes, Navy Beans, Cheese,
APPLES—Dried, Hominy, Dried Peaches,
NUTS, Macarony, Spice, Pepper, Ginger, Tea,
SNUFF, Snuff (Garrett's at 50 cents per bottle)
OYSTERS, Shot, Powder, Caps, Corn Meal,
RAISINS, Flour, Soaps, Mackerel, Candles,
DRIED Stuffs, Wash Boards, Tubs, Buckets,
and splendid Butter, fresh and nice, Butter
& Soda Crackers, Smoking & Chewing Tobacco
BROOMS, Salt for stock and table use, Catsup,
RICE, Mess Pork, Sardines, Preserves, Pepper,
ONIONS, Can Fruits of all descriptions, Pep-

per Sauce, and other articles too numerous to mention. In connection with the above, in our adjoining house, we keep constantly on hand every description of

DRY GOODS!

Boots and Shoes, of endless variety.
Hats and Caps,
Ready Made Clothing,
Ladies' Hats,
Children's Hats,
Children's Caps.
Hardware,

all of which we are determined to sell at the very lowest prices.

We have entirely abolished the CREDIT SYSTEM, and hope our friends will not call for credit any longer, as they will positively be refused. Times are so uncertain, we find ourselves compelled to adopt the cash system. We flatter ourselves that we can make it profitable to the consumer of goods to pay cash.

SANFORD & BRO.

A WARNING TO ALL MANKIND.

How careful we should always be in every action. Here we should at all times think twice before speaking once.

And above all things look before we leap for the one rash act we may commit may embitter a whole existence.

How careful a man should be in all he does.

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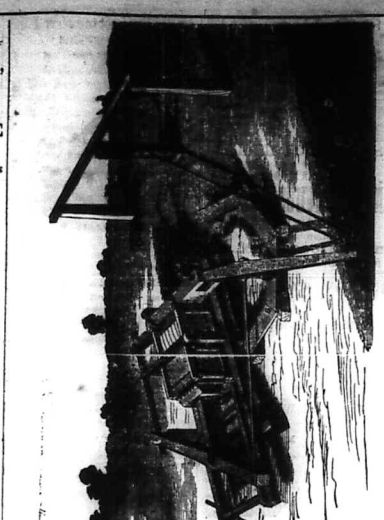

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The Grenada & Meridian R. R.

We are glad to learn that this great enterprise is attracting considerable attention throughout the entire country through which it is to pass. We understand from Prof. W. B. Townes, the agent appointed to solicit subscription for the road, for the counties of Yalobusha and Carroll, that his books will be open for subscription in a few days.

According to the Charter of this road $125,000 in money is required, before operations can commence. It is arranged so that every land owner can become a stockholder. If a man subscribes lands to the amount of $1000, he is only required to pay one tenth of that amount—one hundred dollars—and that in three annual installments of $33 33⅓ each. We presume every man who has lands through which this road passes will subscribe liberally.

We understand that Meridian and Lauderdale county will subscribe $125,000. What will Grenada, Yalobusha, Carroll, Choctaw, Winston, Neshoba and Kemper do? We feel confident that they will do their part.

The President, Mr. Brown, desires the people to subscribe liberally and that at once. He wishes to be able to show the people of Memphis, Mobile and Selma when he visits those places to solicit subscription, that the people along the route are anxious for the early completion of the road. Remember that only $125,000 is required before the work is begun. This amount can easily be raised, and the work will commence at once.

We understand that the Mississippi and Tennessee R. R. Company will survey the route and build ten miles of the road. They are taking a deep interest in the enterprise, knowing it will prove a great feeder to their road. Once the enterprising people of Memphis see the great advantage this road will be to them, they will open their purses and subscribe liberally. We trust that the Memphis press will lay this matter before their people. Let us not, in the meantime, become lukewarm in the matter. We have it in our power now to secure the Charter, and no sooner as this is done the work will begin in earnest.—Grenada Visitor.

A line of railway leading directly from Memphis to Mobile is the very thing needed by the people of this section, and Dr. Brown is the very man to head the undertaking. It is impossible to estimate the beneficial results which would accrue, to the people of Choctaw and adjoining counties, from the successful execution of this enterprise. As the railroad, when built, will run through or near Greensboro, we earnestly trust that, those of our county who have the means will put their "shoulders to the wheel" and contribute liberally for the furtherance of the undertaking.—Greensboro Valdite.

The True Policy.

We take the following extract from a late number of the Citation:

It is wiser to realize at once that the present Congress has two years to run, and that the excluded States can be readmitted only on such terms as it may prescribe; and that it is better therefore, to elect members to a Convention pledged to accept the terms tendered without hesitation or delay. To this complexion, unpleasant as the reflection may be, it must come at last. The refusal of the Supreme Court to take jurisdiction of the questions involved in the Military Laws, removes every ground of hope for relief from their enforcement, which the opposers of Reconstruction occupied, and nothing is left but to submit to be under them, or to accept the alternative proposition of prolonged military rule with the certainty of ultimately organizing upon some other plan dictated by the dominant party, which would probably exclude from the polls all except the blacks and the so-called loyalists of the Brownlow clan. For this reason, while we rejoice to see that our opposition friends in Alabama have so far modified their position as to advocate the holding of a Convention, we shall advise in Mississippi the election of men who will face the issue squarely, and pledge themselves to put the State through on the shortest route to reconstruction in conformity to the requirements of Congress.

SUBMISSION, NOT ACCEPTANCE.—Those who are puzzling their brains to know whether the South will accept or not the provisions of the Military Despotism Bill, will be enlightened by the following, which we take from the Richmond Whig. It says:

It seems that some persons can not or will not understand any thing. We have not been called on to "accept" or "consent." We are asked no odds about it. We have been simply required to obey, and armies and generals have been sent down among us, and are now among us, a l defenceless as we are, to make us obey. We accept all this as Mr. Davis accepts imprisonment at Fortress Monroe; as Napoleon accepted it at St. Helena.

The Fenians are reported to have secret arsenals in New York, and to be in busy preparation. Gen. Sprays, in an oration at Boston last week, promised a raid on Canada forthwith.

Ex-Detective Baker has filed a bill to compel the city of Washington to pay the amount of a warrant allowed by it for the capture of Booth.

The Financial Troubles at New Orleans.

Jacob Barker's failure is considered a very bad one.

Great dissatisfaction exists that no official statement of the affairs of the First National Bank has been made by the examiner, Mr. Knox who has now had the institution in charge 12 days. The following is its condition: Liabilities, $1,170,000; assets, $1,500,000; one third the assets are considered good. The liabilities will be increased $100,000, that being the amount of the certified checks of the bank which the treasury held, and which were taken up by a draft of T. P. May & Co., and Oakes Ames, but which were not forwarded for collection. T. P. May & Co. represent May and A. S. Mansfield, a private banking firm just about starting. The principal debtors of the bank are: Gen. Beauregard by note, $40,000 and over drafts amounting to $72,000; Gen. Dick Taylor, $37,500; Gen. Harry Hays, $20,000; Gen. F. J. Herron, U. S. Marshal, directly and indirectly, over $20,000; Col. J. O. Nixon, of the New Orleans Cresent, $80,000; Gen. Wade Hampton Cuthbert Bullitt, Walton, Deslorde, and others. These have generally indorsed for each other. Over $200,000 of the funds of the United States Court were in the bank.

The defalcation in the treasury is over a million. Whitney's bondsmen are Gen. F. J. Herron, United States Marshal, T. P. May and A. S. Mansfield, each for $50,000; Robert Watson and A. T. Jones for $25,000. May, late assistant treasurer and president of the bank, has been arrested and held for the same amount. The appointment of John J. Walton as assistant treasurer has given general satisfaction. He is an old citizen.

George Francis Train, in a recent speech in New York, says:

"Our modern marriage service read thus: 'Clergyman—Will you take this brown stone front, this carriage and span and these diamonds for thy husband? Yes. Will you take this unpaid milliner's bill, this high waterfall of foreign hair, these affectations accomplishment and fine constitution for thy wedded wife? Yes. Then what mammon has joined together let the next best man run away with, so that the first divorce court may tear them asunder."

The following named gentlemen are Mr. Davis's bondsmen.

Horace Greeley, of New York.
Augustus Schell, of New York.
Aristides Welsh, of Philadelphia.
David R. Jackman, Philadelphia.
W. H. McFarland, of Richmond.
Richard Barton Haxall, of Richmond.
Abraham Warwick, of Richmond.
Gustavus A. Meyers, of Richmond.
William W. Crump, of Richmond.
James Lyons, of Richmond.
John A. Meredith, of Richmond.
William H. Lyons, of Richmond.
John Minor Botts, of Virginia.
Thomas W. Dowsell of Virginia.
James Thomas, Jr., of Richmond.
Horace F. Clark, of New York.

We notice with the sincerest regret the death of the Hon. Samuel Stillman Boyd, of Natchez, on the 21st inst. Judge Boyd has had few equals as a jurist and a man of talents, and the list of his superiors is an extremely short one.

HIDDEN TREASURE.—The last Pensacola Observer says:

Rumors of treasure being found have for several days been going the rounds, and seems the semblance of truthful reality.—It appears that while some negro men were digging a well on Monday last, on a lot in the upper part of the city, belonging to the estate of Joseph Secrist, deceased, they encountered a brick vault, and breaking through it found a chest with the key in it, on unlocking it broke the lock and began to turn it. Attached to a ring on the door of the chest by a wire, was a brass plate so arranged as to indicate the amount of the special deposit. This was copied by one of the negroes who participated in unearthing the chest, and has been dealt unfairly with by his comrades. His figures are almost in hieroglyphics, but parties who have examined them say that the sum is $240,000.

On Friday an attempt at insurrection was made at the Jeffersonville, Indiana, penitentiary. The plot was for one Floyd to get a store-room door open upon pretence to obtain a new pair of shoes, when the others were to rush in and escape. One man proved traitor to the conspiracy, and the ring-leaders were whipped according to the humane law of Indiana. There are 1,136 prisoners in the institution.

Gen. Hindman proposes to substitute side drains for levees on the Mississippi and its tributaries, turning the surplus waters of the Cumberland into the Tennessee, and those of the Tennessee into the Chattahoochee and Tombigbee, on the east, and into the west draining the Platte into the Arkansas, the Arkansas into Bayou Bartholomew, Red River into the Atchafalaya, &c.

Mr. Jas. M. Hampton, of Calhoun county, warns the public against the use of Northern oats, as he feels satisfied that some of them are dangerous to stock. He lost two valuable mules by feeding oats to them, and upon examination, discovered that the grain was mixed with large quantities of broken glass, which seemed so prepared as to preclude the idea that it was purely accidental.

Capt. Paul Forney, son of J. W. Forney, assigned to duty on Gen. Swayne's staff, has arrived in Montgomery.

The Tribune's special says the true reason of Gen. Thomas' call to Washington is that the President may get a true statement of affairs in Tennessee, there being been a complaint against Brownlow's suffrin.

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Letter from Capt. Jennings.

The following letter from our young friend Charlie Jennings, speaks for itself. The correction has already been made, and the author's name given:

WACO, May 23, 1867.

EDITORS GAZETTE:—A paragraph in the N. O. Picayune, taken from the "Gazette," has just come under my eye, announcing my death in a duel at this place. The particulars are given with remarkable preciseness, as though your informant had been an eye-witness to the fact. Please write me who was your informant, for *there is not a word of truth in the statement?* I have fought no duel, nor have any difficulty in a ball-room, or out of it, that could possibly lead to one. A man so prone as to thus unnecessarily grieve my family and friends, is to loathsome to live.

Hoping you will make a public correction of the falsehood, I have the honor to be, as ever,

Very truly your Friend.
CHAS. A. JENNINGS.

MORE TERRITORY.—The Government is now busily engaged in making efforts for the acquisition of the British Northwest territory. It is understood that the consent of the inhabitants has been assured.

It is now settled, the Cairo Democrat tells us, that the Mobile and Ohio Railroad will, with all due haste, be finished to a point in Kentucky, opposite to Cairo. That the work may be completed in the shortest period possible, operations will commence simultaneously and vigorously on either end.

There was a procession of negroes last Wednesday night, in New Orleans, numbering five thousand. They carried transparencies, and were armed with clubs, but dispersed without doing any damage.

The New York Day Book proposes Jefferson Davis, of Mississippi, and Edgar Cowan, of Pennsylvania, for the Presidency, in 1867, and somebody in the Chicago Times nominates Jeff. Davis for President and Greeley for Vice. Our opinion is Mr. Davis will never be up for office again. While in this "gulf of troubled waters," he will probably live a retired life with his family and friends.

The Mobile Nationalist, a weekly, in the interest of the Radicals, has been suppressed by Col. Sheppard, commanding at Mobile. The tone of the sheet was calculated to produce a "conflict of races." If printed hereafter its editorials must be submitted to Col. Sheppard.

Gilmore Sims says that so far as he can see, there is no possible escape for South Carolina from general famine, unless the charities of the outer world should be more prompt and bountiful than hitherto.

Jacob Barker, the New Orleans banker was arrested Tuesday of last week, on an affidavit made by Alderman Pat. H. Cummings, charging him with embezzlement and fraud. Mr. Cummings had deposited in the Bank of Commerce, at the date of its failure, the sum of $8000.

Rev. John W. Beckwith, Rector of Trinity Church, New Orleans, has declined the See of Georgia, to which he had been elected. His reason for declining so high an office in the Church is, that the work in his Diocese had but begun. He remains in accordance with the wishes of the largest congregation in the city.

MR. DAVIS IN CANADA.—A Toronto telegram of the 31st ult. states that Jefferson Davis was enthusiastically received there. He goes to spend a few days at Niagara Falls, and intends to reside at St. Catherines.

HEAVY DAMAGE AGAINST THE MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD.—Last week an important case was tried before the Circuit Court of Mobile, Judge Rapier presiding. The case was that of Wesley Thomas vs. the Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company. The jury found a verdict for complainant of $16,000 damages. The complainant was a fireman on one of the engines which ran off the track, whereby he was injured and lost his right arm.

GLAD TO HEAR IT.—The Eutaw Whig and Observer of last Thursday states, upon the authority of the President of the road, that the arrangement which was made some months ago between the Directors of the N. E. & S. W. Railroad, (Meridian and Chattanooga,) and Mr. Geo. E. Waddell, will be carried into effect.

The Memphis and Charleston railroad has paid twelve dozen and seven shillings and the Governor of Tennessee has paid the Governor of Mississippi $1,000.

Mr. Greeley and the Enemies of Justice.

Horace Greeley is being pretty roughly handled by a lot of radical demagogues in the North for interceding in behalf of Jefferson Davis and then signing his bond. The New York Herald devotes four columns to abusing "honest Horace" and Wendell Phillips, of the Anti-slavery Standard, wants words to express his opinion, while the Union League, of New York, have arraigned and threatened to expel him from that "honorable body." And here is a verse of a new song some of them have prepared for the occasion:

We'll hang Horace Greeley on that sour apple tree,
Because he helped to set Jeff. Davis free;
Old Horace's philosophy we can not swallow down,
For it isn't in accordance with old John Brown.

Charity and mercy may do now and then,
But cannot be extended to Jeff. or his men;
A faint, soft heart never won a lady fair,
And now having power we must try and keep it there.

So we'll hang Horace Greeley on that sour apple tree,
Because he helped to set Jeff. Davis free.

The "gray old sage" responds to this treatment in strong and vigorous letters—letters which lay out his defamers right and left—"which literally scourge them, cutting their black-and-tar hides at every skelp." Hear him

At once a concerted howl of denunciation and rage was sent up from every side against me by the little creatures whom God, for some inscrutable purpose, permits to edit a majority of our minor journals, echoed by a yell of "Stop my paper," from thousands of imperfectly instructed readers of the Tribune. One impudent puppy wrote me to answer categorically whether I was or was not in favor of hanging Jeff Davis, adding that I must stop his paper if I were not. Scores volunteered assurance that I was defying public opinion; that most of my readers were against me, as if I could be induced to write what they wished said, rather than what they needed to be told. I never before realized so vividly the baseness of the editorial vocation, according to the vulgar conception of it.

And again:

I do not recognize you as capable of judging or even apprehending me. You evidently regard me as a weak sentimentalist, misled by a maudlin philosophy. I arraign you as narrow-minded bloodhounds who would like to be content to a great and good cause, but don't know how. Your attempt to base a great enduring party on the hate and wrath necessarily engendered by a bloody civil war, is as though you should plant a colony on an iceberg which had drifted into a tropical ocean. I tell you here, that out of a life constantly devoted to the good of human kind, your children will select my going to Richmond and signing that bail bond as my wisest act, and will feel that it did more for freedom and humanity than all of you were competent to do, though you had lived to the age of Methuselah. I ask nothing of you then, but that you proceed to your end by a direct, frank, manly way. Don't sidle off into a mild resolution of censure, but move the expulsion you purposed, and which I deserve, if I deserve any reproach whatever. All I care for is that you make this a square stand-up fight, and record your judgments by yeas and nays.—I care not how few vote with me, or how many vote against me, for I know that the latter will repent in dust and ashes before three years have passed. I understand one for all, that I dare you, and defy you, and that I propose to fight it out on the line that I held from the day of Lee's surrender. So long as any man is not seeking to overthrow our government he was my enemy; from the hour in which he laid down his arms he is my fellow-citizen, I give you fair notice that I shall urge the re-establishment of those now proscribed for rebellion, so soon as I shall feel confident that this course is consistent with the freedom of the blacks and the unity of the republic; and that I shall demand a recall of all now in exile only for participating in the rebellion, whenever the country shall have been so thoroughly pacified that its safety will not thereby be endangered.

While differing from the philosopher of the Tribune in politics, we must say his conduct outside has been manly, noble, honorable. In 1861 he wanted to "let the erring sisters depart in peace"; at the close of the war he asked pardon and amnesty for all, and now notifies his party that he will urge the re-infranchisement of those prescribed for rebellion, and demand the recall of those in exile, for participating therein, as soon as he shall feel confident that this course is consistent with the freedom of the blacks and the unity of the Republic. This bold and fearless assertion of his views and the heavy blows he has dealt among his adversaries, will not be soon forgotten by the great and generous heart of the Southern people. His action has not fallen on unthankful ground; 'twill yield him his own with fair increase. The Southern people will render him that tribute due his courage and manliness, his mercy and justice.

A petition addressed to Col. Shepherd, Commandant of the Post at Mobile, is being numerously signed in that city for the release of Mr. David J. Files, now imprisoned at Fort Gaines for his share in the Kelly riot on the 14th ult. It is understood that the petitioners pledge themselves for the future good behavior of Mr. Files, and for his appearance to answer for any charges that may be brought against him.

FREE RIDDEN.—The physicians of Montgomery, says the Selma Messenger, have reduced their fees to customary charges when "times were good." The scarcity of money is the cause of the reduction.

Dolbear Commercial College.

This celebrated and truly Southern institute is in full operation, the number in each class being nearly full, and the professors under Mr. Dolbear's able and judicious superintendence, giving a wonderful impetus to their pupils. To show how much of a national character Dolbear's Commercial College possesses, we will state that at the late commencement exercises, letters were received and read during the ceremonies, from such distinguished characters as General James Longstreet, General D. H. Hill, Governor Aikin, of South Carolina, Governor Wise of Virginia, and and others, highly commending the practical plan adopted by Col. Dolbear and followed by his college.

At the commencement ceremonies above alluded to, the following named graduates received their diplomas. It will be seen that some of the first names in the country are included among them:

E. B. Sumner, of Louisiana; C. W. Byington, of Georgia; H. L. Nusom, of Texas; H. H. Stout, of Mississippi; J. W. Lawrence, of Texas; C. Simmons, of Louisiana; T. Clements, of Louisiana; H. J. Hardee, of Louisiana; L. E Alexander, of Texas; C. C. Williams, of Texas; J. M. Levy, of Alabama; H. B. Ferguson, of Alabama; W. W. Hopkins, of Alabama; W. J. Foster, of Texas; L. P. Johnson, of Texas; L. L. Lobdell, of Mississippi; J. C. Buster, of Texas; Albert Iankes, of Texas; W. M. Lacy, of Texas; J. W. Cox, of Mississippi; J. G. Wilkerson, of Texas; J. L. Greene, of Texas; A. J. Love, of Texas; N. C Whittington, of Mississippi; J. T. Young, of Louisiana; G. W. Byington, of Georgia; M. A. Edwards, of Georgia.

Dolbear College cannot be too highly praised. This system is altogether practical—absolutely so.—Books, similar to those of mercantile and insurance houses, are kept, which the student is required to make entries in, and post in the same manner as if actually engaged in the business itself. He has also a complete system of telegraphing, and his pupils are taught in the rooms of the college all the secrets and minutia of the art, being rendered capable of telegraphing from New Orleans or any other point to Halifax, or over the Atlantic cable to any point of Europe.

Book keeping, arithmetical, gebra, telegraphing, and all the other branches required to make a perfectly accomplished practical business men are taught at Dolbear Commercial College, corner of Camp and Common streets, opposite the City Hotel.

Parents and guardians, as well as young men themselves, are respectfully invited to call and see for themselves.

There was a great reconstruction meeting at Greenville, Butler county, Alabama, on the 1st instant. White and colored citizens participated The Hon. Walter H. Crenshaw, presided, and opened with an earnest speech at length, especially addressed to the freedmen, who listened with marked attention. He was followed by Col. Mann, of Mobile, in a brief, pointed argument, and Capt. John B. Gamble, in an eloquent appeal to harmonious and just relations between the races. The people are a unit here in favor of prompt and faithful reconstruction under the military bill.

COLORED TOURNAMENT.—A number of the most spirited of the colored citizens of Memphis are at present engaged in making the preliminary arrangements for a grand tournament at the race course on the 6th inst.

In the city of Mexico, at the last accounts, meat was seventy-five cents per pound, in silver, and potatoes five cents each.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Safety Hand Lamp, AND Meteor Burning Fluid.

THE new Meteor Safety Hand Lamp is the latest wonder and most valuable and the greatest invention of the times. The burning qualities of the Oil are in every particular superior to anything yet used, while its illuminating power has no superior. The Lamp will not blow out nor explode, and the Oil is non-explosive. The cost of the fluid is about one-half that of refined coal oil; has no grease, smoke or smell, does not smoke the chimney, and will not grease a fabric of any kind. You need not throw away your old Lamps; the Meteor Fluid will burn in a coal oil lamp by attaching the Light House or Meteor Fluid Burner.

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Infant Soothing Syrup.

We have, by purchase of the original receipt, become Sole Proprietors of this Celebrated Medicine. We ask you to give it a trial, with an assurance that you will in future, discard all those nauseous and destructive stuffs, such as Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, Dewee's Mixture, &c., combinations of a past and antiprogressive age, when it was thought that the more disgusting the mixture the better the medicine

Use in the future only SEABROOK'S, a combination, quite up with the advancement of the age. Pleasant to take, harmless in its action, efficient and reliable in all cases. Invaluable in the following diseases:

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We could furnish any quantity of certificates bearing evidence of its superior qualities, but prefer that our medicine should stand on its own merits, which it will do upon trial.

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Of all the remedies that have been discovered during the present age for the thousand ills that flesh is heir to, none equal this wonderful preparation. Only ten years have elapsed since the discoverer—who spent a decade in studying experiments, and perfecting it—first introduced it to the public, and it is already recognized by the most eminent physicians in all parts of the country to be the most surprising and effective remedy, for certain diseases, of which they have knowledge.

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Affections of the Blues, Habitual Costiveness, Debility, Diseases of the Kidneys, Dyspepsia, Erysipelas, Female Irregularities, Fistula, all Skin Diseases, Liver, Complaint, Indigestion, Piles, Pulmonary Diseases, Syphilis, Scrofula or King's Evil.

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PERFECTLY RELIABLE.

The only remedy for Chills and Fever or Ague and Fever that is or can be depended upon is Hurley's Ague Tonic. There have been thousands cured by using it who had tried the usual remedies without benefit, but in no case has

Hurley's Ague Tonic

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STOMACHIC BITTERS.

For
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There are no bitters that can compare with These in removing these distressing complaints. For sale by druggists in any drug store in the United States, or from the proprietors

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has proven itself one of the best Liniments made for sprains, bruises &c, in all cases where tried for either man or beast, and will do all we claim for it. Try a bottle and we are satisfied you will never afterwards use any other.

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Use James Reddie & Co's Extract of Jamaica Ginger for all summer complaints, Cholera, Diarrea, Indigestion &c. This is the pure Ginger and can be relied on.

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These well known inks need only be used to be acknowledged as the best for Books, Counting Room and school use.

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OUR Corn Mill is now in operation, and we are prepared to furnish GOOD WHITE MEAL in quantities to suit purchasers, counting forty-eight pounds to the bushel at the market price of corn in Meridian. We will deliver meal in quantities not less than one bushel at any house inside the corporation limits on every Monday, at the same price provided it is paid for in advance, or we will deliver it at the Railroad Depot without extra charge. We solicit and will endeavor to merit patronage.

COLEMAN & SHEDD.
may23tw1y.

J. W. Turner's Art Palace.

Over Chandler, Lockard & Co's,
MERIDIAN, MISS.

HE begs to inform the citizens of Meridian and vicinity that he has received all the latest inventions of the

Photographic Art.

and is now prepared, at the shortest notice, to give to those who favor him with a visit, the finest pictures yet obtained.

He further refutes his Gallery in splendid style, with every convenience, and can accommodate you with Pleasant rooms—enlarged in size, and guaranteed to give satisfaction. As position is one of the most important features in the Art, he has fitted up his rooms so as to give especial attention to this branch, and feels satisfied of his ability to give satisfaction at all times.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens.

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Comprise a class of pure and select Family Medicines, prepares from pure Drugs, by a class of experienced Southern Physicians, specially for the diseases incident to Southern locality.

They are not secret nor patent mixtures and are recommended to be used in lieu of those prepared by our Northern friends, who know but little about Southern treatment.

Ours is the only slass of Family Medicines ever offered to the public which were prepared by the Medical Profesion.

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Diseases peculiar to your sex, incident to all localities, culled from the passin breeze, that fans you with its perfumed breath, or snatched from some opulent dew-drop are to you a constant and abiding trouble. Whether an inhabitant of city or country, hill or dale, palace or hovel, diseases smiles and preys upon your vitals. Gloom and despair are your constant companions. Your pale and ghastly countenance, your colorless cheeks, your lifeless eye, your tottering gait, your palpitating heart, your dejected brow, all tell of that disease which is gradually and steadily making inroads upon your disturbing system.

The Sunshine of Hope

Now bursts upon your vision, and the clouds of despair that hung as a heavy pall of gloom upon your brow can now be driven back, and bright visions of health in all its grandeur are now offered you.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

English Female Bitters.

Is the only combination that actually and positively removes and restores the womb to its natural healthy condition. It removes all unnatural obstruction, relieves painful or suppressed menstruation, cures Leucorrhœa or whites, Falling of the Womb, Hysterics, Chlorisis, Palpitation, nervousness, Swimming and Giddiness of the Head, Melancholy, Ulceration and Irritation of the Womb, Derangement of the Kidneys and Bladder. In fact all diseases that are peculiar to the female sex—afflicting old or young married or single. Send and get one bottle, it will do you good.

YOUR LIFE BLOOD

Must be changed, in order to be relieved of that troublesome class of diseases requiring pure blood.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

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Is recognized by the Medical Profession as the Best and most reliable Blood Purifier now before the public, and why? Simply because It is composed of the best vegetable Tonics for that purpose, viz: Stillingia, Yellow Dock, Sarasaarilla, Burdock, and Iodine of Potash. For Scrofula, Cutaneous, Mercurial Disease, Gout, Rheumatism, Glandular Tumors and Swellings, old Ulcers and old Sores, Constitutional Derangements, etc., it acts like a charm.

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Fluid Ext. Bearberry, Cubebs and Buchu.

A highly concentrated medical compound, expressly for affections of the Kidneys and Bladder, such as Incontinuence, Frequent Desire to Urinate, Urinary Deposits, Thick or Milky Urine, Effects of early Dissipation, Nervous Trembling, Gravel, Gout, Pains in the Back, Gleet, Loss of Energy, Strangury, and all affections requiring a quick and reliable Diuretic.

In all cases of a want of action on the part of the Kidneys and Bladder, affecting old or young, male or female, this compound can be relied on.

CHILLS AND FEVER

Can be so easily cured by using one package of Dromgoole & Co's King of Chills, which never fails to arouse the Liver, clears the Stomach, open the Bowels and relieves the most inveterate case of Chills. One package will cure a case of six months standing.

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RED DIARRHŒA REMEDY.

The most certain and effectual cure for all forms of Diarrhœa, Nausea, nod Vomiting, Cramps, Chills, Pains in the Bowels and Stomach, summer complaint of children while teething, etc. In its exceedingly pleasant, cools and quiets the stomach, is not an alcoholic preparation, contains no kino, catechu, opium, logwood, etc. It imparts tone to the already debilitated stomach and bowels, and no family should be without a bottle. It never fails to cure.

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Why is it you continue to suffer with Piles, when the remedy to cure you can be so easily obtained? Do not suffer another day, send immediately and get one box of Dromgoole & Co's Pile Salve and be cured. Internal or external Piles, whether recent or long standing can be cured immediately.

Cannot Southern Physicians cure the Piles as well as any one else? Try our remedy them.

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Gray hairs honorable can have them removed and restored to their original color without staining the skin or scalp. It does not dye the hair—but simply restores it to its former color—and in the same manner prevents it from falling off, cleanses the scalp of all dandruff and scurf, imparts a beautiful gloss and tonnes up the hair, and finally makes the bald as any other preparation. It is Dromgoole & Co's Tonic Hair restorer. It is warranted.

The Great Southern Preparation as a class of Family Medicines should be used by every body.

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KEEP always on hand, a large and complete stock of Drugs and Medicines, such as Opium, Castor Oil, Spirits Turpentine, Spanse, Rhubarb, Cream Tartar, Bi-carbonate Soda, Epsom Salts, Essential Oils, Dotted Swiss, &c., and in fact all

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Liquors,

SPICES, LEXINGTON MUSTARD, PAINTS, OILS & COLORS,

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Our stock embraces everything coming within the Drug Business. Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction.

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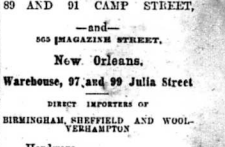

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TOBACCO MERCHANTS,
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ARE PREPARED to furnish Planters and Merchants with the best Brands of Kentucky and Virginia Leaf Tobacco, at prices merely nominal. The enormous Government Tax on MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, has caused so much adulteration, that it is almost impossible to get a pure article. The undersigned are EXPERIENCED TOBACCONISTS, and will, upon receipt of orders, ship to any address given in the following prices: BEST CHEWING, $1 to 1 cents per pound, BEST SMOKING 1$ to 1 cents per pound, neatly put up in boxes from 25 to 100 pounds, of one pound packages, and warrant of the best quality—superior to any manufactured in the market.

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Hon. R. L. Henderson, Mayor, Meridian.
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Judge Thornton, Oktibbeha, Miss.
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AGENTS WANTED.—Any active young man with two hundred dollars capital can make from $75 to $100 per week. Apply at once, or address, with stamp, for particulars,

PLEASANTS & CO.,
Cor. of 9th Street and Water Street,
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CONFECTIONERY.

WE have just opened a Fresh Lot of Confectioneries from the best of manufacturers, as follows: Fine Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Dates, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, and we are determined to supply the trade with the best of everything in the market, and will sell as low as the lowest. Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere.

TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS

We will keep constantly on hand a full supply of our Goods of groceries, so that we may not be left in a destitute condition at any time, and will endeavor to keep the trade supplied with fresh goods. Thankful for past favors, we hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same.

HALLIGAN & HUDGINS,
Front Street, above Market House,
MERIDIAN, MISS.

CITY MARKET,

SANFORD BUILDING, MERIDIAN, MISS.

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that he has opened a Market House in the above building, and will keep constantly on hand a full supply of Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Sausage, Lard, Poultry, Fish, Oysters, Vegetables, Fruits, &c., &c., and will endeavor to keep the trade supplied with fresh meats, &c., at reasonable prices. Thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same.

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Four Months through out the States are authorized to act as agents for the Gazette, and will be allowed twenty five per cent. on all cash remittances.

☞ Encouraged by the liberal patronage extended the Gazette, and with a view to increase its circulation, we offer the following liberal inducements:

We will send five copies of the Weekly Gazette one year for.....$10.00.
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Five copies of Semi-Weekly one year.....$20.00.
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2000 SACKS OF CORN

JUST RECEIVED BY

SMITH'S & PARSONS, Vicksburg, Miss.

Starch Gloss, makes Old Linen look like new. 25 cents per cake.

Imperial Blue, Best in the World. 10 cents per box.

Waters Magic Ointment, for Sores, Burns, &c. 25 cents per box.

For sale by SMITH & ALFORD, and JNO. W. HARVEY.
may30wd&wlm.

The proceedings of the last meeting of the City Council, show that our city officials are going to fight Mr. Ragsdale's Junction bill. To do otherwise, would have the effect of breaking up our local government entirely, something the people of Meridian will not readily consent to.

Col. Martin Keary, the newly appointed United States revenue officer, for the Second District of Mississippi, was here the other day looking after the interests of the Government. He went down to Shubuta to seize a "still" belonging to some parties recently arraigned and bound over by Commissioners Gibbons and Walker. He returns to Meridian, again we understand, this week.

George P. Shedd has a lager beer saloon in full blast in the house adjoining Hill Henderson & Co's, on Lee Street. The latter dispensed by Shedd, is noted for its superior excellence, and we would advise the lovers of the beverage to try it.

Kahn, Woolf & Aaron.—We invite special attention to the card of this enterprising firm, to be found among our new advertisements this morning. They have just received one of the largest assortments of goods, of the most select variety to be found in East Mississippi, and are offering their prints at remarkably low figures.

Calicoes at 12½ to 20 cents per yard.
Lawns at 20 cents per yard.
4-4 domestics at 16 to 25 cents per yard.

We have had the pleasure of examining a portion of their latest arrival, and are fully satisfied that our lady friends can find no better bargains or more durable prints, than at this house. Give them a call at an early day.

Halloran & Hornuth.—It is with pleasure that we direct attention to the Confectionery establishment of these gentlemen. They have, at much expense and labor, succeeded in establishing one of the best Confectionery and Ice Cream Saloons in this city. The interior arrangements are both attractive and commodious, and we are glad to know that this establishment is fast becoming a favorite resort for the ladies and gentlemen during the warm and oppressive weather now upon us.—They deserve the thanks of the community for fitting up so agreeable resort, and will undoubtedly receive a liberal patronage.

Mrs. Norton is now in receipt of a fresh arrival of ladies' hats and bonnets, ribbons, trimmings, cashes, all of the latest style, and in endless variety. Now is the time to call at Mrs. Norton's.

The great object of persons who have become debilitated and feel forewarned of disease, is a remedy. Many think that biliousness is the cause, and use medicine which but feeds the disease. To all who feel thus, we suggest that they try a bottle of the Red Jacket Bitters, which will invigorate the system and promote perfect health.

We invite attention to the card of Smiths & Parsons, Vicksburg, and to the fact that they are now offering for sale three thousand sacks of corn, just received from St. Louis, by barge. There is no better firm in Vicksburg than Smiths & Parsons, and they sell at prices that defy competition.—They are agents for the Mississippi Valley Transportation Company at St. Louis, and receive weekly large shipments of corn, flour, &c., thus offering superior inducements to merchants. Our young friend, J.J. Hood, formerly of Scott County, is with this house, and will be glad to serve his friends. Besides, J. A. Jones, of this city, well known to our merchants, is in their employment, and will be pleased to see his many friends from this section, when they visit the Hill City. may30-tf.

Another Wonder and Novelty.

Wonders and novelties never cease. Men have ever been experimenting on and improving fluids to dissipate darkness. Various vessels have been invented, and numerous liquids discovered to give the world artificial light. The latest, and we believe about the best, is the Meteor Safety Fluid. It possesses advantages that cannot be claimed by the friends of any other burning fluid. It is non-explosive; as convenient as a candle; will not smoke out; generates its own gas; the wick needs no trimming; the lamp is free from smoke, smell or grease; needs no chimney and cannot get out of order, and burning seven ninety fifty per cent of oil over the usual burning fluids, the cost of operation is equal to that of any other known fluid. These recommendations must certainly secure its adoption everywhere. Fulton, Patton & Co., of this place are the agents for Lauderdale County, and Chunnet county for Alabama, and can supply all with sufficient quantities. Call and examine the fluid and lamps. [Jackson Mississippian.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Meridian, Miss., June 1st, 1867.

A regular meeting of the Board was held.

Present: R. T. Henderson, Mayor; Messrs. Ramsey, Bush, Hart and Smith, Aldermen.

The minutes of last regular meeting read and after correction, approved.

The special Committee on Guard House, made the following report:

To the Hon. Board of
Mayor and Aldermen:

Gentlemen: Your special Committee to whom was referred the City guard house, would beg leave to report:

1st. I have examined the same and ascertained that it will take about two thousand feet of lumber, costing say.....$30.00
Three kegs nails, : : : 37 00
Labor in putting it up, : : 40 00

Total cost, : : : : $103 00

which will render it as secure as the present structure will admit, and as secure as a majority of prisons in this section of the country.

2d. It will cost the city not far from two thousand dollars to build such a structure for a guard house as the growing necessities of the place demand.

Your Committee would therefore recommend your Honorable body to have the necessary repairs made on the present prison.

Respectfully submitted,
L. M. HART,
Special Committee.

The following resolutions were introduced:

By Alderman Ramsey:

Resolved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Meridian, That the Committee on guard house be instructed to contract with parties to make the present guard house of the city secure against the escape of prisoners, but such contract as may be entered into shall not bind the City to the payment of more than one hundred and ten (110) dollars. Adopted.

By Alderman Hart:

Resolved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. That the Mayor be authorized to draw his warrant for one hundred dollars to cover any deficiencies in expenditures on account of streets. Adopted.

Resolved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That the Mayor be authorized to employ the necessary counsel to defend the city in the suit now pending between the city and Lewis A. Ragsdale. Adopted.

An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled an Ordinance to provide a revenue for the City of Meridian.

Be it enacted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That the ordinance approved September 4th, 1866, entitled an ordinance to provide a revenue for the city, be amended so as to include wagon and baggage transfers, at an annual tax of fifteen (15) dollars. On motion, the rules were suspended and it was passed.

By Alderman Hart:

The following Ordinance having laid over one month, was passed:

An Ordinance in regard to Cabinet and Carpenter Shops.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That all cabinet and carpenter shops be required to be cleared of all shavings and small combustible chippings once in each and every day, and carried to a secure place and burned.

Be it further ordained, That for violation of the above, upon conviction, the party or parties shall be fined in a sum not less than five, nor more than fifty dollars.

Be it further ordained, That this ordinance be in full force and effect, from and after its passage.

A petition was received, signed by Dred Finley, Adam Cathey, Richard Mathis and others, in regard to the number of colored prostitutes in town, and their propositions to assist in ridding the city of such characters, and asking for the protection of the city authorities in hunting up and crushing out the evil spoken of.

On motion, it was resolved that the attention of the police be called to the vagrant act, and that they be required to arrest such persons to be punished at the discretion of the Mayor.

Introduced by Alderman Hart,

Resolved that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen appoint overseers of streets in their respective districts:

1st. district, D. C. Smith; 2d. district, A. White; 3d. district, T. A. Lilley; 4th. district, Dr. Berry; 5th. district, H. C. Crowther.

Resolved, That the overseers be ordered to proceed to duty.

Received—Treasurer's monthly report which shows balance on hand from April.....$33
Amount collected in May.....$1,344 00
$1,344 99

Amount paid out.....$1,266 17
Treasurer's cone, for 2 months.....$7,0 15 $1,336 32
$1805

The following accounts were examined and ordered paid:

C. W. Henderson, furnishing copy of the certificate of Injunction Bill, filed by L. A. Rucker.....$3 00
R. L. Henderson, cash for removing dead animals.....1 50
Jno. Casey, services in Mayor's office.....4 00
Coleman & Shedd, corn for mule.....2 96
Smith & Alford, sundries to destitute.....6 75
Broach, Brown & Co., sundries per order Mayor.....16 00
Loiyd, White & Co., provisions for mule and destitute.....19 30
Jno. W. Harvey, nails for city.....1 40
A. B. Wagner, services as sexton.....16 00
G. P. Shedd, recording cattle slaughtered.....9 75
G. P. Shedd, services as Marshal.....50 00
Isaac Pollerman, $25 each.....100 00
R. P. Terrell, feeding prisoners.....18 50
On motion, the Board adjourned,
Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

J. C. Lloyd,
Clerk.

We return our thanks for a complimentary ticket to a grand tournament, which is to come off at Water Valley, on the 5th and 6th of July next.

In the notice of the Fair, recently given by the children of the Baptist Sunday School, the types made our friend "D." say the proceeds amounted to sixteen dollars, when it should have read forty-six dollars and eighty cents.

A couple of masked men entered the jail at St. Joseph, Missouri, one night lately, and demanded the keys of the cells. After a little skirmish between them and the guard the masked gentlemen made their escape. Their object was to liberate two prisoners.

The Probable Fate of the Negro.—Monsr. Du Chaillu, the African explorer, who has been lecturing in this vicinity lately, gives it as his opinion that the negro race will become extinct by this century in course of time.—N. Y. Sunday Times.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Washington, June 2.—The rules and forms of bankruptcy have been delayed by repeated alterations, over which the officers have been consulted by mail. It is now stated that they will be issued about the 8th inst.

Gen. Burton, Commandant at Fortress Monroe, has been ordered to proceed to Charleston with companies B and H of the 5th artill ry.

J. M. Withers, of Mobile, is at Willard's Hotel.

New York, June 2.—The Herald's special, dated Rio Janeiro, May 20th, via London, June 1st, says that the meditations of the United States had been declined by the Brazilian Government, and renewed preparations were being made to prosecute the war to an end. Gen. Urquiesa, it was reported, had revolted against the allies, taking with him 1,000 men. There had been no further fighting. Cholera had raged in the allied camps. The rest in the Argentine provinces is reported ended.

Richmond, June 2.—The President, on his trip hither from Washington, was accompanied by Secretary Seward. Postmaster General Randall, Col. W. Gilliss of the President's staff, Surgeon Basil Howes, U. S. A., Col. J. P. O'Blerns, Col. H. Seward, Gen. Mantington, Potomac steamboat company, and Gen. R. O. Tyler. The last named is the Chief Quartermaster of the Second Military District, detailed by Gen. Sickles to act as one of the escort.

Montreal, June 2.—Two small steamers, Admiral Porter and Wm. Pitt Fessenden and Tempest from New York, bound west, were seized by the customhouse officers. The seizure was generally attributed to suspected Fenianism, but the fact is, the freedom of the St. Lawrence is to be tested with the abrogation of the Reciprocity Treaty, and foreign vessels cannot come further than Quebec without a special permit from the United States. Papers have been sent for, and pending their arrival the vessels are detained.

Washington, June 3.—The election here is progressing very quietly.

The Judiciary Committee is engaged in investigating the circumstances connected with the parties of Alabama Gayle, who offered a million dollars for Lincoln's assassination.

Washington, June 3.—The Judiciary Committee have adjourned until the 20th of June. This early re-assembling is for the purpose of reporting to Congress, should it re-assemble in July.

The final vote to impeach the President was lost by a vote of 4 to 5. Ayes—Fessenden, Thomas, Williams and Lawrence. Ayes—Wilson, Wooldride, Eldridge, Marshall and Churchill.

A resolution declaring the President to have committed acts worthy the condemnation of the people was passed by a vote of 7 to 2; nays Eldridge and Marshall.

On the first vote of censure, Boutwell and Thomas voted negatively, but finally changed their votes.

New York, June 3.—Frazer, Trenholm & Co.'s circular, announcing suspension, expresses their hope of a speedy resumption.

Raleigh, June 3.—The President was met by the following named officers: State Treasurer Battle, Secretary of State Pool, Comptroller Burgin; United States Marshal Woodlee, and also by a committee of the City Council.

The United States gun-boat Ashuelot has been bombarding a town in Formosa, the native of which had murdered the crew of an American barque, the Rover, who were shipwrecked upon that coast. Formosa lies off the southeastern coast of China, and the inhabitants are a savage and inhospitable. The offense is a very gross, and there seems to be no other way of teaching barbarians the duties of humanity, than by phisical force.

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The prize money will be placed in the hands of the judges and awarded on the field, when the queen of the tilting shall be announced

A crown will accompany the first prize and a wreath, each, with the second and third.

The Knight who wins the first prize shall be heralded "Rt. Royal Knight," and will have the honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty.

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The tilting will be made with the lance. Lance to be nine feet long.

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Each Knight will be entitled to three tilts, and in case of unavoidable accidents, may repeat the ride, not to exceed three tilts—maximum six. All ties to be decided upon the quickest time.

The circle will be two hundred and fifty yards in circumference. One hundred and fifteen yards to be made. Time—seconds.

All points of dispute growing out of the exercises to be referred to the judges, whose decision will be final.

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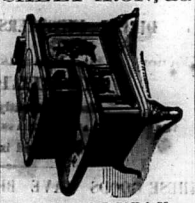

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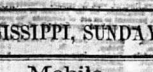

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

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A gentleman from Mississippi named P. C. Chewell, formerly a captain in the Confederate service, committed suicide recently in St. Louis by taking morphine. A letter was found on his person from a lady in Mississippi full of expressions of friendship and affection, but affording no particular information as to his past history.

Meridian presents decidedly a city like appearance. It has sprung from its ashes, and has taken a new growth, which gives promise of its very considerable importance as a city at no very remote day. Among its acquisitions, we note the hotel of our old friend, Gen. Patton, which is becoming a very popular establishment. By the way the General is a very valuable man to his country. His versatility is remarkable. He can do anything his hand finds to do. He was a good Confederate officer. He served his people acceptably in both branches of the State Legislature; is a Mason of very high position in his Order, and delivers addresses of rare elegance and classic taste, abounding in facts, fancies, figures, and tropes in commemoration of its divine mission; and withal, knows how "to keep house." For his single sake, we wish him success in all his undertakings.—*Clarion.*

"Ma," said a little girl to her mother, "do the men want to get married as much as the women do?" "Pshaw! what are you talking about?" "Why, ma, the women who come here are always talking about getting married, the men don't."

WELL PUT.—We can add nothing to the weighty considerations put forth in the following brief paragraph from the New York Times. Let us hope that this stubborn lesson in finance will not be forgotten by the next session of Congress;

With the Mississippi levees reconstructed, and the richest lands of Louisiana and Mississippi once more in cultivation, the increased receipts of the cotton tax would amount to nine or ten millions yearly. The failure of Congress to meet the question twelve months ago is punished by the present widespread inundations, which will entail a loss of receipts from cotton estimated at from four to ten millions. The difference between might have been and what will be, therefore, exceed twenty millions a figure which the country can ill afford to lose. Apart, then, from the humanity of a well-timed relief measure for rebuilding the levees, its financial wisdom is susceptible of demonstration. The guarantee of a few millions now, to enable the work to proceed, would be repaid tenfold in a few years.

ST. PETER'S DAY AT ROME.—The approaching festival of St. Peter's Martyrdom will occur on Saturday, the 29th of June, with extraordinary pomp and ceremony. The Pope has invited all the bishops in Christendom, who can find the means of doing so, to accept his invitation, to assemble beneath the dome of St. Peter's on the day of St. Peter and St. Paul. Five hundred bishops have already signified their intention to attend the ceremonies, and it is anticipated that not less than eight hundred prelates of every tongue and nation, and race and color, from all parts of the globe will be present on this great occasion. The largest number of American Bishops have sailed from New York on their way to Rome.

A BRIDGE OF PEOPLE IN ST. LOUIS.—Mrs. Eliza S. Perkins, a beautiful and luxuriant widow, with an eye of fire and a form of sylph-like proportions, has brought suit in the Circuit Court against one James Hall, for $10,000 damages. We know nothing about Mr. Hall, neither does the Deputy Sheriff, who has been unable to find him to serve the notice upon him. The officer does not know the defendant even by sight, and is hunting for him with the document in one hand and the defendant's photograph in the other, by the aid of which he hopes to identify him and bring him into court. Judging from the picture, Mr. Hall is a handsome man, somewhat declined into the vale of years, with a face that might have been handsome forty years ago, and an expression of sadness that might have been caused by disappointed love. Mr. Hall has probably left the city, and if he sees this notice will save trouble by coming forward and delivering up $100,000, or taking the fascinating widow for his lawful wife.—St. Louis Democrat.

Dr. J. W. Dennis, formerly of Peoria, Illinois, about three weeks ago, eloped with a Mrs. Harris, of Onedia, Illinois. Dennis leaves two wives and three children behind; Mrs. Harris leaves a husband and three children. The most damnable act on Dennis' part was to sell his real estate, piano and take her gold watch, which her father gave her long since, and leave her not a dime to subsist upon.

Charges are being carried at Washington against Gen. Pope, Governor of Louisiana, and efforts are being made to have Gen. Sheridan removed.

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REGISTER, REGISTER.

The work of registration commences in Lauderdale on Saturday the 15th inst. We ask the attention of our subscribers in this county to the notice by the Board of their appointments at the different precincts. Register yourself and use your influence with your neighbor to register also. Prepare to vote and take part in the government of the country.—The time is limited and the opportunity to register should not be neglected.

Encouraged by the liberal support that the public in this part of the State have given the Gazette, and with a view to increase still farther its circulation, we have reduced the subscription price of the Weekly to two dollars per annum. Notwithstanding the scarcity of money, our circulation has increased during the last three months and is now double that of any paper that has been published in Meridian or in this part of the State since the removal of the Clarion to Jackson. The Weekly Gazette is the cheapest paper in the State, will have but few advertisements and contains a complete epitome of all the news for the week. A little effort on the part of our friends would soon double our circulation.

A subscriber at Paulding complains at the delay and irregularity in receiving our paper at that office. The semi-weekly is issued on every Thursday and Sunday. The Weekly on Tuesday. As the papers are mailed on the day of their date, the weekly should be received at Paulding Tuesday evening—the semi-weekly of Thursday on Thursday evening, and the semi-weekly of Sunday on the Tuesday following.

Rev. A. Slover, a member of the Legislature from Tippah county, died at his residence in that county, a few weeks since.

Officer W. M. Rogers, of the Memphis Police, was shot last Tuesday in the streets of Memphis by a drunken fireman named Thomas Pruett.

The Clarion of the 5th says we are sorry to learn that our friend D. M. Lamkin, of the firm of Johnson & Lamkin, Vicksburg, had his leg broken by accident on board the steamer Calumet, last week.

We will thank our friends in different parts of the State, and especially in the Eastern counties, to send us information of the condition of the crops, progress of registration, number of white and colored voters registered, &c. &c.

Messrs. Power & Jones of the Clarion, have purchased the stereotype plates from which the rules of practice and proceedings in Bankruptcy are being printed at Washington, and will soon commence printing them for the use of lawyers and others in this State. The book will be sent post paid, for $1 25 per copy.

We have just seen an intelligent gentleman from Jasper county, who states that the Board of Registers had completed registration at the Hickory Grove box, and the result was 110 colored and 60 white voters registered. Jasper will give a large majority in favor of a Convention.

Yellow fever is reported to be in Havana.

Thos. J. Durant telegraphs Gen. Sheridan he will not accept the Governorship chair of Louisiana. He has been living in Philadelphia—practising law—since the July riots, and it is said never intends returning to the Pelican State.

Gen. Pope upon the recommendation of Maj. Gen. Swayne has removed the entire Boards of Aldermen and Common Council of the city of Mobile and appointed six Aldermen and eighteen Councilmen to take their places.

The Booth Diary.

So much has been said and written about the Booth Diary that the President recently applied to the Secretary of War for a copy of it, which was promptly furnished, certified to by Judge Advocate Holt, who affirms that in all respects it is as when it came into his possession, and refers to the statement of Col. Conger that it had not been mutilated since taken from Booth's body. It is short and rather shows there was no plot, in the true meaning of the term, for the assassination of the late President Lincoln. "Until to-day" he says in one of his entrys, "nothing was ever thought of sacrificing to our country's wrongs." If the intention to assassinate was conceived upon the day of its execution the innocence of Mrs. Surratt is pretty well established. Booth writes that he thought he was performing an act of heroic self-sacrifice—was doing "what Brutus was honored for, what made Tell a hero."

The diary, if correct, is a remarkable chapter of the history of the times and the public are yet at a loss to know why it has been so long secreted. It would have been of much value if used at the Surratt trial, and relieved President Johnson of Butler's insinuation of complicity in the assassination, if permitted to have gone before the country. But let us look at the different statements of the men who handled the document as given by a cotemporary, and see if suspicions of forgery are not well founded. Joe Holt testified before the Judiciary Committee of the House, that Colonel Conger brought the diary to him, fresh from Booth's body. He afterwards admitted that Conger had not given the diary to him, but had given it to Stanton, who had given it to Eckert, who had given it to Holt. Stanton denies this statement, and says Conger gave the book to the notorious detective, Baker, and that Baker brought it to him. Conger swore that the book is in the same condition it was when he took it from Booth's body, and Holt testifies that it has not been altered. Butler asserts, that the book has been spoliated—that leaves which would have established the innocence of Mrs. Surratt, have been cut out; and even Baker declares that the diary is not in the condition it was when he first saw it. He says that it contained an account of Booth's killing his horse in a tangled wood to escape detection, and then sleeping between the animal's legs to get the warmth while it remained in the dead body during all of one night.

A writer in the New York World thus gives his reasons for believing from internal evidence that the diary is not genuine. He says:

"It was probably written, at the instigation of the detective Baker, by some newspaper correspondent. It bears in every line the marks of invention. In some places this is overdone. Booth is made to say: *I shouted sic semper* before I fired. It is absurd to suppose the real Booth would have written such a thing. Again: In jumping I broke my leg. I rode sixty miles that night with the bone of my leg tearing the flesh at every jump." Then, the bone of his leg still tearing his flesh, enemies on every side, all the crossings guarded, the fatal circle of foes steadily closing in, every secon.l of time of incalculable value, the necessity for devoting every faculty to the business of escape a matter of vital importance, Booth sits down to write several hundred words of maudlin nonsense. There is hardly a semblance of reality in that 'diary.'

As to the reason of this forgery, if forgery it is, the writer in the World says:

"But what necessity for forgoing a diary? One of two things is true. Either Baker and his associates killed the wrong man, or, killing the right man, they forged this diary in order to magnify the importance of their deed and the importance of the supposed plot which resulted in assassination. If one supposes that they killed the wrong man, a dozen mysterious circumstances are explained.—Then one understands why the story that Booth is still alive is so frequently reaffirmed; why men, apparently responsible, deliberrly announce that they have seen him; why the corpse of the supposed assassin was so mysteriously hurried into a concealed pit; why even the clothing of the supposed Booth was dr.s royed; why there was every-where a labored attempt to prove that Booth had indeed been killed.

The Mobile papers tell us that Samuel Lyons of the banking firm of James Tait & Co. of Mobile, has absconded, taking with him some fifty thousand dollars. A free use of the telegraph has failed to apprehend him.

Crops in Pontotoc County.—Corn looks well and is growing fast. The wheat crop is fine and cotton gives satisfaction.

A. L. Pope, an old citizen of Mobile died Wednesday night.

The office of the Columbus Index is offered for sale.

The Past and Present.

We find the following in the Chicago Republican of a late date:

The order No. 5 of Gen. Ord, commanding the Fourth Military District, which virtually prevents all freedom of action in taking any part in political matters, is creating some talk in Mississippi, and at least one prominent citizen, Hon. W. L. Sharkey, of Pontotoc, has written to Secretary Stanton and Gen. Grant, asking that Gen. Ord be required either to modify the order or that he be removed, so as to give the people of the State more than just the right to pray. We may wrote a long letter to Gen. Ord, telling him that it was absolutely necessary to overcome both the Democratic party in Mississippi that a branch of the Republican party should be organized. Gen. Ord returns this letter with the indorsement that he holds the opinion that the most important duty devolving upon freedmen is that they provide by their own labor for their support, and that he cannot see that this opinion can be construed to the benefit of rebels or Union men: to prevent poverty and starvation among the masses the soil must be tilled. Part 3 of General Order No. 5 means this, and this only, and has no political bearing whatever, as the General commanding has no connection with political parties. He will neither prevent nor assist party organizations.

"How little do they see what is who frame their hasty judgments upon that which seems." In looking over the proceedings of what is known as the Secession Convention, we find this same R. W. Flournoy was there to aid in voting the State out of the Union. Here is the vote taken on the adoption of the Ordinance of Secession:

Yeas—Mr. President, Alcorn, Anderson, Aldridge, Barksdale, Baldwin, Backstrom, Booth, Brantly, Brooke, Benton, Beene, Berry, Boling, Bookter, Clayton of Marshall, Clayton of Lowndes, Catchings, Chalmers, Colbert, Clapp, O. Davis, J. S. Davis, Deane, Demaris, Dunbar, Dyer, Deason, Eckford, Edwards, Effett, Finer, *Flournoy*, Fountaine, George, Glenn, Gwin, Gwin, Harris, Herring, Hill, Holt, Isom, Johnson of DeSoto, Johnson of Jefferson, Jones, Keirn, Keith, Kennedy, King, Lea, Lamar, Lewers, Lewis, Mason, McGehee, of Panola, Miller of Pontotoc, Miller of Tunica, Neely, Nelson, Orr, Patteson, Powell of Covington, Powell of Jones, Ramsey, Roberts Rogers, Semmes, Smart, Sumner, Stevens, Terrell, Theo, Taylor, Thompson, Vaughan, Walter, Welsh, Witty, Wilkinson, Woods, Wright —84.

Nays.—Blair, Bonds, Bullard, Cummings, Farrar, Hurst, Myers, Marshall, Parker, Dr. Rogers, Rodgers, Thorton, Winchester, Yerger, Young—15.

And when Mr. Alcorn's motion came up providing that the Ordinance should not go into effect until at least the States of Alabama, Georgia, Florida and Louisiana, seceded from the Union and resumed their sovereignty, R. W. Flournoy of Pontotoc, voted *nay;* he wanted to shove Mississippi out forthwith. Now he is prating about the political rights of the negro and urging the organization of a radical party in the State. This outward sainted lover of the negroes rights will hardly do to trust, Mr. Stanton. He frames his face to all occasions.

Whether Mr. Flournoy was as ready to fight for secession as he was to vote for it, we are not advised. The reply of Gen. Ord to the impertinent suggestions of this latter day saint, is manly and patriotic and should commend him to every patriot, no matter where he lives, North or South. Gen. Ord has a proper conception of the dignity of his position, and will not prostitute his office to break down or build up political parties.

Here is what Gen. Sheridan telegraphs Secretary Stanton about Gov. Wells of Louisiana, whom he has just removed:

I say now unequivocally that Gov. Wells is a political trickster and a dishonest man. I have seen him myself, when I first came to this command, turn out all the Union men who had supported the Government, and put in their stead rebel soldiers, some of whom had not yet doffed their gray uniform. I have seen him during the July riot of 1866, skulk away where I could not find him to give him a guard, instead of coming out as a manly representative of the State and joining those who were preserving the peace. I have watched him since, and his conduct has been as sinuous as the mark left in the dust by the movement of a snake.

I say again that he is dishonest, and dishonesty is more than must be expected of me.

Gov. Wells, it should be remembered, began his career as a "persecuted loyalist" and for a time won a little fame among the radicals, but of late there has been "none so poor as to do him reverence."

It is now reported that Maximilian and officers have not been executed. They surrendered their swords to Escobedo.

Wendell Philips is losing his temper and with it his logic. A few weeks ago, he stood before the country in somewhat admirable attitude of an agitator, an outlaw. Now he affects the loyalist. The change shorns him of one-half the locks of his strength. His last cry is one of rage at the purchase of Jefferson Davis, and at Horace Greeley for going bail for him. He speaks of Davis as "the wretch who sought to crush the most beneficent government in the world." Wendell forgets that he was said in the Surgerist of John Brown, and that, to use his own words he "labored for dissolution for nineteen years."

The New Albany (Ia.) Ledger gives an account of the murder of his wife and only son by Thomas J. Smith, formerly of Floyd county, and the subsequent suicide of Smith, near Darby, Perry county, Ia. The suicide left a communication complaining of domestic disagreement.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registrators" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will, in pursuance of an act of Congress, entitled "An Military District, visit the several precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress "to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States," passed March 2d, 1867, to-wit:

Meridian,	Saturday,	June 15, '67,	remain 10 days.
Marion,	Friday,	" 28,	" 5 days.
Enterprise,	Friday,	July 5,	" 4 days.
Lockhart,	Monday,	" 15,	" 4 days.
Martin's,	Saturday,	" 20,	" 2 days.
Hickory Grove,	Tuesday,	" 23,	" 2 days.
Russell's,	Thursday,	" 25,	" 2 days.
Independence,	Friday,	" 26,	" 2 days.
Collinsville,	Friday,	Aug. 2,	" 2 days.
Daleville,	Friday,	" 9,	" 3 days.
Toomsuba,	Monday,	" 12,	" 3 days.
Alamutcha,	Monday,	" 19,	" 3 days.
Wye Ned,	Monday,	" 26,	" 3 days.
Meridian,	Monday,	Sept. 2,	" 3 days.

Offices hereby form 8 o'clock, A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 P. M. to 7

Citizens generally are respectfully requested to give publicity to this notice. All who are entitled under the act of Congress, are asked to embrace this opportunity to register. Employers of persons are requested to facilitate their attendance on the Board. The Board will endeavor to facilitate registration, and it is desirable that all classes entitled to vote should be present in their attendance at the places and times named.

WM. CATHEY, }
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"	" down	7.25 A. M.
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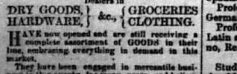

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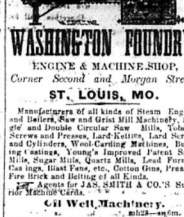

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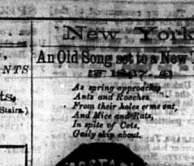

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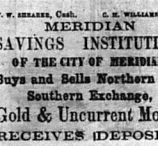

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J. J. SHANNON, : : : : : : : : Editor

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Dr. Harmon and the Enterprise and East Mississippi Relief Society.

We call the attention of our readers, and especially those in the counties of Clarke, Lauderdale, Jasper and Newton, to the following article from the Cairo Democrat of last Saturday.—The statement that the people of these counties "are without clothing to cover their nakedness, and are barely kept alive by the bread of charity," and that "old dresses, coats, pantaloons, shirts, boots or shoes, no difference how much worn, will be received by these nearly naked people with feelings of the deepest gratitude," will excite surprise and indignation in the counties named. We know there is a scarcity of provisions in this section, and indeed throughout the State, owing to the failure of the crop of last year, but nothing to warrant Dr. Harmon in making representations that would call forth such an article. There have been and still are many persons here in want of corn and meat to carry on their farms, who would be abundantly able to pay for any supplies they could purchase as soon as their crops come in. They relied on commission merchants for advances, and have been disappointed. There are others destitute; some from illness, and many from misfortune.—Contributions of provisions from the west, properly distributed, would be productive of much good. But the destitution in clothing is not general; the cases are exceptional, such as might be found in any part of the country, North or South. So far as clothing is concerned, the people of the counties named, whether white or black, are not the ragged vagabonds Dr. Harmon would make believe. We have, during the last few months, been in all of these counties, and we neither saw nor heard of the "nakedness" that Dr. Harmon proposes to clothe.

So far as the assertion, on the authority of Dr. Harmon, that "during the past six years, the youth of the localities named have not had a single days schooling, and now that Sunday Schools are being established, there is great anxiety upon their part to attend, but they cannot do so on account of their almost entire nakedness," it may surprise our Cairo contemporary to learn that in these localities there are several thousand well dressed children attending schools daily and in these benighted regions there are many well conducted institutions of learning in successful operation, that are educating both white and colored children. The cases of children that "have not had a day's schooling" and can't attend Sunday school for want of clothing, are certainly very few in number and confined to the very poor and worthless, such as might be found in Illinois or any State of the Union. We understand the merchants of Cairo have contributed liberally to relieve the wants of many of our people. We thank them for that, and we thank our friend of the Democrat for his sympathy, but must respectfully decline to put them to the trouble of looking up their old worn out "boots and shoes" to send us. We can also dispense with the "old pieces of carpet, torn bed clothes" &c. The counties that Dr. Harmon assumes to represent contain a population of 44,000 —24,500 whites and 19,500 colored. The Gazette has a large circulation in these counties and our subscribers will sustain us in the assertion that the facts as they exist, whether among our white or colored population, do not justify Dr. Harmon in creating such an impression. We think Dr. H. had better come home and that the Enterprise Relief Society would do well to appoint another agent. Such gross exaggerations to say the least of it, are sufficient to cast suspicion on all his transactions.

From the Cairo Democrat, June 8th.

Another Call for Relief.

NAKEDNESS AND STARVATION.

Dr. J. W. Harmon, representing the Enterprise and East-Mississippi Relief Society is now in the city. He holds a commission to act, signed by Governor Humphreys, of Mississippi, and stamped with the seal of the State.

The people of Clark, Jasper, Lauderdale and Newton counties, Mississippi, whose he represents, are in a pitiable condition of destitution. They are without clothing to conceal their nakedness, and are barely kept alive by the bread of charity. He is here therefore to obtain provisions, money or any kind of old cast-off clothing. Old dresses, coats, pantaloons, shirts, boots, or shoes, no difference how badly worn, will be received by these nearly naked people with feelings of the deepest gratitude—There are in the city thousands of garments thrown by as useless, or kept in reserve for the rag man, that would prove very acceptable to these poor people. That there may be no hesitation about sending ragged articles of apparel, he has authorized to ask for even old pieces of carpet, torn bed clothes, or any articles that can be manufactured into the very roughest kind of clothing. Contributions may be left at the auction rooms of Lyas T. Parker, on the Ohio Levee, or they will be called for in any part of the city.

Dr. Harmon informs us that during the past six years, the youth of the localities named have not had a single day's schooling, and now that Sunday schools are being established, there is great anxiety upon their part to attend, but they cannot do so on account of their almost entire nakedness.

The ministers of the various churches of the city, are requested to make this call known to their congregations. The wants of the people represented by Dr. Harmon, are of a pressing character, and every means calculated to secure prompt relief must be adopted.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

AUGUSTA, GA., June 7.—Gov. Orr, addressed the citizens of Anderson District, S. C., After reviewing the various plans proposed during the war for reconstruction, he earnestly insisted upon the acceptance of the plan of reconstruction, now proposed as the only means of preventing the administration of the affairs of the country passing into the hands exclusively of the ignorant, and consequently the barbarian and tyrant, and as the only hope of making this country even tolerable.—He showed from the census of 1860 the great preponderance of the colored over the white voters in the State, and utter inability of the whites to defeat the Convention or protect themselves whenever an issue was made with the colored people. There are 60,000 colored voters in the State, while there are only 40,000 white. Intemperance, he says, that there are not now so many colored men as in 1860, but it is sure that proportionate decrease has been proper with the whites than the blacks since the commencement of the war. Gov. Orr insisted upon the cultivation of the most cordial relations between the races and the formation of no alliance with the two great political parties of the nation.

NEW ORLEANS, June 7.—Benj. F. Flanders, the new appointee for Governor, relieving Governor Wells this morning at the executive office, and made known that he came in obedience to the order of General Sheridan, and was ready to enter upon his duties as State executive. Governor Wells declined voluntarily to vacate the office, and protested in writing against this action of the military authorities.

At one o'clock P. M., an order was received at the Governor's office addressed to Governor Wells but he was absent. The nature of the communication has not been ascertained.

Mexican news received to-day confirms previous reports that Lopez had sold Queretaro to Escobedo for three thousand dollars. Nothing new.

NEW YORK, June 7.—The Southern Relief Fund commission, is still vigorously carrying on its beneficial work, in addition to loading the U. S. steamship Purveyor, which left this port on Tuesday last, the Commission have since shipped 8,000 bushels of corn to Charleston and Savannah for interior distribution. A voucher for the Treasurer, Mr. James M. Brown, received from Davenport District, S. C., an application for relief from the heads of 62 families, the names of each person being given representing 326 individuals. Unless relief be afforded soon, some of whom are now suffering for bread, the worst consequences may be expected. So long as this agency for food is heard, so long will this Commission call for money.

CHARLESTON, June 7.—Gen. Sickles has published another order of which the following is the substance:

1. Reynolds, Sheriffs, Chiefs of Police, City Marshals, Chiefs of Detective and Town Marshals to report to Col. Blanding, Provost Marshal General of this District, the duties, salary, etc., of each officer, and by what authority appointed.

2. Reports to be made of the commission of all offences, arrests, etc.

3. Reports to be made of the escape of prisoners and the attending circumstances of such escapes.

4. Sheriffs are required to report the condition of jails.

Civil officers in charge of jails, prisons or establishments, are to make monthly reports to the Provost Marshal General.

5. All sheriffs, constables, &c., are required to obey and execute the lawful orders of the Provost Marshal General; and resistance to, or embarrassment of the lawful orders or authority of the Provost Marshal General, will subject the offender to trial by a military commission.

7. Requires duplicate reports to be sent to the Post Commanders.

8. Sheriffs will not release civil officers from the discharge of duties now required of them.

Disobedience of sheriff's and constable's fees for services performed under orders of the Provost Marshal General.

9. Requires all persons who may know of any breach of the peace to make complaint at once to the Chief of Police.

11. Imprisonment for default of payment of costs, fees and charges of the Court, attorney or public officer, shall not exceed 30 days.

NEW YORK, June 7.—A special cable dispatch says that a cowardly attempt was made to assassinate the Emperor of Russia while driving back from a grand review in the Champ de Mars Napoleon through the Bois de Boulogne. A young man fired a pistol at the Czar, but the pistol was overcharged and exploded, wounding the assassin in the hand.

Bystanders threw up the hand which held the pistol, and he was instantly cut down by the escort and made a prisoner, severely wounded. The assassin is supposed to be a Pole.

PROGRESS OF THE PRESIDENTIAL PARTY.

PETERSBURG, June 7.—The President and party arrived here on their return to Washington at seven this evening, having been escorted thither from Jarrat's depot, 20 miles from Petersburg, by Major Collier and a committee of the City Council.

A few remarks were made by the President, Secretary Seward and Post Master General Randall. After supper the party proceeded to Richmond.

RICHMOND, June 7.—The Presidential party arrived here at 10 o'clock, and were met at the depot by the Mayor and a committee of the City Council, and Capt. Millward, of the Spottswood Hotel, by whom they were escorted to that hotel. A band of music performed several patriotic airs.

BUTTLER FOR CONFISCATION.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The following is the concluding paragraph of a letter (from Butler) to a negro meeting last night: "It is not a self-evident political truth, that where the land is held in large tracts be the employer, or to be tilled by the employees, there can be no just and true field for the exercise of Republican citizenship, and it is one of the pressing a thickness of the country, is the very basis of reconstruction, that some plan must be devised by which the lands of the South may be divided among those who shall occupy and till them.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Benjamin F. Flanders, whom Gen. Sheridan has appointed Governor of Louisiana, arrived there twenty years ago from New Hampshire, and commenced his career as clerk in the Charity Hospital. He was Secretary to Mayor Crossman, and an ardent Know-Nothing. As Secretary of the Opelousas Railroad, he was violently opposed to co-operation during the incipiency of the rebellion. He has been Federal Treasury Agent for several years past.

Gen. Sheridan appears unsupported here. His prompt action defeats the plans of schemers and shocks the Conservatives.

Some changes of District Commanders are regarded as certain.

A July meeting of Congress is now considered probable.

The treasury holds $340,000,000 as security for the National Bank's circulation—$60,000,000 for deposits of public money—$300,000,000 National Bank circulation is $236,000,000; fractional currency $29,000; revenue receipts for the week $5,500,000, receipts for the year to date, $52,000,000.

The Postmaster General returned this morning. The President will return this evening.

The President received his first intimation of Governor Wells' removal through the newspapers. The President considers these removals unauthorized by law.

Mayor Withers has returned from New York, and will communicate with the President on Monday.

General Grant has returned from West Point.

General Johnson was at the War Department yesterday, looking after the interests of his road. This is the first visit since 1861, when he vacated the Quartermaster Generalship.

The Secretary will redeem and destroy $20,000,000 compound interest notes next week.

The State Departme nt has been officially informed of the commencement of the sentence of the 128th American Fenians.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Gen. Lee is now before the United States District Court, Judge Bryon has decided that the Virginia Company is bound to exhibit private messages in evidence when required, the question of being within the class of privileged communications. The decision receives much comment in mercantile circles.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Duncan & Kendall have filed a bankruptcy petition. Their liabilities amount to $120,000.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 8.—Gen. Cole has been committed for murder.

BROOKLYN, June 8.—A fire originated to-day in the rear of Olin and Hall's building avenue. The stable of Peter Lyman, with four valuable horses were burned.—The stable was broken open and $18,000 stolen. It is probable, therefore, the fire was the work of burglars.

NEW ORLEANS, June 7.—This morning at half-past nine o'clock, Brevet Brig. Gen. James Forsyth, of Gen. Sheridan's staff, relieved the Executive office, in the Mechanic's Institute, and told Gov. Wells he bore a written communication to him from the General Commanding, which was found to be as follows:

HDQR'S. FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, }
NEW ORLEANS, June 7, 1867. }

Mr. J. Madison Wells, ex-Governor of Louisiana, New Orleans, La:

SIR: Gov. Flanders has just informed me that he made an official demand on you for the records of the office, which you have refused to yield up. By virtue of the authority you have acknowledged and urged on me up to the time of your own removal, I request you to deliver Brigt. Brig. Gen. James W. Forsyth, or my staff, to notify you that he is sent by me to elect you from the Governor's office, and respectfully, unless you consider this notification as equivalent to election.

(Signed) P. H. SHERIDAN,

Maj. Gen. U. S. A., Commanding 5th Military District.

After reading the communication Governor Wells said to Gen. Forsyth: "Sir, I surrender the office I held only to the sword." He then called upon Judge Ellis, the Chief Justice of Louisiana to bear witness of what he said. Without making any more ado, Sheriffs Gen. Forsyth withdrew. The new appointee, Mr. Flanders, will therefore take immediate possession of the executive office.

Ex-Governor Wells has consulted with eminent counsels as to the proper course to pursue at law.

NEW YORK, June 7.—The yacht Henrietta, from Europe, is coming up.

The ship sunfisher, of Wiscasset, was towed into Horse Shoe harbor into Maxinillian's confidence, and two other Imperial Generals, ousted the fall of Queretaro by selling one of the principal forts.

Maximilian in surrendering made three requests: "He should not be insulted, but treated as a prisoner of war; if any to be shot, he be the first; if shot his body not to be abused."

[BY THE CABLE.]

NEW YORK, June 7.—The Herald's special from Paris, yesterday says the Imperial party had a very narrow escape, the ball passing in a line between two of the distinguished personages, wounding a milady standing in the street. The horse ridden by the groom in waiting was wounded in the head immediately after the discharge, and the blood spouted on the Imperial uniform.

The assassin attempted a second shot, when the pistol burst. He is a Pole, coming from Belgium, and without accomplices in Paris.

The police saved his life from the enraged populace.

A magnificent ball was given at the Russian Embassy the same evening.

The Czar with his suite, the Emperor and Empress of France, were present.—Members of the Russian Royal party congratulated them upon the escape.

PERTH, June 8.—The coronation of the Emperor Joseph of Austria, as King of Hungary occurred here to-day in the presence of a great concourse of people.—The ceremonies were very impressive, and the enthusiasm was unbounded.

LONDON, June 8.—Telegrams state that the Turkish troops have blockaded the Greek ship Arcadian, at Cerego, one of the Ionian Islands.

NEW ORLEANS, June 9.—Cotton.—Market dull; Ordinary 21c; Low Middling 22c; Middling 22c. Receipts for last week, 1,220 bales. Stock on hand 1867 bales. Stock on hand 1866 bales.

Gold, 139@139½. Corn, 110 to 120.

Corn at Cairo, on yesterday, was selling at from $1 00 to $1 05 per bushel.

The population of Vicksburg last year was 8,000.

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Should County Officers Register!

The opinion of the Attorney General does not disfranchise *those who held county offices* before the war and afterwards participated in it. The citizen is entitled to every doubt in his favor. The large class of persons who held county and precinct offices before the war should not hesitate to come forward and register.

The Registration Board have no right to decide *who shall or shall not register*. Their duty is to register all who take the required oath.

Every citizen has as much right to decide on the law and the opinion of the Attorney General as the Board of Registrars. They have no judicial power. The country cannot afford to dispense with the services of so important a class as those who have held county offices in the work of reconstruction and we therefore urge them to *register without delay*.

A project is on foot for completing the Marion and Greensboro Railroad. A company of capitalists, located in New York, propose, through agents now in Selma, to undertake the work, to have the road finished to Greensboro by the 1st of January next, also to assume the debts of the Cahaba, Marion and Greensboro Railroad Company, amounting to some $50,000 00, provided the stockholders in the road will donate to them their stock.

REDUCTION OF FARE.—The Alabama and Tennessee River Railroad has reduced its rates of fare to five cents a mile. This reduction has been made to meet the wants of our people, oppressed as they are by the general scarcity of money.

A number of prominent landlords in Mobile have voluntarily reduced the rents of their stores and houses, and their names are published in the Tribune of that city.

Registers in Bankruptcy for Mississippi.

We learn the following gentlemen have been nominated for Registers in this State, under the Bankrupt Law:

For the First Congressional District, Judge E. C. Gillenwaters, of Corinth. For the Second District, S. S. Fairfield, of Greenada. For the Third District, Joseph W. Field, of Columbus. For the Fourth District, George A. McKee, of Vicksburg For the Fifth District, L. M. Perce, of Natchez.

Messrs. Gillenwaters and Fairfield have been appointed by Judge Hill, and have qualified. The others have not yet been appointed, but doubtless will be at the next term of the District Court, which will be held at Jackson on the Fourth Monday in this month. Judge Hill intends holding special courts at several important places in the State to try Bankrupt cases, and will, some time during the present month, indicate the times and places, and for what counties such courts will be held. The rules and proceedings for applications under the Bankrupt Law, prepared under the direction of the Supreme Court, have not yet been sufficiently promulgated, but will doubtless be received, and the law go into operation by the first of July.

Hiram Gridley stripes Rachael of [illegible]

The Chicago Tribune on the Finality of Reconstruction.

Among the ablest conducted of the Republican papers of the West, there is none that exercises a more controlling influence over the public men of the party, none that speaks more authoritatively for Republicanism, than the Chicago Tribune. As one of the principal arguments used against reconstruction is, that these measures are not considered a finality, and give us no assurance of representation in Congress, we copy the following extract from the Chicago Tribune of June 6th, to show in what light they are regarded by the exponents of the Republican party. In commenting on Stevens' letter on confiscation, the Tribune says:

"Mr Stevens' confiscation scheme will certainly fall to the ground.—Nothing in the political future is more certain, than that every Southern State which complies with the requirements of the Reconstruction Law will be promptly admitted to the Union. The Fortieth Congress cannot be induced to break its word in this matter. As men, the members know it would be dishonest; as politicians, they know that such a policy *would result in the immediate and total overthrow of the party which should retain it.*"

Vagabondage.

The New Orleans Picayune has an article on the Cuban laws respecting Vagabondage. The law is a good one and if enforced will prove a blessing to the country. According to our cotemporary's account all persons are liable to its penalties who have not constant useful employment. It is not enough that he have the means of support in patrimony, or even in property accumulated by himself; if he spends his time foolishly, hanging about saloons, billiard-rooms, and the like, he is liable to arrest and confinement in the workhouse or other disciplinary institution. That which prompts to this new order is the large number of crimes and misdemeanors now being committed throughout the island. They are believed to have their origin in vagabondage, or rather idleness, as the Spanish code defines it, and it is that which the government seeks to do away with.

Such a law, properly enforced in this country, would create the greatest revolution in morals and labor ever known. The amount of crime and vagrancy here now has no parallel; and it all, or nearly all, is superinduced by idleness—sluggish idleness that nurse of sin which leaves so many fields untilled and burdens our jails and penitentiaries. We really think that class which idle away their time should be forced to useful occupation, as in Cuba. "Labor is life; 'tis the still water awaiteth; idleness ever despaireth, bewaileth," and we should not, therefore, waste our spring of youth in idle dalliance, but plant those rich seeds which blossom in manhood and bear fruit when we are old. Let us try the Spanish plan, and "hold every person, of whatever race or color to constant, useful occupation."

☞ We urge upon our subscribers and especially those in Lauderdale, Clarke, Jasper and Newton, to send us the facts in reference to the want of provisions or clothing in those counties. Those that are really suffering for the necessaries of life can obtain relief if a true statement of their condition and wants is made known. Besides the provisions distributed by the United States Government, which alone are sufficient to prevent starvation—the Relief societies of Cairo, St. Louis and other cities, if appealed to by our merchants, will send sufficient supplies to meet the immediate wants of the destitute. Any information on this subject that may be sent us will be laid before the public at once, and we can assure our friends that the enterprising and liberal merchants of Meridian will heartily co-operate in affording prompt relief to the suffering.

THE MERIDIAN AND CHATTANOOGA RAILROAD.—The last Tuscaloosa Monitor says:

Col. Jemison Jr., was re-elected President, our young friend Corbin Burton, who lost a leg at Chickamauga, has been made Secretary, and Jas. H. Fitts Esq., Treasurer. These appointments will meet the approbation of the friends of the road.

The contract with Messrs. Waddell & Co., has been closed, by their notifying the Directory of their rejection of the contract within the prescribed time. We learn the President has full powers in the premises, and we hope he will use them to secure a speedy completion of the road to this point.

We learn from the Picayune that a few days since Mr. Isaac Lichtenstein of Summit, Miss., was called to the gate of his house by some negro, and was, while at the gate, shot by the latter in the breast, when he instantly

Gov. Marvin of Florida on Reconstruction.

Gov. Marvin of Florida, one of the ablest statesmen of the South, an original Union man, who opposed secession, and after the surrender received the appointment of Provisional Governor, advises the people of his State to accept the terms proposed by Congress and hasten the work of reconstruction. We have not room to publish his letter entire, but submit the following extract and recommend it to the careful consideration of our readers:

I have been in Washington a number of days, and have had the opportunity to talk with a number of the Judges of the Supreme Court and other intelligent gentlemen, and the general wish seems to be that the South should reconstruct and get herself represented in Congress as soon as possible. It is said that such is also the desire of the President. The most able and intelligent men see no way to get the country out of its present difficulties, but that for the South to fall in with the Congressional plan and reconstruct their Government.

In doing so it is by no means necessary that the Southern people should attach themselves to either of the great Northern parties. It would probably be better for them to stand for the present aloof from either of these great parties, and use the power which they will possess as soon as they are represented in Congress in advancing the interests of their section. As soon, too, as the Southern representatives are admitted, the old issues will be dead, and new parties dividing on new issues will spring up. The Southern people ought to remain in a position to join themselves to a great Union National party, which shall recognize the late war, the reconstruction laws and place them on a fair, just and equal basis, favoring no one part of the country at the expense of another; and which shall insist that the Government shall be fairly administered in a spirit of economy. Such a party is likely to be formed as soon as the Southern States are admitted. The next President is likely to be elected by neither Republicans nor Democrats, but by a great Union party that will be composed of the best and most patriotic men from each of these parties.

Jacob Barker was recently attacked by a squad of his depositors as he was walking the streets of New Orleans. They made a raid on him and one of them vociferously demanded his signature to a check on some solvent bank for $100. Fortunately for Mr. Barker, the policeman on that beat came to his assistance, protected him from the clamorous crowd, and led him to a City Railroad car, in which he took refuge and went home.

CROPS.—From all sections of our own and adjacent counties, we are daily receiving the most gratifying reports of the great amount of labor has done remarkably well, and more than the usual quantity was planted. Corn was never more flourishing, and the prospects for cotton are satisfactory. The planters are busily engaged in with an earnestness and vim that speaks well for them. The plantations are in good order, and are free from grass. If we have no serious set-back in the weather department, we may anticipate one of the largest crops of corn made in this section for many years—and of cotton, from present prospects, there is no reason to doubt that a larger quantity will be realized than was last year.—[Columbus (Miss.) Sentinel.

General Longstreet in a letter that has been recently published says:

"The military bill and amendments are peace offerings. We should accept them as such, and not look back upon them as the starting point from which to meet future political issues as they arise."

Greeley in reply to a letter from a Georgian, says: "I wish the South were as free from danger in respect to famine, and other evils, as from confiscation."

THE MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES IN SAVANAH.—General Pope has been petitioned by five hundred colored men to remove the mayor and aldermen of Savannah. The petitioners allege that they cannot expect and do not obtain justice from the present incumbent. A white man named Curtis is recommended for Mayor, and he is said to have promised the negroes a full share of the spoils of office.

A correspondent of the Port Gibson Standard, says that "being in Liberty, not long since, he found the most influential citizens of that county have a project in view which looks to one feasible, and in which the people in this county, Jefferson and Claiborne are interested. They have organized a Society for the purpose of promoting Internal Improvements and Immigration, and propose to make a railroad from some point on the N. O. J. & G. N. R. R. at or near Amite Station, on the road, by the way of Liberty, Meadville and Port Gibson, to Vicksburg, as the most certain method of accomplishing the ends of their organization."

The city of Louisville, Ky., has been sued by a resident for $25,000 damages sustained by the death of his wife and daughter by cholera last summer, he alleging that the epidemic was caused by an overflow, which was occasioned by the streets not being properly graded to allow the water to run off.

The crops in the Middle

For the Meridian Gazette.

LIGHT AGO.

I am sitting, sitting all alone,
In the little cottage door;
Where oft I've sat with loved ones
In the halcyon days of yore—
Memory reverts in sadness,
To the time I used to rove
Round about that quiet cottage,
With those I fondly loved—
Unbidden tears are falling,
As a glance I backward throw,
Through the veil of memory hanging,
Since the times of long ago.

'Twas here I spent my childhood,
'Neath this cottage roof so low;
Floating on the stream of pleasure,
In the time I used to row;
With those I loved to join me,
In the sports of my delight,
From the early dews of morning,
Till the reign of eventide night.
Oh! blissful days of childhood,
Why did ye fly so fast!
And leave the weary heart to feel,
Life's sweetest joys are past.

'Twas there I had a mother dear,
With a voice so sweet and low,
And a father blessed me often,
In times of long ago.
And too, I had a brother dear,
With a heart so manly firm,
And a sister to caress me;
With a love that's always true,
But all have gone and left me,
There are none that love me now—
There are none to caress me,
Nor soothe my aching brow.

My mother's form is mouldering,
Beneath the old Elm tree;
My father's bones are by her,
'Neath the deep pond fair o'ers;
The grass and flowers are growing,
On the little mound we made,
In the corner of the garden,
Where my darling sister's laid.
My brother, oh my brother—
He never prays—
He fell as falls the soldier,
The bravest of the brave.

The world's a desert now to me,
One field of endless woe,
I never again shall see such days,
As the times of long ago,
But wherever I wander,
Dreaming of years gone by,
My thoughts shall come at evening,
Childhood's home to thee,
And when my living echoes,
And my body slumbers low,
I'll join in Heaven my loved ones,
As in the times of long ago.

E. S.

THE GENERAL ORDERS AND FORMS IN BANKRUPTCY.—There is reliable authority for stating that the delays in the appearance of the general orders and forms in bankruptcy are entirely owing to the many corrections found necessary since adjournment of the court, in order to make them as perfect as possible; and that no authority was given to the clerk by the court to make such corrections, the number of the justices who had gone to their respective circuits had to be consulted. At the same time several changes in the rules have been suggested by the various judges, and others may have to be made before the work is completed or any part of it loaned to the different districts. No one has any authority to create the impression that the same can be furnished until they are corrected.—*Washington Chronicle, June 4th.*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, }
United States Internal Revenue, }
2d District of Mississippi. }
BRANDON, June 10th, 1867.

To the Tax Payers of this District:

You are hereby notified that agreeably to the 19th Section of the Revenue Laws, I will proceed to hear, at this office, all and any appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations made by the Assessor or Assistant Assessors in said District, returned in their annual lists, on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday the 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th days of June, 1867.

THOMAS S. WHITE.
Assessor 2d District of Miss.
june 11—wbl.

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which we are constantly receiving and offering for sale at prices which will compare with any house in the city. June 8 sat tf

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SOUTHERN FAMILY SEWING MACHINES. The noiseless machines of Wilcox & Gibbs, will sew, hem, fell, braid, tuck, gather, quilt, bind and embroider, with satisfaction. Agents wanted, at No. 5 St. Charles street—Box 856, New Orleans. nov7 1y

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WE are now receiving our new stock of Spring Millinery, embracing every variety of the Latest Styles, together with Dress Trimmings, &c., and would respectfully invite the ladies of Meridian and vicinity to call and examine for themselves. We have secured the services of a competent lady from New Orleans, who will execute all orders in a manner unsurpassed. Call at the old stand, in Mansion Block.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at	" down	8.17 P. M. 5.10 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at	" arrives	6.30 A. M. 6.30 P. M.
Freight train pass up at	" down	8.25 A. M. 3.37 P. M.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leave	" arrive	7.20 A. M. 4.00 P. M.
Freight train leave	" arrive	5.00 A. M. 3.50 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves	" arrive	6.50 A. M. 4.05 P. M.
Freight trains arrive	" depart	11.15 A. M. 2.2 P. M. 2.35 P. M.
"	"	3.15 P. M.

Through trains East connect daily with the N. O. J. & G. N. R. R. trains going South, and with M. & O. R. R., Selma and Meridian R. R. at Meridian. Accommodation train West connects with N. O. J. & G. N. R. R. North and South. Accommodation train East connects with N. O. J. & G. N. R. R. South, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and North, Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

E. F. RAWORTH,
Gen. sup't.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis and all points North, make quick time and save connection by taking trains on Southern Railroad connecting at Jackson, Miss., with trains on N. O., J. & G. R. Railroad; at Canton with trains on Miss'sippi Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

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Leave Grenada daily at 1.45 a. m. and 2.22 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 9.05 a. m. and 8.47 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Memphis daily at 11.30 a. m. and 4.45 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 5 p. m. and 11.45 p. m., making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
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Our Cin's Rates.

The wherewithal to interest those wishing to subscribe to a cheap newspaper, will be found under the head of club rates.—We have revised and reduced our terms so as to put the Gazette within the reach of every one. We pledge a newspaper in every way worthy of patronage—filled with varied and interesting reading—and devoted to the interest of our section. Let our friends in the East stir themselves in getting up clubs and extending the circulation of our paper.

THE TOURNAMENT TO-DAY.—Our citizens should not forget the grand tournament to-day, and the ball to-night. Extensive preparations have been made for the accommodation of all. Tilting commences precisely at two o'clock P. M.

We are gratified to state that Major St. Paul, of the Mobile Times, will be in our city to-day, and deliver an address at the Tournament.

We invite attention to the card of Smiths & Parsons, Vicksburg, and to the fact that they are now offering for sale three thousand sacks of corn, just received from St. Louis, by barge. Corn is to be had for cash in Vicksburg than Smiths & Parsons, and they sell at prices that defy competition.—They are agents for the Mississippi Valley Transportation Company at St. Louis, and receive weekly large shipments of corn. Now, at these extremely low prices inducements to merchants. Our young friend, Jno. W. Harvey, formerly of Scott County, is with this house, and will be glad to serve his friends. Besides, J. A. Jones, of this city, well known to our merchants, is in their employment, and will be pleased to see his many friends in this section, when they visit the Hill City. may30-tf.

RECONSTRUCTION IN NORTH MISSISSIPPI.—At the recent meeting of the Federal Court at Oxford, Gen. Alcorn addressed the people in favor of reconstruction, and Col. Mathews of Columbus, in opposition to it. The Corinth News in noticing their speeches says: "The majority of the people are for complying with the terms required by Congress, so Radicalism will have no excuse to further trample the South in the dust."

TICKETS FOR THE SOUTHERN ASYLUM LOTTERY.—Valuable city and country property to be drawn, at Hernando, Miss., June 13th. Tickets five dollars. Send by mail, or call on

SHANNON & ARMSTRONG,
Gazetteville,
Meridian.

Grand Tournament and Fancy Dress Ball at Meridian, Thursday, June 13th.

It will be seen that the Meridian Tournament Club proposes to have a grand tournament and fancy dress ball this city, on Thursday, the 13th of June.

Preparations are now making on a large scale and there is no doubt that it will be one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind that has ever been seen in the South. The large assemblage that will be here from all parts of this State and Alabama will be addressed by Maj. H. St. Paul, the talented and eloquent editor of the Mobile Times and other distinguished speakers. Gen. Forrest is confidently expected here as one of the Judges. It will be noticed from the advertisement that these prizes in greenbacks are offered besides the knightly honor of crowning the queen of love and beauty.

The Knights will form in procession at Rush's Bastion at 10 o'clock P. M., and march through the principal streets. The tilting will commence at 2 o'clock. The tilting will take place as soon as the knights can form in the lists after the procession ends. Admission to the tilting ground, 50 cents.

BANKRUPT.—Judge Ingraham, of Meridian.—We understand that it is the intention of Judge Hill to hold regular terms of his court at that city for the purpose of deciding such cases in Bankruptcy, as may arise in this part of the State. We understand all cases from the counties of Lauderdale, Clarke, Wayne, Green, Davis, Jasper, Newton, Neshoba, and Kemper, will be tried at the Court to be held at Meridian.

In view of this fact we suggest to the city authorities to take steps to provide a suitable place for the accommodation of the Court. The Mayor's office might answer with some improvements. New seats, desks, &c., should be made. We trust the Board of Mayor and Aldermen will take this matter up at their next meeting.

Relief for the Destitute.

The charitable donations to the desolate South from the more favored parts of the country are among the most cheering signs of the times. One vessel, the Relief, Captain Belden, U. S. Navy, recently brought to Mobile 11,000 bushels of corn and 30,000 pounds bacon, a gift from the noble State of Maryland to the sufferers of Alabama. We hope the destitution in that State is not so great as in parts of Alabama and Georgia.

Wherever it exists, the facts should be made known, and we have no doubt supplies for all the suffering can be obtained from the Western cities, and sent to our different Railroad stations. Supplies have been sent to Lauderdale, Enterprise and other places, and much more can be obtained if manifestly necessary to avert starvation.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.—We learn that Capt. Wm. Felts, tax collector of Choctaw County, Alabama, was shot at on last Thursday, while on his way home from Wharton's tannery, by some unknown person. The report of the gun frightened his horse, and he ran off at full speed, breaking one of the stirrups and throwing Capt. Felts against a pine log, lying on the road side inflicting a severe wound, and rendering him insensible for some time. While in this condition some person, supposed to be the villian who shot, robbed Capt. Felts of about six thousand dollars. The scoundrel is yet at large, but Capt. Felts's friends are confident of being able to detect and bring him to justice.

A difficulty occurred at the depot of the Vicksburg & Meridian Railroad Tuesday afternoon, between Mr. F. Sanford, of this place, and Mr. T. Lewis of Cairo, in which sticks were freely used by both parties.—Mr. Sanford being the assaulting party, and having exhibited a pistol during the "fracas," was fined four dollars and costs, by Mayor Henderson, and required to give bond for his appearance at the next term of the County Court. The difficulty grew out of some commercial transactions.

New Advertisements.

We call attention to the advertisement of Thomas D. Reid & Co., Druggists and Apothecaries, Lecatur, Meridian. They have on hand a choice selection of fresh drugs and chemicals, patent medicines, fine liquors &c., which they offer for sale on the most reasonable terms. Those who desire prescriptions made up may rely upon their being prepared with accuracy at all hours, either by day or night.

We publish to-day an important announcement from Thomas J. White, Assessor of Internal Revenue for this District, informing the public that agreeably to the Revenue Laws he will hear at his office in Meridian, Lauderdale County, Miss., on any appeals relative to excessive or enormous assessments made by Assessors in the District. Parties interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Called Meeting.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, }
MERIDIAN, Miss., June 10th, 1867. }

Board met by order of the Mayor.

Present: E. J. Henderson, Mayor; Messrs. Ramsey, Rush, Hart and Smith, Aldermen.

Reading of the minutes of last meeting, dispensed with.

The following resolution introduced by Alderman Hart was adopted:

Resolved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, that the Mayor be authorized, to cause to be opened on the line of Sycamore, the street on the southside of the Southern Railroad, from the place known as Mr. Swinney's, to Locust Street, where it crosses the Southern Railroad.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance, entitled an ordinance to provide a revenue for the City of Meridian:

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, that ordinance No. 30, entitled an ordinance to provide a revenue for the city of Meridian, approved September 4th, 1865, be so amended as to read in the third section, "Then said real estate or a sufficient portion to pay the taxes, tax and costs, shall be advertised for thirty days and sold; and in all such cases, 25 per cent additional shall be collected, besides all other expenses incidental thereto."

On motion, the rules requiring all ordinances to lie over three days, were suspended, and the ordinance was adopted.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

Approved.

E. J. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

J. C. LLOYD, Clerk.

COTTON TRANSACTION.—Mr R. M. Harrison reported yesterday evening at the Fourth District Station that the house of Mr. Elmore, No. 178 Seventh street, had been robbed of furniture, valued at one $1000.

This morning a man named John Ramer, who has a store at No. 92 Circus street, was arrested, charged with having the stolen furniture in his possession. It appears that the transaction was accomplished in this way: Mr. Elmore, who is at present absent from the city, left a colored man in charge of the premises.

Yesterday morning two white men came to the house with furniture carts, told the man that Mr. Elmore had moved and that he wanted his furniture moved to the new residence. The colored man believed the statement, and allowed the furniture to be taken away.—*New Orleans Times*, June 8th.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

NEW ORLEANS, June 10.—Gen. Griffin issued an order on Saturday discharging the entire police of Galveston, and appointing a new force, five of whom are colored. None are able to read or write.

RICHMOND, June 10.—In the United States Circuit Court this morning, Chief Justice Chase ordered the summoning of grand and petit juries. No distinction in regard to color is made.

SAVANNAH, June 10.—The Steamer Fortress City was burned three weeks ago this morning while lying alongside of the British ship S. L. Filley, at Venus Point. The steamer is a total loss except her machinery.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Hartford Carpet Company's mills, one of the largest in the country, situated at Taunville, two miles from this city, was burned.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The Secretary of War and Secretary of the Treasury had an interview with the President to-day.

In converting "Seven-thirties," presented the Treasury, interest is paid to July, and "Five-twenties" will bear interest from that date.

The President leaves for Boston on the 21st inst.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—Idaho advices state that the Indians are attacking stages and stage-stations and driving off stock. The Indians were reported as being mounted on ponies, five hundred could be had in Nevada to the 2d Cavalry.

An expedition to take possession of the newly discovered gold mines in behalf of the United States, sailed to-day.

The Pacific Mail Company sent a vessel in the hope of finding a suitable harbor for a coaling station for China steamers.

NEW ORLEANS, June 10.—The following Mexican news has been received from the Havana:

TAMPICO, May 30.—Gen. Gomez still holds out, having pronounced against Juarez in favor of Ortega.

On the 15th a portion of the garrison revolted in favor of Juarez, when a fight ensued which lasted five hours through the streets. The revolted party were put to flight, some taking refuge on the United States steamer Suntee and merchant vessels, while a great many were shot seeking a place of safety.

The forces of Juarez are drawing their lines around this place. Ortega is probably be a battle soon.

A special dispatch received here dated Quina May 29th, says that the wife of Prince Salem has interceded with Juarez for the lives of Maximilian and his officers, and that her appeal would probably prove successful.

LONDON, June 10.—Dispatches from Paris and St. Petersburg, report great rejoicings throughout France and Russia at the Czar's escape. The Czar knows absolutely no connection or sympathy with the crime.

An expedition to Africa in search of Dr. Livingstone has sailed from England.

DUBLIN, June 10.—Two prominent Fenians have been arrested at Carrigtwohee. They were identified as Colonels Nagle and Warren, formerly officers in the Irish brigade of the "Army of the Potomac."

QUINCY, Ill., June 9.—The City Hall was burned to-day. Loss $30,000.

WABSAW, Ind., June 9.—The Wright House, Kirtley House, and two adjoining buildings were destroyed by fire to-day. Loss $100,000. Thought to be the work of an incendiary.

LOUISVILLE, June 9.—John Campbell, a noted Mobile rowdian, died here to-day.

OMAHA, June 10.—Gen. Sherman has issued an order saying the Pacific Railroad will be well guarded. Freight and passengers are forwarded from the terminus under strict guard.

Gen. Sherman is quite sanguine of clearing the Platte Valley of Indians in two weeks.

Nine passengers and twenty Indians fought within five miles of Moore's Fort.—One passenger killed.

Gen. Davis's son was mortally wounded. Two Indians were killed and five wounded.

The passengers returned to Omaha this morning.

Gen. Steele, after a narrow escape, has succeeded in reaching Denver safely.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Surratt this morning was brought into court handcuffed. The court room was densely crowded. He appeared very pale and wore a troubled look, but when unchained and seated by his counsel, he appeared more cheerful. The usual preliminaries are progressing.

The City Council was organized to-day. The Board of Aldermen elected, are white men throughout. The Lower Board appointed a negro barber as "ready clerk," and a negro messenger.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—Arizona advices state that the Indians have commenced a vigorous campaign, by attacking ranchers in the vicinity of Prescott and Whipple.

MOBILE, June 10.—Cotton market quiet, sales 500 bales; 23½ cents for middlings. Receipts 202 bales.

LOUISVILLE, June 10.—Superfine flour dull at $7.50@8. Corn dull at 82@85. Bacon, shoulders 9¼; clear sides 12½@12¾ for packed.

CINCINNATI, June 10.—Flour steady, moderate jobbing demand. Corn dull, at 73 to 74 cents. Whisky firm. Mess pork dull, at 22 00. Bacon dull; shoulders —; clear sides 13¾. Lard 12½.

NEW ORLEANS, June 10.—Cotton sales 800 bales, dull; middling, low middlings, 24½@. Receipts, 1220. Exports 3,000 bales. Sugar and molasses, no quotations. Flour extremely dull. Corn and oats dull. Superfine, 10.50 to 11; choice extra 17½ to 19. Corn dull, yellow and mixed, 1.15 to 1.17, no white in market. Oats dull, 95@97½. Prime hay 1.28. Bacon quiet, steady; shoulders, 9½@10; rib 12¾; clear 13¾. Lard quiet, kettle 13½; prime mess 22. Gold, 1.36¼. Sterling 47 to 51. New York sight ½ to ¾ premium.

The Iuka Mirror is making arrangements to employ women as compositors.

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will, in accordance with section 4, of "An act to provide for the Reconstruction of the State of Mississippi," District, visit the several precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress "to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States":

Meridian, Saturday, June 15, 67, remain 10 days
Marion, Friday, " 28, " 5 days,
Lauderdale, Monday, July 8, " 4 days,
Gilbert, Monday, " 15, " 4 days,
Daleville, Saturday, " 20, " 2 days,
Bailey's Box, Tuesday, " 23, " 2 days,
Rushing's S. House, Thursday, " 25, " 2 days,
Enterprise, Saturday, Aug. 3, " 2 days,
Chunkyville, Monday, " 5, " 2 days,
Pleasant Hill, Wednesday, " 7, " 2 days,
Toomsuba, Monday, " 12, " 2 days,
Collinsville, Wednesday, " 14, " 2 days,
Why Not, Friday, " 16, " 2 days,

Articles.

Office, hours from 8 o'clock, A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.

Citizens generally are respectfully requested to attend at the above places, and all persons entitled under the act of Congress to vote, are asked to examine their names on the registry. Officers of Freedmen are requested to facilitate their attendance at the polls. The Board will remain at each place of registration, and then determine that all classes entitled to vote have had an opportunity to attend at the places and times appointed.

E. J. HATHEY,
J. ALLEN,
W. SMALLY,
Registers.

Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

An Ordinance in regard to Cabinet and Carpenter Shops.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Meridian, that all cabinet shops be required to be cleared of all shavings, chips, and other refuse matter, every Friday evening.

L. A. NUGENT, L. M. HART
DUNCAN & HART,
AUCTIONEERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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PERFECTLY RELIABLE.

The only remedy for Chills and Fever or Ague and Fever that is or can be depended upon to effect a perfect cure. Thousands of dollars and hundreds of lives have been saved by using it who had tried the usual remedies without benefit, but in no case has

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There is nothing in bitters that can compare with them in removing these distressing complaints. For sale by the whole country convenient to their agency with this article. The especial attention of builders is directed to our Agency of the Shelby Iron Company. June 5ow1f

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I want a wife
To cheer my life;
I care not what she lacks of beauty,
So I but find
That she is kind.
And knows and practices her duty.

I want a wife,
Who through her life
Was never known a single flirt;
Who 'll bring to me
A recipe
To keep the buttons on a shirt.

If such a one
Dwell 'neath the sun,
And don't mind leaving friends behind her,
With the author of this
She 'll find true bliss.
By informing him where he may find her.

Governor Fletcher, of Missouri, has offered a reward of $300 for the arrest of the twelve or fourteen scoundrels who robbed the Richmond Bank and killed the Mayor and two citizens of that place, on the 22d ult.

Albert Pike of the Memphis Appeal, has an unusual command of language. Here is one of his impressive sentences: "Bankruptcy, foreign war, internal hatreds, a hell of fire thinly crusted over, new dissensions, separations, strifes, new rivers of blood, repeated disclosicatious, new hatred of the red deserved wrath of God, the corroding stains of innocent blood upon the soul, the inscrutable horrid lapse into the most hiddeous of despotism, all the Dantesque horrors of the infernal regions that the shades of dead nations, tortured, inhabit—all these stare upon them out of the grim silent darkness of the future days."

SERIOUS RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—A train on the Mississippi Central Railroad ran off the track near Duck Hill, Tuesday morning, in consequence of an open switch, and the engineer a Mr Percy, who formerly resided in this city, was instantly killed. The locomotive was badly broken, and several cars were damaged. Mr Percy left a helpless family to mourn his loss.—Memphis Bulletin.

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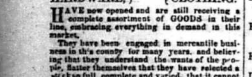

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Contingent expenses, about.....20
Total.....$255

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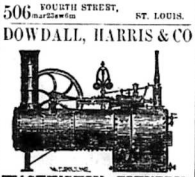

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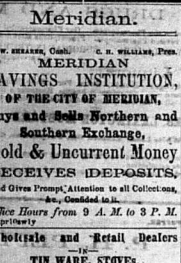

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Sheriff's Sale.

ON the first Monday of August next, it being the 5th day, I shall proceed to sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, before the Court House door in the town of Marion, in Lauderdale county, Miss., the following described real property, to wit: the north east quarter of section thirty-two, township six, range fifteen east. Levied on by me as the property of J. O. Maroy, to satisfy sundry executions in my hands.

Sale to take place between the hours prescribed by law.

JOSEPH EAKENS, Sheriff, L. C.

June 11, 1867.—wtds.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Lauderdale County.

County Court of Meridian, May Term, 1867.

M. RIFFLE & Co.,

vs.

G. M. SEDD,

THOS. TAYLOR,

LOU. TAYLOR,

H. E. TAYLOR,

JOHN TAYLOR and

EMMA TAYLOR.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, from the Sheriff's return, on the writ in this case, that the defendant, Lou. Taylor is a non-resident of the State, and that the ordinary process of this Court cannot be executed against him.

Therefore, It is ordered that publication be made in the Meridian Gazette, a newspaper printed and published in the city of Meridian, for four weeks consecutively, notifying said defendant of the pendency of this suit in said County Court of Meridian, to appear in said before said court on the first Monday in July next, and object to plaintiff's complaint now on file in said court, if he thinks proper.

Witness my hand and issued May 13, A. D. 1867.

C. W. HENDERSON.

Clerk of County Court of Meridian.

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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Jasper County.

In Circuit Court, May Term, 1867.

To the heirs of Honor Slay, deceased. You are hereby notified to be and appear in and before the Probate Court of said county, on the first Monday in July next, then and there to show cause, if any you can, why the final account of John L. Slay, Administrator of the estate of Honor Slay, deceased, now on file in said court, should not be allowed, and why his letters as administrator of said estate should not be surrendered.

Given under my hand and seal of office, (L. S.) this 13th day of May, A. D. 1867.

JAMES W. McCORMICK, Clerk.

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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Jasper County.

In Circuit Court, March Term, 1867

SAMUEL L. CASTEN,

vs.

WILLIAM PROUT, &

P. P. PROUT, Del'ts

and J. J. RICH, Garnishee.

THIS day comes the plaintiff by attorney into court and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendants, Wm. Prout and P. P. Prout are non-residents of the State of Mississippi: It is therefore ordered by the court that publication be made in the Meridian Gazette, a newspaper printed in the town of Marion, Lauderdale county, notifying the said defendants, Wm. and P. P. Prout, to be and personally appear before the next term of our Circuit Court to be held in Paulding in the said Jasper county on the 4th Monday of September 1867, then and there to plead, answer or demur to plaintiff's demand or the same will be taken as confessed.

Given under my hand and seal of office (L. S.) the 12th day of April 1867.

DUNCAN A. LITTLE, Clerk.

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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Lauderdale County.

To J. M. Crawley, of Tenn.; Mrs. E. R Green, or her heirs; James and Samuel Knox, and their heirs—heirs of John and Caroline Seal of Texas, and heirs of Wm. Knox of La.

YOU are cited to be and personally appear in and before the Honorable Probate Court of the county and State aforesaid, at the Court House thereof, on the fourth Monday in June next, then and there to show cause, if any you can, why the final account of J. G. Knox, Administrator of Elizabeth Knox, deceased, should not be allowed and admitted to record.

It is further ordered that a copy of this be published in the "Meridian Gazette," a newspaper printed and published in the town of Meridian, for the term of four weeks consecutively.

Witness the Hon. M. H. Whitaker, Judge of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of office, (L. S.) at Marion, Miss., this 23d day of April, A. D. 1867. may7-4t W. W. McELROY, Clerk.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, Lauderdale County.

To the unknown heirs of W. J. Crump, deceased.

YOU are hereby cited to be and personally appear before the Honorable the Probate Court of Lauderdale county, at the Court House thereof, on the Fourth Monday in June next, then and there to show cause, if any you can, why the final account of M. D. King, Administrator of the estate of W. J. Crump, deceased, should not be allowed and admitted to record.

It is further ordered that a copy of this be published in the "Meridian Gazette," a newspaper printed and published in the town of Meridian, for the term of four weeks consecutively.

Witness the Hon. M. H. Whitaker, Judge of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of office, (L. S.) at Marion, Miss., this 23d day of April, A. D. 1867. may7-4t W. W. McELROY, Clerk.

Insolvent Notice.

WHEREAS, by an order of the Probate Court of Jasper County, State of Mississippi, made at the May term, A. D. 1866, thereof, the estate of A. L. Hamblin, deceased, was declared insolvent. Now, therefore, all persons holding claims against said estate, are hereby notified to come forward and have said claims duly probated and registered in the register kept by the Clerk, within six months from the first publication thereof, or they will be barred.

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Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass east	8.17	P. M.
" " " west	8.30	A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at	5.37	P. M.
" " arrives	4.30	A. M.
Freight train pass up at	6.10	P. M.
" " " down	7.20	P. M.
" leaves	7.35	A. M.
" arrive	5.37	P. M.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves	7.20	A. M.
" arrive	4.00	P. M.
Freight train leave	5.00	A. M.
" arrive	3.50	P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves	6.50	A. M.
" arrives	4.05	P. M.
Freight trains arrive	11.45	A. M.
" depart	2.3	P. M.
" "	3.55	A. M.
" "	3.15	P. M.

Through trains East connect daily with the N. O., J. & G. N. R. R. trains going South, and with M. & O. R. R. trains going Meridian R. R. at Meridian. Accommodation train West, connects with N. O., J. & G. N. R. R. North and South. Accommodation train East connects with N. O., J. & G. N. R. R. South, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and North, Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

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A. M. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.

C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will, in accordance with orders from Head Quarters 4th Military District, visit the several precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress "to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States," viz:

Meridian	Saturday,	June 15, '67,	remain 10 days.
Marion,	Friday,	28 "	5 days.
Lauderdale,	Friday,	July 5	4 days.
Lockhart,	Monday,	15	4 days.
Daleville,	Saturday,	20	4 days.
Marion's Bee,	Thursday,	" 25	2 days.
Hickory,	Friday,	" 26	2 days.
Sound's,	Friday,	Aug. 2	2 days.
Lauderdale,	Monday,	" 5	2 days.
Sageville,	Friday,	" 9	2 days.
Marion's Bee,	Monday,	" 12	2 days.
Meridian,	Monday,	" 19	5 days.
Daleville,	Saturday,	" 24	2 days.
Lockhart,	Monday,	" 26	2 days.

Office hours from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 P. M. to 3.

Citizens of this county are specially requested to give publicity to this notice. All who are entitled to vote, and desirous to vote, are called upon to observe this appointment of the Board, and to be in attendance at the places and times aforesaid, that they may be duly registered.

W. M. McELROY, } *Registrars.*
R. SMALLY, }
Lauderdale County, Miss. June 7, 1867.

Encouraged by the liberal support that the public in this part of the State have given the Gazette, and with a view to increase still further its circulation, we have reduced the subscription price of the Weekly to two dollars per annum. Notwithstanding the scarcity of money, our circulation has increased during the last three months and is now double that of any paper that has been published in Meridian or in this part of the State since the removal of the Clarion to Jackson. The Weekly Gazette is the cheapest paper in the State, will have but few advertisements and contains a complete epitome of all the news for the week. A little effort on the part of our friends would soon double our circulation.

Henry S. Foote is writing a series of articles for the St. Louis Democrat in favor of female suffrage.

The Nashville Banner is responsible for the following. We would like to know who is the "young gentleman of fortune from Mississippi," for all such are rarities at present:

Some six weeks ago a young gentleman of fortune came to this city from Mississippi, on a visit to some friends. He had been here but a few days, when he met at a party a beautiful Kentucky girl, an heiress, with whom he at once fell in love, and the attachment being mutual, not many days passed ere they were betrothed, and the time was set for the wedding. Everything had been arranged for this important event, when by some mysterious means the friends of the young heiress got an inkling of what was going on, and the old folks in Kentucky, though not ill-disposed toward the proposed match, were somewhat annoyed at the course the lovers had pursued in not consulting them as to the propriety. The marriage was to have been solemnized a day or two since and on the morning set apart, the would-be bride-groom, chuckling over what he considered a clever scheme, visited the young lady to notify her of the hour they were to be made one. The hour rolled round, and he went to claim her, but lo! the bird had flown—the loved one had disappeared, perhaps forever, and the ardent lover departed with bowed head and lengthened visage, or imaginary echoing of rattling tracks of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad rattling in his ears. His girl was on the way to Kentucky, and the old folks had triumphed.

The Cost of Swearing.

The great majority of men in almost every undertaking in life, make figures and then add them up, faithfully counting the cost of this or that plan of business, or scheme for speculation, to see if it will be profitable. Those who are not can do it by summing up, remembering the results are not always profit or loss, under their heart for in the true sense of that prompts to action, are not so hasty and are generally crowned with success. Swearing appears to be a very free and luxurious commodity: a kind of low rate, easy exchange and men are more liberal in giving out oaths, than in the distribution of their goods to the poor, or kind cheering words to the many aching hearts about them.—From the great mass of humanity in this extensive country, and in every land; in the numerous boats that glide over seas and rivers; in coaches drawn by steam, and horse; along the streets of every city and village; about the quiet rural homes and highways, the plowman at his shire; the teamster with his cart; farmers, mechanics, lawyers, doctors and all; and nearly every boy and man first or last, join hearts in a horrible chorus of oaths, the mighty volume, and blasphemous volley of oaths which go from this sin polluted earth, up to the presence and hearing of Him who is the Great Ruler and Spirit of the Universe. They exchange one man curses another, and he curses him back, associating with his fellow men's, heaven, earth, hell; and his own precious soul joining on to the sacred name of God all that is vulgar, low and mean to make his words sound outrageous and strong.

Another curses loud and long—as it to attract attention, or arouse laughter, and is impudent enough with much deceit, to beg the pardon of some, who may hear.—Others moved by anger uncon rolled, and augmented by rum, fling and scatter ruinous oaths indiscriminately; cursing to pay for the wicked mess, blows, blows are given, blood is shed, and a man who is made in the image of God is slain. This is only an idea of the cost. We can easily calculate and consider the great difference between good, kind, soothing words that bless, and cruel blighting, withering recollections that will cost us dearly in time and in vast eternity. Is a man in good earnest? Does he really mean what he is saying, when he so constantly calls on God, to damn his fellow, his immortal soul; his friend, his neighbor, his wife; and his dear little children; a part of himself whom God hath given him to teach and to train for glory, and for Heaven. Surely he had not counted the cost of swearing or he being driven on and on to such a fearful end as that. Infidel and burning passions of a guilty soul, swearers ought to remember that their useless vain words are like rusty, barbed iron, spikes, driven by them in many a faithful bosom, and tender loving heart, to rankle, to wound and embitter forever. Then O! foolish man, remember well the deeds the blows, scars, blood and deaths; mourning souls; and falling tears, the alienation of friends, and aggravation of enemies.—Think own soul than which it is said in the Scriptures the whole world is worthless; is seriously at stake by indulging in that of which you have not counted the cost. The Bible declares a judgement to come, and every man will be judged in righteousness and according to the deeds done in the body; and that he will have to render an account for every idle word. Then the registered account against him will be long, and in shame and confusion his guilty soul will have to stand before the holy King and his court, unable to justify itself for having desecrated the name of the Lord.

The Commandment is given, Exodus 20c, and 7v. "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain." And our Saviour taught the multitudes, and his disciples, Matthew 5c, and 33d to 37th, Swear not at all, neither by Heaven, for it is God's throne; nor by the earth for it is his foot-stool; neither by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. Neither shalt thou swear by the head, because thou canst not make one hair white or black. But let your communication be yea, yea, nay, nay, for whatsoever is more than these, cometh of evil."

Can the cost, and Verily be applied to say yea, yea, nay, nay and have no condemnation.

W. S. L.

GASTON, Sumter County, Ala. June 6th.

MISS LESLIE ON SLANG!—"There is no will," says the author of the "Behavior Book," "in a lady's vocabulary of slang." Instead of a nap—in calling pantaloons "pants," or gentleman's sparks—in saying of a man who dresses dressing out, that he looks seedy"—and in alluding to an amusing anecdote, or a droll incident, to say that it is rich." All slang words are detestable from the lips of ladies. We are sorry to hear a young lady or gentlemanly now fast going out, and almost banished from the best society. To her honor, be it remembered, Queen Victoria has prohibited the polka being danced in her presence. How can a genteel girl bring herself to say, "Last night I danced with Mr. Bull, or, Mr. Polk came and asked me to polk." Is there no limit to fashionable absurdity? Is there no limit to fashionable slang is worthy of the dance—We have little tolerance for young ladies, who are usually having neither wit nor humor, set up for both, and having nothing of the right stock to go upon, substitute coarseness and impertinence, and to say impudence, and try to excite laughter and attract the attention of gentlemen by their slang. Where do they get it? How do they pick it up? From low newspapers or vulgar books? Surely not from low companions? We have heard one of these ladies, when her collar chanced to be pinned awry, say that it was put on drunk—also that her hair was crooked, meaning crooked on her head. When discovered she was a "dreamer." When ushered to a room she was "showed." When she thought to be "mistaken." When she did things out of time she was "late."

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REGISTRATION IN CHICKASAW.—The last number of the Houston Record, says:

We learn not officially, the register stands thus, at the following precincts:

Hickory Flat, whites 31, and blacks 19.

Oak Grove, whites 71, and blacks 19.

Gen. Swayne writes Mr. Jones of Mobile, who declines the appointment of Alderman, that his place can easily be supplied from the newly enfranchised class. So we go.

A very destructive fire occurred recently at Greensboro, burning a very considerable part of the town. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

The extensive turpentine distillery establishment of John Robbins, Esq., situated on Fish River, Baldwin county, Ala., was burned to the ground, together with a large lot of fine rosin and a quantity of spirits of turpentine, on the 7th. The loss will probably amount to $10,000 or $12,000.

The Paris Etendard mentions that Mr. Jefferson Davis is coming to England on a visit, and will then take up his residence in Canada. Mr. Davis should take up his residence in his own land, and not under the flag which treated his cause so contemptuously during our late struggle for a separate nationality.

SHERIDAN AND THE INDIANS.—We see that Gen. Sheridan has determined to concentrate all his troops along the lines of the Pacific railway, telegraph and mail routes. At present, Denver and California mails leave the railroad at the forks of the Platte, and follow the south side up the South Platte River to Julesburg.

Important Order from Gen. Ord.

Land under Cultivation, Crops, Stock and Farming Utensils not to be Sold under Execution until December 25th, 1867.

We publish the following important order issued by Gen. Ord last Wednesday:

HEADQUARTERS FOURTH MILITARY DISTRICT, MISSISSIPPI AND ARKANSAS,
VICKSBURG, MISS., June 12th, 1867.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 13.

I. With a view to secure to labor in this District its hire or just share of the crops, and as to protect the interests alike of debtors and creditors from sacrifices of property by forced sales in the present unsettled condition of the country, it is ordered that all proceedings for the sale of lands under cultivation, or of the crops, stock, farming utensils or other material used in tilling such lands in pursuance of any execution, writ or order of sale, issued in cases where the debt or other cause of civil action was contracted or accrued, prior to the first day of January, 1866, be stayed and suspended until after the thirtieth day of December, 1867.—In the meantime all interferences, under color of any such process with the lawful tenant in cultivating or gathering the growing crops, is prohibited; provided that the rights or remedies for a recovery of debts at any time, of parties to whom the crops have been hypothecated, for money, stock, or other means or material, supplied in the cultivation of the land, shall not be hereby prejudiced or postponed.

This order to go into effect from and after the 30th day of June, 1867, in the State of Mississippi, and from and after the 30th day of June, 1867, in the State of Arkansas.

II. It having been reported that corn, so much needed by the poor of the District, is made into whisky illicitly, Sub-District and Post Commanders are directed, when they can learn of the existence of any clandestine engaged in manufacturing whiskey, to inform themselves whether it pays the legal taxes, and if not, seize it, and all the liquor they can find, and as property increases where whisky abounds, the property seized will be sold for the benefit of the poor of the county in which it is found, and the money will be divided under the direction of the Registration Board for that county, to whom it will be duly turned over.

Sub-District and Post Commanders are entrusted with the execution of this order.

III. When complaints are made by citizens that they have been arrested by the civil authorities for opinion's sake, such complaints will be entertained by Post Commanders in the District, who, after carefully inquiring into all the circumstances under oath of both parties, will forward a report of their investigation to these Headquarters.

By Command of Brevet Maj. Gen. Ord.

[Signed] GEO. L. HARTSUFF,
Assistant Adjutant General.

Registration.

The Board of Registers for this county entered upon their duties yesterday, and will push the work of enrolling forward to completion at reasonable speed. We would again urge upon our people the necessity of coming forward and presenting themselves for registration. Indifference and supineness, will not effect our salvation. We must seize the present opportunity, and endeavor to lift our feet and place them upon a firm foundation.—We must act now or never; if the present golden opportunity is let slip, never again, will we, perhaps, be able to contribute to the formation of a government under which those who come after us, must live. If you are in favor of the Convention, or opposed to it, register, and thus be armed with a vote for whatever enemies may arise in the future. Those who register can alone vote, and to the voters hereafter belongs our fate for "weal or for woe." There is no time to be lost; every moment must be used and every vote secured. Gen. Swayne intimates already that where the people of Alabama decline to look after the interests of life communities in which they live, colored men will be appointed in their stead. If we refuse to register, we cannot vote; and if we cannot vote, our influence at the ballot box is dead, and the newly enfranchised class fill the various State and municipal offices with men of their own color. We fear many men will permit prejudice to write "too late" upon their brows. Let those who appreciate the importance of being armed with a vote come forward and urge every man to shake off his lethargy and prejudice and prepare to casthis vote in behalf of our section.

The Board for the county consists of Messrs. D. A. Smalley, W. Cathey, and A. Sloan, with J. P. Walker, Esq., as Clerk. Our readers should remember that they are law executors, and not law makers; that their duty is disagreeable, and should therefore secure them that courtesy and respect characteristic of the Southern people.

Mexican Affairs.

MAXIMILIAN'S PROCLAMATION.

The New Orleans Picayune contains some interesting news from Mexico. A Court Martial was ordered for the trial of Maximilian on the 29th May. Generals Mendez and Camples, Castillo and Mejia, have been shot.

The following is Maximilian's proclamation:

COUNTRYMEN—After the valor and patriotism of the Republican forces have destroyed my sceptre in this place, the tenacious defence of which was indispensable to save the honor of my cause and my race.

After this bloody seige, in which the Imperial and Republican soldiers have competed in abnegation and boldness, I will occupy myself, countrymen; I came to Mexico not only animated with the best faith of insuring the felicity of all and each of us, but called and protected by the Emperor of France, Napoleon III. He, to the ridicule of France, abandoned me cowardly and infamously, by demand of the United States, after having uselessly spent France's treasure and shed the blood of her sons and your own.

When the news of my fall and death reaches Europe, all the monarchs of Charlemagne's country will demand of Napoleon's dynasty an account of my blood—of the German, Belgian and French blood shed in Mexico. Then will be the end.

Soon, before the world, Napoleon the third will be covered with shame from head to foot. To-day he has already seen His Majesty, the Emperor of Austria, my august brother, praying for my life to the United States, and myself a prisoner of war in the hands of the Republican Government, and with my crown torn in pieces.

Countrymen, here are my last words. I desire that my blood may regenerate Mexico, and that my fate will serve as a warning to all ambitious and incautious men, and that you will act with prudence and truthfulness, and ennoble with your own virtues the flag you sustain. May Providence save you and make you worthy of myself. MAXIMILIAN.

Dr. James Metcalfe, died at the residence of Dr. Choppin, in Natchez, on the 1st inst. He was a native of Kentucky, and 78 years old at the time of his death.

The bankrupt act which went into operation on the first of June, sweeps off imprisonment for debt throughout the country. It sets aside all stay laws, and all preferences, voluntary agreements, and secret attachments.

DESTRUCTIVE HURRICANE IN ARKANSAS.—The Record, published in Searcy, of the 1st inst., says: On Monday evening, about seven o'clock, a terrific hurricane swept over a portion of our county, causing an immense destruction of property and probably great loss of life.

Mr. Greely writes in a private letter to a Southern friend, that he has already "seen infinite good in getting rid of Davis as a prisoner, and thus enabling those who have been rebels to become (in effect) Republicans without seeming to belong to their late leader." He adds that for himself he can stand the "hooting" which shall be given him for his course in the matter.

It is reported that Gov. Jenkins, of Georgia, has no intention of resigning, and that he and General Pope are working harmoniously together, and that the Governor is entirely indisposed to have any controversy with the military authorities, but desires quiet and good feeling in the State.

Registration was going on at Byram, Hinds County, on Monday last.—On that day 34 whites and 140 negroes were registered.

LOCAL MARKET.

Store Prices of Articles at Meridian, Miss.

CORRECTED BY A MERCHANT.

MERIDIAN GAZETTE OFFICE, June 16, 1867.

AXES—Collins.....	$1 75 @	—2 00
Reynolds.....	$ 2 00 @	—
BAGGING—Ky. ₱ yd.	40 @	36
India..... ₱ yd.	35 @	—
BACON—Hams..₱ lb.	20 @	18
Sug. cured..₱ lb.	21½@	—
Country sds..₱ lb.	15 @	—
West. cl. "..₱ lb.	14 @	15
" rib "..₱ lb.	13 @	14
Shoulders..₱ lb.	14½@	—
BEEF—on foot, ₱ lb...	5 @	6
Corn fed..... ₱ lb.	7 @	8
BUTTER—Gosh..₱ lb.	50 @	—
Western ....₱ lb.	40 @	—
BROOMS..... ₱each	50 @	75
BUCKETS..... ₱each	50 @	75
COTTON—Mid. ₱ lb...	21 @	24
CASTINGS..... ₱ lb...	10 @	—
CORN..... ₱ bu.	$1 70 @	1 75
COFFEE..... ₱ lb..	28½@	30
CHICKENS..... ₱ doz.	$4 80 @	$5 00
EGGS..... ₱ doz.	25 @	30
FLOUR—Ch. f..₱ bbl.	$18 00 @	— 19
Double ex...₱ bbl.	$16 00 @	—
Superfine f..₱ bbl.	$14 00 @	15 00
LARD..... ₱ lb...	16 @	18
MOLASSES—Lo..₱ gal.	90 @	1 25
Syrup ....₱ gal.	1 75 @	—
MACKEREL..... ₱ bbl.	23 @	—
Kits..... ₱ bbl.	$3 64 @	4 00
NAILS..... ₱ lb...	10 @	12½
OIL—Linseed..₱ gal.	2 25 @	—
PORK—on foot, ₱ lb	10 @	12½
POWDER..... ₱ lb...	75 @	—
PUTTY..... ₱ lb...	20 @	—
RICE..... ₱ lb...	15 @	—
POTATOES—Irish ₱ bbl.	5 00 @	8 00
Sweet..... ₱ bu.	75 @	1 25
SALT..... ₱ sck.	3 00 @	—
SUGAR—Crush..₱ lb...	25 @	—
Louisiana ..₱ lb...	14 @	18
Clarified ..₱ lb...	20 @	—
Loaf..... ₱ lb...	30 @	28
SHOT—Drop...₱ lb...	20 @	—
Buck..... ₱ lb...	20 @	—
TOBACCO—Ch. ₱ lb.	$ 1 00 @	1 50
Common.. ₱ lb.	$ — @	1 00
WHITE LEAD ..₱ keg	$15 00 @	—

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR YOUR KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.—Use an old and well-developed combination for diseases of the Urinary Organs. If you will call on the agent of the "Great Southern Preparations," he will show you the recipe and medicine, known as Dromgoole & Co's Extract Bearberry, Cubebs and Buchu, which is prepared in the South and is the best medicine now before the public, for diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder. Large bottles only for one dollar.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A CARD.

Mr. F. T. Sanford having circulated a report that I had compounded with him to assault Col. Lewis, on the 12th inst., and that he had made arrangements with the Police to absent themselves on that occasion, I denounced the same as false, and called upon Mr. Sanford, and demanded that he set me right before the community. The following Card to the public, from Mr. S., will speak for itself.

Respectfully,
R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

To the Public.

On the 9th of June, I approach Mayor Henderson and asked him in a jocular manner, what he would charge me to whip a man (not anticipating any difficulty at the time.) Mr. Henderson remarked in the same jocular manner, (knowing the question was put as a joke,) that he generally charged about ten dollars if it was well done. Subsequently, and on the same day, I had a difficulty with Mr. Lewis, and as I have since told several persons, that the matter was arranged between myself and the Mayor to assault Mr. Lewis, and that I had also made arrangements with the Police to be absent on the occasion, I would here state, that these remarks were said in thoughtfulness, and with no intention to injure the Mayor or the Police, or to bring discredit upon either of them, and that there is not one *single scintilla of truth* in regard to such arrangement having been made by us. I would further state, that I have several times asked the Mayor warrants, but what he would charge for fighting.

F. T. SANFORD.
Meridian, Miss., June 13, 1867.

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DENTAL SURGEONS, Meridian, Miss., practice in all its departments, and guarantee satisfactory work, in accordance with scientific skill in combination with all the improvements made and adopted by the profession. Every style of teeth made inserted. Teeth extracted without pain by a new process. Charges reasonable. Office over Lloyd, White & Co's. on Front street.

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ROBLES, ALA., June 13, 1867.

Oil and after Sunday next, the 16th inst., the Accommodation Train will leave Selma at 6 o'clock, p. m., on Sunday, and leaving Meridian at 8:37 p. m. on Saturday, will be discontinued.

L. J. FLEMING,
Chief Engineer and Gen'l Supt.
June 16ewlw

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AUCTIONEERS

OPINIONS OF THE PEOPLE CONCERNING HOSTETTER'S

STOMACH BITTERS.

PROTECTION FOR THE HEALTHY AND RELIEF FOR THE SICK.

INTELLIGENT TESTIMONY IS AS IMPORTANT IN MEDICINE as in law. The great Patriot Henry said that the laws by which he then were guided was the "lamp of experience." The same lamp is the sure discoverer and standard adjution to the properties and effects of a medicinal preparation which "they" themselves have tried, and the operation of which they have had abundant opportunity to observe in a great variety of cases, are absolutely conclusive. They are so considered by the public, who very naturally prefer this species of testimony to any other that can be offered in behalf of a proprietary remedy. Volumes of such evidence have been published in favor of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS during twenty years that the unequaled Tonic and Alterative has been before the world; and although its reputation as a Standard Specific has long been established throughout the Western hemisphere, it is still deemed advisable to exhibit, through the press, from time to time, new proofs of its success. Recent facts add pertinence and force to facts more remote, and serve to show that the public confidence is prepared with sufficient exactitude and care, and that it is still, what it ever has been, the purest and best of all Vegetable preparations, an inevitable cure for Dyspepsia and all derangements of the Stomach and Liver, a perfect antidote to the unwholesome influences which produce and aggravate epidemic diseases, and a specific which for all forms of Fever and Ague, Rheumatism, Kidney complaints and Debility, is unequaled and generally recognized as the healthful stimulant and corrective. The commendations are dated, and are published as specimens of an immense mass of testimony in the possession of the Proprietors. Some idea of the quantity of this kind of testimony in the hands of the proprietors of Hostetter's Bitters may be formed by the reader, when it is stated that the communications on the subject of Fever and Ague alone received by the firm during the last three years, number upwards of TWO THOUSAND. They all add to the same effect as that of Mr. Bourne, given below, and if ever anything was established on unquestionable evidence, it is the important fact that Chills and Fever can be broken up and radically cured in a very short space of time by the use of this incomparable tonic. Nor is this all. Entire exemption from the distressing malady, and all forms of Intermittent Fever, is guaranteed to such residents of Fever and Ague Districts as may be wise enough to take the BITTERS as a preventive. Though malaria may be prostrating their neighbors all around them, and on the left, those who have taken the precaution to fortify their systems and constitutions, in advance, with this counteractive of all atmospheric poison, will surely escape the ravages.

The physicians and others whose names appear in the annexed correspondence are ready at all times to confirm verbally the statements made over their signatures.

Perhaps one of the most striking proofs that can be cited of the intrinsic excellence of the Bitters, is the general adoption of the preparation by medical men. The profession has not one of their favorite advertised medicines, but this unequalled vegetable tonic has maintained their prejudices, and they recommend and administer it to their patients as the purest stimulant and best stomachic that has ever run pro-ne.

The present season of the year is a trying one to the feeble and enervated—indeed to all. In July, in August and September, every debilitated person should see that his system is necessary to have a reserve of strength and vitality in order to resist the blow without flinching or breaking down. Hostetter's Bitters are a stanimal medicine, sustaining the vital and muscular energy of the frame with this powerful and general vegetable restorative, and any temperature, any climate, any condition of the atmosphere may be encountered with comparative impunity.

Read the following letter from E. Bourne, a well known citizen of Pittsburgh, Pa:

PITTSBURGH, May 10, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

GENTLEMEN: Having a visit to the West, last fall, I contracted chills and fever, which brought me to my bed, and finally terminated in typhoid fever and confined me to my room for several months, during which time I was physically, as prostrated that I almost despaired of ever recovering my health; having entirely lost my appetite for days, not being able to eat a morsel; added to which I was much distressed with a roving sensation in my head, and passed many sleepless nights, all from debility caused by my prostrate condition, brought about by the fever. At this stage of my condition, a friend recommended me to use your celebrated Stomach Bitters; but, being morally opposed to the use of medicines in any form, I at first declined, but afterwards yielded to my prejudices, and after taking the medicine for several weeks as directed, my appetite returned, and with it I am rapidly regaining my former strength and vigor. My sleep (from the loss of which I had suffered much) has never been better than it is now, and the roving sensation before alluded to has entirely left me. My bowels, which were much constipated and irregular, are now quite natural, and in fact I am glad to say that I feel myself a new man, and to-day (on this card) avail of my appreciation of your valuable preparation in order that others suffering as I have may read the result of the victim, which prejudice prevented me from enjoying for so long a period, and may add that they (bigotries) after seeing the beneficial effect your Bitters had on me, recommended that I use them regularly.

Yours, very respectfully,
E. BOURNE, 6 Market st.

Another letter, from a well known citizen of Pittsburgh, dated September 4, 1866:

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa.:

GENTLEMEN: I think I am only doing the part of a good citizen when I testify to the great benefits I have received from your Stomach Bitters during the last five years. Being in the Ol regions in '61, I had a severe bilious attack, and being dyspeptic, which left me very weak, I was advised to try your Bitters. I procured one bottle, and they worked as a charm on me. In one week I got eight (8) pounds heavier, and I seemed to have got new life in me, so much so that I have used them every summer since as a tonic. I think I have used in all about five dozen bottles; another bilious attack and much reduced in weight, being under the care of an A. M. physician, I again had to have recourse to the old Bitters, with the same good results, gaining six (6) pounds in a few weeks. I bought a half dozen bottles a few weeks since, and intend to keep them on hand as a sure remedy. Wishing you success in every success, I remain yours gratefully,
WILLIAM M. MILLER.

FITZINGHAM, EFFINGHAM COUNTY, ILL.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

GENTLEMEN: With pleasure I can say that your Bitters are superior to any others. I have used them in my family for a long time, and always with beneficial results. Yours, very truly,
ROBERT GILBERT.

BUCKLAND, Prince William County, Va., January 22, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

SIRS: I believe your bitters are the best in use, I tried them for dyspepsia in 1863, and they cured me. It was not faith that did it, for I had no faith in them, I tried them to please a friend. I had been prostrate for several weeks with dyspepsia and chronic diarrhœa. I expected to die; but less than one bottle so far restored me that I could attend to my business. I had used Ostetter's Bitters before which resulted in the return of the same disease, accompanied with bronchial affection, when I again used your Bitters, and was soon restored to health. I have recommended them to hundreds of my friends, and have never known them to fail in effecting a speedy cure. Truly yours,
MIRANDA CHAPPEL,
Postmaster at Buckland, Prince William County, Va., Nov. 6, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

GENTS: I have been selling your Stomach Bitters for eighteen months, and find them an excellent medicine. All that is necessary is to let the people know their virtue, and they will use them. I have used them myself, and now recommend them to all who have weak stomachs.

Respectfully yours,
WATERSON & MCFARLAND, Druggists.
Hernando, DeSoto County, Miss., Sept. 4, 1866.

September 10, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen: For a long time I have been afflicted with dyspepsia, during which time I was unable to attend to any business. I was advised to use your Stomach Bitters. I did, and found them a great benefit to me. I believe had it not been for them I should have been in my grave this. I write and reply to testify to the virtue of your BITTERS, but would advise you also to use them as soon as possible, as I am now keeping a store.

Yours respectfully, JOHN M. GREACEN.

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Very respectfully, J. SMITH, M. D.
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Very respectfully, yours,
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Franklin, Clinton County, Ind., December 8, 1865.

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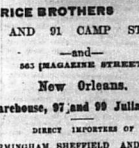

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Rev. Dr. Wm. Spillman, will preach at the Methodist Church in this city to-day. Subject—union and perpetuity of the church. Text, Math. XIVc. 18v.

We invite attention to the card of Smiths & Parsons, Vicksburg, and to the fact that they are now offering for sale three thousand sacks of corn, just received from St. Louis, by barge. There is no better firm in Vicksburg than Smiths & Parsons, and they sell at prices that defy competition—They are agents for the Mississippi Valley Transportation Company at St. Louis, and receive weekly large shipments of corn, flour, &c., thus offering superior inducements to merchants. Our young friend, J. J. Hood, formerly of Scott County, is with this house, and will be glad to serve his friends. Seddon A. Jones, of this city, well known to our merchants, is in their employment, and will be pleased to see his many friends from this section, when they visit the Hill City. may30-6t

We have received the Hazlehurst Weekly News, a paper recently established at the flourishing town of Hazlehurst. Rev. H. J. Harris, a gentleman who is well known over the State, and very competent for the duties of his new profession, is the editor. The number before us is neatly printed and creditable to the publisher and editor. We trust the News may have an extensive circulation and prove profitable to the proprietors, and useful to the public. Mr. Harris takes a sensible practical view of the situation, and favors reconstruction under the military bill.

A new daily paper has been commenced at Jackson, to take the place of the Mississippian consolidated with the Herald at Vicksburg. The new aspirant for public favor is the Jackson Advertiser, edited by Merrill, Metz & Potter. All these gentlemen have had experience in the newspaper business, and will, no doubt, get up an interesting journal. We wish them prosperity in the enterprize.

A change has recently taken place in the management of the Vicksburg Times. Col. Thos. B. Manlove has retired from the editorial department, and is succeeded by Col. W. H. McCardle. Col. McCardle is a veteran in journalism, and one of the most able and graceful writers in the South. We welcome his return to a profession in which he has justly acquired distinction, but feel regret at Col. Manlove's retirement. Col. M., though quite a young man, was making his mark as an editor, and we are sure he will carry with him to whatever new profession he may engage in, the best wishes of the editorial fraternity for his success.

We were gratified to see at the Tournament, on last Thursday, our friend C. H. Wilson, formerly our associate in the Clarion, but now one of the editors and publishers of the Eastern Star, at Enterprize. The Star is one of the most flourishing weekly papers in the State, and receives, as it deserves, a liberal support from Enterprise and the surrounding country.

We had the pleasure of welcoming to our sanctum, on Tuesday last, Col. Thomas, editor of the Choctaw Herald, published at Butler, Alabama. The Herald has a wide circulation in Choctaw, a section of country trading largely with Meridian. Our merchants would do well to remember this fact, and before the business season opens, give the Herald their advertisements.

Our sanctum was enlivened on Thursday last, by the presence of Major H. St. Paul, editor of the Mobile Times, and Mr. Sussman, for many years associated with Mr. Bellentyne, in the publication of the Tribune, but now engaged in the Times office. Mr. St. Paul, as able writer and accomplished gentlemen, is no less distinguished as an orator; he delivered the address at the Tournament.

EXCITEMENT IN GREENSBORO, ALA.—A NEGRO KILLED.—THE TOWN IN ARMS.—We understand a very bad state of affairs exists in Greensboro, Alabama, in consequence of the killing of a negro man, named George Green, by a citizen of Green County. Green was a member of the Board of Registers for the county, and got into a dispute with a white man, whose name we could not learn, and report goes, called him a d—d liar, whereupon the white man drew and fired a pistol, killing him almost instantly. The excitement became increased, and assembled with arms in one end of the town, with a view of attacking the citizens, who in the meantime had supplied themselves with weapons and were resolved to receive the attack. The negroes stood at 12 o'clock on Thursday night. The greatest excitement prevailed, it was feared a riot would ensue, and the town was in a state of siege. We hope the matter has gone no further.

The Round Table, a Gotham

The Tournament.

In this, the reign of utilitarianism, while the asperities of the rough ways of action are smoothed by the touch of fancy, it is pleasant to see revived the brilliant bearing of our Knights and the approving smiles of our fair ladies, for the scenes of romance that lend such a charm to the otherwise gloomy chronicles of the "Middle Ages."

The grand Tournament so long expected and for which such ample preparations have been made, passed off very pleasantly to all concerned, and will long be a theme of happy reminiscence.

We must confess that it is with unalloyed satisfaction we recall the animated scenes of last Thursday eve—the beautiful parterres of "human flowers" that graced that portion of the amphitestre to the right of the entrance, the Knights passing to and fro in elegant costumes, and the Judge's stand whence the Meridian Band poured forth its stirring notes.

Eleven Knights entered to contest the prizes, but we did not learn the characters assumed by all. R. F. Coleman, Knight of Choctaw, time, 29 seconds, 3 rings; Capt. W. A. Payne, Knight of Dixie, 28½ seconds, 0 rings. This we consider the best time rolling on record. T. R. Rush, Knight of the Golden Arrow and Rose Plume, 26 seconds, 4 rings; L. P. Switzer, 28½ seconds, 5 rings; J. W. Harvey, Knight of the Red Plume, 28½ seconds, 7 rings; S. Stephens, 26½ seconds, 5 rings; J. R. Payne, 26 seconds, 1 ring; J. Jones 26½ seconds, 2 rings; Walker, 31 seconds, 5 rings; R. Harvey, Knight of Malta, 29½ seconds, 5 rings; M. Rush, 27 seconds, 3 rings.

W. A. Payne, Knight of Dixie, received the first prize. He already wears the medal so gallantly won on the 1st of May, and, in our opinion, is likely to do so until he gets tired of it. J. W. Harvey, Knight of the Red Plume, took the second prize. In this Knight, our champion of Dixie will "find a foeman worthy of his steel," at some future tournament. J. Jones won the third prize in dashing style. Accustoming to rule, these successful competitors who boast of "double blessedness," turned over their wreaths to the single gentlemen who had taken the next highest number of rings. L. P. Switzer, Right Royal Knight, crowned Miss Bettie Watts, of Meridian, Queen of Love and Beauty. R. F. Coleman, crowned Miss Lota Watts, of Uniontown, First Maid of Honor—Master Matt. Rush crowned Miss Ida Payne Second Maid of Honor. Mr. R. F. Coleman, was adjudged the "Most Graceful Knight," by a committee of young ladies appointed by the judges—Miss Lota Watts, of Uniontown; Miss Sallie Jones, Meridian; Miss Hooks, Sumter county Ala.; Miss Swayne, Enterprise; Miss White, Kemper county.

The riding throughout was excellent. Capt. Bush, especially, riding like a centaur. Long live the Meridian Tournament Club! It has afforded us a deal of pleasure. We have listened to the address of Messrs. Metz & Potter, and the brief but no less elegant and appropriate remarks of General Ramsey; we have gazed upon faces as fair as ever graced "hall or bower," and in fact we are indebted to the "Club," for an evening of innocent enjoyment. Col. Henderson, our worthy Mayor, was present all praise as its President, he seems to have carried into the chair that executive energy so marked in his administration of municipal affairs. We must not omit to state Gen. Patton introduced the Knights to the assembled fair, with "Patton's grace."

Let us encourage Tournaments. They keep fresh in memory the deeds of heroic men, and foster the principles of chivalry which are founded upon the best feelings of the human heart. 'Twas the office of the Knight of old to succor the distressed. When the arm of law was weak, and might made right, he rode forth to protect the innocent and become the champion of the poor. His sword was ever unsheathed in behalf of woman, and his proud homage elevated her from the deep degradation of "dark ages." Let us remember and emulate their fame. Kv.

The Mobile Times is one of the best papers on our exchange list, and should receive a large circulation in Mississippi.

THE MOBILE ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.—On and after to-day the accommodation Train leaving Mobile at 4:30 P. M. on Sunday, and leaving Meridian at 5:37 P. M. on Saturday, will be discontinued. On all other days of the week, the train will run as heretofore.

An Ordinance in regard to Cabinet and Carpenter Shops.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That all cabinet and carpenter shops be required to be cleared of all shavings and small combustible shavings once in each and every day, and carried to a secure place and burned.

Be it further ordained, That for violation of the above, upon conviction, the owner or proprietor shall be fined in a sum not less than five, nor more than fifty dollars.

Be it further ordained, That this ordinance be in full force and effect, from and after its passage.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance, entitled an ordinance to provide a revenue for the City of Meridian.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That section No. 8, entitled an ordinance to provide a revenue for the city of Meridian, approved September 6th, 1866, be so amended as to read in the third section, "Then said real estate or a sufficiency thereof, to pay double said taxes and costs, shall be advertised for thirty days and sold, and in all such cases, the real estate offered shall be collected, besides all other expenses incidental thereto. Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON, Mayor.

J. C. LLOYD, Clerk.

DEATH OF COLONEL THEODORE O'HARA.—Many hearts throughout the Southern States will receive with sorrow the announcement of the death of Col. Theodore O'Hara, of Kentucky, which event took place on Friday afternoon last, in Barbour county, Alabama. Since three of the Lafayette, Col. O'Hara had been in declining health, and for several months was confined to his bed. His general friend will be pained to learn that his death was hastened by the loss of his property by fire, which occurred a few months since.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

NEW YORK, June 11.—Ten vessels carrying four thousand passengers, all in the sanitary condition, arrived in quarantine to-day.

The cholera, it is reported, is disappearing from all parts of the world.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Fessenden's successor as Treasury agent is under consideration.

The President advises the Tennessee petitioners to apply simultaneously to Gen. Thomas and Brownlow for protection from outrages, thus giving Thomas an opportunity and Gen. Thomas the right to correct them.

The President is not very well. He is threatened, it is said, with Bright's kidney disease.

There was a Cabinet meeting to-day.

It is stated that only Staunton will sustain District Commanders in alleged illegal assumptions of power.

William Bell will relieve Knox in the Supervision of Government Finances at New Orleans. Knox's official duties require his presence here.

The attorneys in Surratt's case are engaged in wrangling over a jury, technicalities originating with the prosecution.

It is supposed that Stanberry's views involving restraints upon District Commanders will be discussed in Cabinet to-day. It is thought his views regarding registration will be enforced by high authority.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Internal Revenue receipts to-day, $400,000.

All the members attended a prolonged session of the Cabinet to-day.

The President is in his usual health to-day.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Information has reached the Land Office that parties contemplating a Western tour, that the country teems with crops and fruits.

The ninety-nine bonds stolen from the Treasury recently were in an unfinished condition. No loss is apprehended either to the Government or the public from the theft.

The discussion of the Jury question was continued to the adjournment of the Court. No decision.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The following is an extract from the New York Tribune of this morning:

"Let Sheridan or Sickles, for instance, be removed and a summer session of Congress will be inevitable. With a summer session the President's functions will unquestionably be so limited that it will not be in his power ever after to remove any general commanding."

RICHMOND, VA., June 11.—Senator Wilson, of Massachusetts, Charles W. Sumner, H. H. Coleridge, Geo. W. Bond, F. W. Bird, C. W. Stack, and P. M. Morse, of the same State, Geo. W. Baxter, of Philadelphia, John Jay, J. G. Holbrook, and G. F. Noyes, of New York, and Hon. Chas. Gibbons, Speaker of the Pennsylvania House of Delegates, arrived here this evening. They will meet several prominent Virginians at the Governor's mansion to-night, to have a conference as to how the two wings of the Republican party, that represented by the late Richmond Convention, and that which proposes to hold another Convention in Charlottsville, may be reconciled.

RICHMOND, June 11.—Gen Schofield has issued a circular to all Presidents of Boards of Registration, urging them to finish their work by the end of July.

Horace W. Harvey, school teacher for Freedmen, who was convicted for whipping a child not belonging to the school, and sentenced to $100 fine and one month's imprisonment, has been released. Gen. Schofield remitting the fine, and the Governor pardoning him from imprisonment.

RICHMOND, June 11.—At the Republican conference this evening at the Governor's mansion, a delegation numbering forty or fifty gentlemen was held upon the prospects of the State election, the strength of the Republican party, &c. Gov. Pierpont, Botts, Mr. Hunicutt, Judge Underwood, and others took part in the discussions.—About a dozen colored persons were present.

RICHMOND, June 11.—The conference is still in session, with little prospect of agreeing on a common platform. The representatives of the Richmond wing appear to contend that the action of that body ought to be final.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Sub-Treasury receipts $3,000,000; payments $4,500,000.

LONDON, June 11.—All the Fenian prisoners confined in Chester Castle have been transferred to England to be placed in prison.

The chancery case of the United States vs. McRae has been decided in favor of the latter.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—It is semi officially stated that Gen. Sheridan's action regarding Gov. Wells is not approved by the opinion of the Cabinet, there is no warrant in law for the removal of State officers. The jury array was discharged on the ground that it was illegally drawn. A new array has been ordered.

Major Wilkes has had first interview with the President to-day.

NEW YORK, June 12.—The life-raft Nonpareil cleared for Europe this morning.

NEW YORK, June 12.—In the case of the heirs of John C Memurtagle versus the International Life Insurance Company of London, a verdict for the plaintiffs was rendered, establishing the law of the case (as regards foreign companies) that premiums paid in Confederate money during the war are valid.

RICHMOND, VA., June 12.—This morning the two committees, appointed by the two wings of the Union Party to confer at the conference last night, met Senator Wilson and three other delegates from the Union League Clubs of New York, Philadelphia and Boston, at the Ballard House, where all existing divisions of sentiment were canvassed.

Hon. J. M. Botts accepted, in behalf of the friends of the Charlottesville Convention, a proposition for a joint committee of the two wings, as follows:

"To the Unconditional Union Men of Virginia.—The Republican Executive State Committee and the undersigned, citizens of the State of Virginia who have ever ourselves unconditional Union men and members of the great Republican party of the United States, call upon all citizens of like condition, as common sufferers, not to throw away the "golden opportunity" to restore themselves, our children and the State, from the hands of those who have brought nothing but war, desolation and wretchedness to our doors. Let a full council at Richmond, as more convenient than Charlottesville, on the first day of August next, at 12 o'clock, M., in the African Church, for the purpose of extending and perfecting the organization of the Republican party, commenced by the Convention assembled at Richmond, on the 17th of April last."

The call is signed by the Republican State Committee, Gov. Pierpont, Hon. J. M. Botts, Lewis Ruffner, Gen. Chapman, and some three hundred others.

The revenue receipts from tobacco in this district, for the past month, were $250,000.

General Schofield, having received a complaint that E. J. Crump, one of the registers of the city, had been aiding the Confederates, suspended him from office, because for the charge. This complaint was preferred by freedmen, and is the first made in this State.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—All the members of the Cabinet were present yesterday. The question of the legality regarding the powers of District Commanders was discussed.

The petition was approved by all except Stanbery, who was silent upon the subject.

General Grant was not present during the consultation to-day.

The opinion is entertained that arbitrary removals of State and U. S. officers will not be made.

The impression which prevailed a few days ago of changes of District Commanders is fading away. It is now thought the desired reformation can better be obtained by enforcing discipline, which involves respect for law and obedience, from subordinate military officers.

Ninety-three suits have been commenced by claimants of Savannah cotton, alleged to have been captured by Gen. Sherman and sold in New York. The amount involved is about $4,000,000 in gold. The suits are an horizon by recent acts of Congress.

The Grecian Legation has arrived, and will be presented to-morrow.

The motion for a new trial in Conover's case was abandoned. He leaves for Albany penitentiary to-night.

The following correspondence is now, for the first time, made public:

NEW ORLEANS, April 3—P. M.

Gen. U. S. Grant:

SIR: I transmit by mail to-day a communication from Gen. Griffin, in which he asks for the removal of Gov. Throckmorton, of Texas.

I feel like Griffin on the subject—that he ought to be removed. And I fear that I will be obliged to remove him. And I fear that I will be obliged to remove the Governor of Louisiana. He is impeding me as much as he can.

I will commence the registration in Louisiana as soon as the Supplemental Bill reaches me officially. I feel myself fully equal to the new task, and hope to get through it creditably to the military.

I send Griffin's application and this telegram, asking the benefit of your judgment. It is my intention to make but few remarks,

P. H. SHERIDAN,
Major General.

The annexed dispatch was in answer to the foregoing:

Major General P. H. Sheridan.

NEW ORLEANS, La.:

SIR—I would advise that no removals of Governors of States be made at present.

The question now under consideration whether the power exists under the law to remove, except by special act of Congress, or by trial under the 6th section of the act—promulgated in Order No. 33.

[signed] U. S. GRANT.
General.

WASHINGTON, June 13—The prize fight between Aaron and Collyer was won by the former in sixty-seven rounds. The fight was of the most desperate character, Collyer's face being completely jellied.—Both men were terribly punished, and it is supposed that neither can possibly recover.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The array of jury for Surratt's trial is progressing, and the panel will probably be completed today.

The National Intelligencer, which is now regarded as the executive organ, has the following:

"We have authority for the statement that at a very recent consultation of the Cabinet, it was decided that the military officers in command of the five Districts, into which the unreconstructed Southern States are divided, have no power to remove civil officers, during their authority, from the State governments as now organized.

The question we now understand before the Cabinet, had more immediate reference to the removal of the Governor and other civil officers of the State of Louisiana by Gen. Sheridan, but of course will apply to the actions of the other four commanders.

NEW ORLEANS, June 13.—The Picayune has the following:

The Ki Commercio Matamoras of the 7th gives the following as extracts from a letter of the 2d from Monterey: "Miramon has died of a fever which attacked him after he was wounded at Queretaro. Castillo, Mejia and several others have been shot, according to a letter I have seen from a creditable person in San Luis. The most profoud silence is preserved as to what is to be done with Maximilian. The chief functionaries talked both ways. I have just been told that Mexico was at the feet of the monarch."

El Mensajero, the Imperialist paper published at Brownsville, pronounces Maximilian's proclamations of Monterey, and says that it originated with a burlesque paper at San Luis Potosi.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—It is almost certain that the acts of District Commanders, wherein they have transcended the munificent powers of the 39th Congress, will be reversed, and the powers of Provisional Governors restored, and that the functions of Provisional Governments will hereafter only be removed by court martial or act of Congress. This is the decision of the Cabinet, Stanton only dissenting by silence.

The probable resignation of District Commander Sickles before these reversals and restraints was discussed. Such action was apprehended and deplored. The point was, however, made that these District Commanders were soldiers on duty, and, that however unpleasant that duty may be, they cannot abandon their posts.

AUGUSTA, June 13.—Governor Brown delivered a speech at Milledgeville to-day. He counseled moderation and future prospects of the country. He takes strong ground in favor of reorganizing under the Military Reconstruction acts, as the only hope for restoration, and denounces the unconstitutionality of Gov. Wells and others, who oppose reconstruction on the proposed terms.

Robert Price, of South Carolina, was murdered by freedmen near this city last night.

ST. LOUIS, June 13.—The steamer Governor Sharkey left port at 2 A. M., bound for Arkansas River with a large cargo of Freight and 200 government hands, for Port. Gibson. The boat was overloaded, and as she swung from the levee, began to list. She was loaded for the shore, and as her bow struck, some 20 or more persons jumped ashore. She afterwards swung loose and floated into the stream, and sunk to the hurricane roof. Yawls from other boats took off the captain and crew and a large number of the government hands. Many also swam ashore, but it is feared a large number were drowned. The boat had 300 passengers list were lost, and probably the number of missing will never be known.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—General Withers had a prolonged interview with the President this afternoon. Nothing transpired beyond such points as affect municipal officers, which will be considered in cabinet to-morrow. Indications are that the administration will move carefully but determinedly in carrying out to the latter of reconstruction acts, no more and no less, avoiding however, ultra irritating or hurried measures.

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ETHEL'S ORDEAL.

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"You're not believing a word I say, Ethel?"

"No, I'm not, Mr. Orme!"

The dark-eyed, handsome man of the world bent forward to direct the full force of his caressing glance into Miss Grant's face.

"Ethel—what can I do or say to convince you of my sincerity?"

"Nothing, Mr. Orme—I must read you for myself."

Alan Orme was puzzled for once. He could not decipher the meaning hidden in the words of that lovely girl who sat among the flowers like a beautiful impersonation of Summer's self!

She was very fair and delicate, with heavy braids of golden hair shadowing her open forehead, and deep hazel eyes. Every feature was classically perfect from the straight nose and chiseled scarlet lips to the small, pink ears, and column-like throat. Ethel Grant was a beauty, and what is more, she was an heiress. Ah, poor child! she was sometimes almost tempted to wish that she had been penniless and plain!

"Ethel," said Alan Orme, suddenly changing the deep music of his voice into an indescribable melting cadence, "my nature lies before you like an open book; read it when and how you will!"

"Mr. Orme," said Ethel, dreamily, twisting the tassel of her blue cashmere opera cloak; "I have read in old times novels of people who passed through tests and ordeals ere they were deemed worthy to aspire to the great wishes of their hearts. I wish those olden times were back once more."

"So they may be, Ethel, as far as we are concerned," pleaded the lover. "Condemn me to any trial or test you please, dearest, and see if I do not pass through it for your sake!"

"But suppose the result proves unsatisfactory!"

"It will not prove unsatisfactory!"

"Then I have your permission to try you by what ordeal I please?"

"You have."

Ethel's brilliant eyes looked half doubtfully into Alan's, but the next moment a bright glow suffused her cheeks.

"What nonsense we are talking! You will certainly be late at that scientific meeting. *Bon soir* Mr. Orme!"

And Alan departed, only half satisfied with the success of the game he had been so pleading so passionately, while Ethel's cheek dropped on one fair hand, and she sat musing in the strange brightness of the late November twilight!

"He is handsome—there's no denying that fact!" she said, half aloud, "and his manners are very fascinating. I feel the charm even while I strive against it! And if the instinct of love is a test, he should prove true, and he should be but a deceiver! Nelly!"

She spoke, speaking abruptly—a tall, swarthy girl obeyed the call, entering with her work in her hand.

"When do you enter upon that engagement?"

"As governess in the Orme family?"

"Yes."

"On Thursday, I believe. Why?"

"Nell" said Miss Grant, her eyes dancing with mischievous sparkles, "I've a plan in my head—a plan worthy of the most impudent, sensational novel! Can you keep it?"

And Ethel, with her rose-bloom cheek close to Nelly Ward's, whispered out her confidence, smiling and blushing as she whispered!

"Papa!" whispered little Tommy Orme, "I don't like the new governess one bit. She isn't pretty. She wears horrid green spectacles and a curly wig, and her skin is so dark and—"

"Hush!" he interrupted the fascinating whisper, whose voice was so low and enchanting in Miss Grant's boudoir. "I am tired of this everlasting nurse. Mary's been at the piano this instant, or I will know the reason why!"

"But papa, Miss Ward—"

"Silence!"

The shrewdly patter-mallius strode into the schoolroom with a quick impatient step.

"Miss Ward!"

"Sir?"

This swarthy governess sat at her writing desk, a pair of green glass spectacles upon her eyes, and the folds of brilliantined hair almost hiding her profile in its heavy luxuriance.

"There's too much fire here, Miss Ward —I cannot countenance such extravagance!"

He poked out the coals vigorously as he spoke.

"And about your salary, Miss Ward—two hundred dollars is more than I can give—do not interrupt me, if you please—a hundred and fifty is all I am prepared to give you; and I wish you to be a little economical about the fires and lights. It costs a great deal of money in this bleak days, and my sister is a very wasteful housekeeper—very!"

He closed out of the room without waiting for the governess's reply, and the next moment she heard him scolding and berating his sister in the adjoining apartment.

"Two pounds of beefsteak for a single breakfast — it's abominable — perfectly bominable! I've no money to throw away on such folies! Where was yesterday's cold lamb?"

"My dear Alan, servants—"

"Servants—servants! that's all nonsense! And what's this bill for Tommy's shoes! It's only four months since Tommy had a pair!"

"Yes, but—"

"I tell you what, Maria, there must be some limit to this throwing away of money—my income never will stand it! Children—never!"

He stamped his foot imperiously on the ground, with an emphasis that sent the frightened little one flying into the next room, to the protection of their governess's presence.

"I wish papa was dead!" whispered poor Tommy, holding his face in Miss Ward's skirts.

"Hush Tommy, that's very wrong!"

"I don't care—I do! Papa never does anything but scold and storm round, and I'm tired of it! I know I shall learn to curse if he does!"

"Silence," went on the *enfant terrible*, "papa 'll scold the heiress instead of her. He is so cross!"

"Hush, hush!" lisped his little sister reprovingly, "papa will hear you!"

The evil genius of mischief crossed toward the half open door, but stopped talking nevertheless, while the new governess made the comment so quietly begun to arrange the lesson books and prepare for the duties of the day.

When Mr. Orme returned from his business that evening, he went straight into the school room.

"Miss Ward, I find it is cheaper — Hallo! Where is the governess. I don't pay wages for the governess to dawdle away her time!"

"She is gone, Alan!"

"Gone!"

"The salary was insufficient."

"Let her go, then. People are getting altogether too extravagant ideas now-a-days. I do not care!"

And he went up to his room to prepare for an evening call on Miss Grant.

Ethel was at home, as bright and radiant as ever, not a vestige remaining of the heaven-dye which had so lately stained her clear skin, nor the huge green spectacles. Mr. Orme advanced towards her.

"Well, Ethel, is my answer ready?"

"Yes."

"What is it?"

"Most emphatically, *No!*"

"Ethel!"

"Mr. Orme!"

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"The tall beauty swept out of the room with a royally graceful gesture of dismissal.

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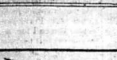

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Thursday : : : : : ; June 20, 1867.

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will in accordance with orders from Head Quarters 4th Military District, visit the several precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters pursuant to an act of Congress "to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States."

Meridian,	Saturday, June 15,	27, remain	10 days
Marion,	Friday,	28,	5 days
Lauderdale,	Friday, July	5,	6 days,
Lockhart,	Monday,	8,	4 days
Daleville,	Saturday,	20,	3 days
Martin's Bay,	Thursday,	25,	3 days
Rushings's S.,	Monday,	29,	3 days
Chunkey,	Friday,	Aug. 2,	3 days
Chumbrville,	Monday,	5,	3 days
Enterprise,	Friday,	9,	3 days
Toomsuba,	Monday,	12,	5 days,
Alexander,	Saturday,	17,	3 days,
Why Not,	Friday,	23,	3 days,
Audubon,	Monday,	26,	3 days.

Office hours from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 to 3 P. M.

Citizens generally are respectfully requested to give public notice to the time and place at which under the act of Congress to vote, are asked to remember that the Board will endeavor to facilitate registration, and to this end Registrars are authorized to vote should be present in their attendance at the places and times published.

WM. GAITHER, }
A. MORAN, } *Registers.*
D. A. SMALLEY, }

Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail train—pass up at		8.12 P. M.
" " arrive at		5.50 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at		5.32 P. M.
" " arrives		6.40 A. M.
Freight train pass up at		6.30 P. M.
" " arrive		7.30 P. M.
" " down		7.25 A. M.
" " arrive		8.27 P. M.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves		6.35 A. M.
" arrive		4.55 P. M.
Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.		
Passenger train leaves		6.30 A. M.
" arrives		4.05 P. M.
Freight trains arrive		11.15 A. M.
"	" depart	2.3 P. M.
"	" depart	9.55 A. M.
"	" arrive	3.15 P. M.

Through trains East connect daily with the N. O., J. & G. N. R. R. trains going South, and with the O. & C. R. R. Selma and Meridian R. R. at Meridian. Accommodation trains West connect with N. O., J. & G. N. R. R. South and South. Accommodation train East connects with N. O. & J. & G. N. R. R. South, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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Passenger for Memphis and all points North make up 5 min. and save connections by taking Jackson train. Passengers for Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian and stations on N. O., J. & G. N. R. R. must take up train at 5 min. and save connections with trains on Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Selma and Mobile must take up train at 5 min. and save connections with trains on Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

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C. P. OAKEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

Letter from Gov. Perry, of South Carolina, on Reconstruction.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE COLUMBIA PHOENIX:—The people of South Carolina were persuaded six or seven years ago, that their only hope of maintaining African Slavery, was in the destruction of the American Union and the formation of a Southern Confederacy. I do not think so, and therefore, in warning you against this fatal delusion. I said to them that slavery was safer in the Union than it could be in a separate Confederacy.—I told them that the extinction of the Union would be the death-knell of Slavery. They spurned my counsel, and madly rushed into a bloody civil war, which ended in the abolition of slavery. Now they are being persuaded again, that the only way to save their lands from the confiscation of Congress, is in adopting the provisions of the Military Bill, giving universal suffrage to the negro, and disfranchising the leading public men. It is with a sad heart that I see these citizens, all over the State, of a preparation to adopt this second delusion, which will prove more fatal to the State than the first has been. It is true they have lost by the first their property in slaves, and involved their country in a long and bloody war, which desolated the State and sacrificed thousands of their most gallant men, but they have been placed under a military government. But now they are going to sacrifice their honor as a people, and lose their lands in the bargain! They are going to enfranchise 60,000 black voters, and surrender the political power of the State into the hands of the negroes! The inevitable result of this delusion and criminal folly will be the establishment of the most atrocious government and horrible state of society that a people was ever subjected to.

Already the negro vaults every in Virginia and elsewhere as "Land for the landless!" "Houses for the houseless!" "Political equality to all men, regardless of race or color!" What avail will 40,000 white voters have in South Carolina, with this witch cry ringing at the polls! It is against nature and reason to suppose that an ignorant and debased majority will not pursue their own interest, regardless of right, and carry out their wicked purposes, whatever they may be. It is impossible to restrain them at first, before they acquire concert of action. Hence the importance of defeating the call of a convention at the first election, before this majority is organized and emboldened by agitation and evil counsels. It cannot be controlled afterward, but will make South Carolina a political and social pandemonium. Is there an instance in the world's history of a class of men, invested with political power, who did not unite to promote their own interests?

Just as sure as general suffrage is given to the negro in South Carolina, he will feel his numerical strength, and sooner or later, under the vile lead of the Black Republican emissaries, seize the political power of the State and exercise it to oppress and plunder the white race. There are thousands of unprincipled white men among us, who will unite their destiny with the negro for the sake of spoils and plunder. They will easily be persuaded, and persuade themselves, that it is right and proper that the lands of the State should be divided out equally among all of her citizens. Every one should have a home, the poor free man as well as his former rich master. Having the power in their hands, with this belief, it is folly and stupidity to suppose they will not execute it. They must needs go in pursuit of office, ride with you and your daughters on the cars, and eat with you at the hotel, and sit with you in the church. All this, and ten times more, you must endure from your political masters. And can it be that the pride of Carolina has sunk so low, and been so degraded, as to vote for all this voluntarily, for the purpose of getting back into the Union which her citizens professed to hate and despise so cordially a few years since? Are they willing to go to the polls and cast their vote for a convention, with this degrading theme in the face, in order to save their lands from confiscation? No. They will be voting the ultimate confiscation of their lands and their political rights as surely as they are voting away their honor as men in after Carolinians.

There are in the State only two districts out of the thirty in which the white voters are in the majority, and these are the smallest, consequently two-thirds and more of the Convention may be negroes or Black Republicans. The Legislature will be similarly composed. Do the people of the South really think of these consequences, or are they prepared to accept them? Better a thousand times let Congress confiscate your land than entail such a government and such degradation and misery on yourselves and posterity. Do your duty and leave the consequences to God.—Act like men and Carolinians. Beware, by voting against a Convention, that you will never voluntarily yield the right of self-government or place yourselves under the control of your former slaves. Better—far better—to remain as you are, under the military rule of your conquerors, and await the returning sense of justice. I feel convinced that nothing but a mistaken appeal to base fear, and that dastardly virtue, called prudence, could have wrought so wonderful a change in the public sentiment of South Carolina, and it is unchimerly to see the people, a proud, gallant people—scored into their own ruin and degradation by the false cry of confiscation, like the consumptive lunatic, who had such a terror of death that he hatted his brains out against the walls of his cell to avoid it. In order to save our lands from Congressional confiscation, we are persuaded to let the negroes parcel them out among themselves.

Let no one charge me with disloyalty to the American Union, or infer from what I have said that I am not in favor of reconstructing the union of the States. My whole political life has been spent in fighting for the Union, and trying to ward off that fell spirit of disunion which has brought unnumbered woes upon South Carolina. I wish to see the Union restored under the Constitution. I know the American people never can be free and happy, great and prosperous, without the Federal Union; but I will never degrade myself, or my State, or surrender my constitutional rights or republican principles to get back into the Union. I will live under a military government, no matter how absolute or despotic it may be, and bequeath it to my children, sooner than vote a negro government for a South Carolina, or any man will do who votes for a Convention.

It is a source of proud satisfaction to me to see such Union men as Gov. Sharkey, of Mississippi, Gov. Jennings, of Georgia, Gov. Worth, of North Carolina, and Gov. Marvin, of Florida, who never ceased their opposition to the spirit of disunion till the Union ceased to exist, standing firmly and breathing the storm of tyranny, oppression and degradation which has been hurled at them, while leading secessionists and disunionists are counseling the people to their own degradation and destruction, for the purpose of getting back into the Union; and in order to accomplish their purposes, holding up to their view the "raw head and bloody bones" of confiscation. Such counsel comes with a bad grace from those who boasted, at the beginning of our civil or sectional war, that they had drawn their swords and thrown away their scabbards, determined to live or die separate from the vile and accursed Yankee nation.

Let no one charge me, either, with unkindness to the African race. I have always been their friend and protector, and as they show themselves capable of exercising the right of suffrage, by their intelligence and property, I am willing to concede the right to them. But I am not willing, in their present debased and degraded condition, to throw the political power of the State into their hands. I know the result will be disastrous, both to them and the white race. It will end in a bloody contest of extermination to one race or the other. In very few of the Northern States are the negroes allowed to vote, where they have only a few, and they are far superior to those of the Southern States. It is manifest that the representatives of those States in Congress should attempt to force us to yield the right of universal suffrage to the negro, when they refuse it to him themselves.

There is no danger of confiscation by Congress. The members of this body may not be superior to the negro in honesty, but they have not the same motive to vote a division of the lands. They are not citizens who will have a foot in it, and are therefore not likely to rob and steal for another as for himself. But is it not better to be robbed and plundered by Congress than by a Convention of your own citizens? As wicked as Congress is, the members must have some regard for the opinion of the world. They may, too, have some appreciation of agrarianism at home.

I greatly fear there are many white persons in South Carolina who will vote for a Convention, under the delusion of its repudiating the public debts of the State. This class may influence the negro vote to unite with them, and thus, in effect, they can make use of the negro in parceling out the lands of the State. One step leads to another. Stay law first—repudiation next; and then follows a division of lands and an equal apportionment of property among all persons, and last of all, the honest, hardworking, industrious and prudent class must support the idle, dissipated, extravagant and roguish class. Who cares to be represented in Congress by negro, Black Republicans or perjured Southerners? All others are excluded by the "iron clad oath." A full 3/5 of the great boon South Carolina is to receive for her voluntary abandonment of honor, and principle, and constitutional liberty? We are to be represented in Congress by men whom we despise and will only increase the Black Republican majority in that body. Such, at least, we shall have a Legislature composed of negroes and their vile representatives! Congress has left it discretionary with the people of South Carolina whether to call a Convention or not. They have called a registration of voters and authorized every one to indorse on his ticket "Convention" or "No Convention." Therefore, let every man who is not disfranchised, go to the polls like a gentleman, and, for property, and the peace of society, go forward and register his name, and then vote at the election, indorsing on his ticket "No Convention." In this way alone can we maintain our honor, preserve the peace of society, prevent black suffrage, and a division of the lands amongst the negroes.

LOVE.—A complaint of the heart generally of an immoderate longing after something difficult to obtain.—It attacks persons of both sexes, generally between the ages of fourteen and thirty; some have been known to have died at the age of sixty.

Symptoms.—Absence of mind, giving things wrong names; calling tears nectar and sighs zephyrs; bleeding at the nose; loss of appetite; neglect of business; a loathing for all things—except love; bloodshot eyes, a constant desire to sigh.

Effects.—A strong headache; pulse high stupidly eloquent eyes; sleeplessness, and all that sort of thing.—At times the imagination is right, hovers of roses; winged cupids, and buttered-peas, and them again, oceans of despair, racks, tortures and hair triggered pistols.

Cure.—Get married. If that don't cure you it will at least open your eyes.

A TRUE LADY.—I was once walking a short distance behind a very handsomely dressed young lady, and thinking so, I looked at her beautiful clothes, "I wonder if she takes half so much pains with her heart as she does with her body?"

A poor old man was coming up the walk, and just before he reached us, he made two attempts to go into the yard of a small house; but the gate was heavy, and would swing back before he could get through.

"Wait," said the young girl, springing lightly forward, "I'll hold the gate open." And she held the gate until he passed in, and received his thanks with a pleasant smile as she went on.

"She deserves to have beautiful clothes," I thought, "for a beautiful spirit dwells in her breast."

The Chicago Times of the 15th gives prominence to the following incident, as indicating the state of society in a mortal town known as St. Louis. A crowd had gathered on a corner, and an excited individual, panting with heat rushed up to the crowd exclaiming:

"What's the matter!"

"Only a man killed," was the reply.

"Oh! is that all? I've been running like h—ll and d—nation. I thought it was a dog fight."

Seven miles from White Bluffs Station on the Northwestern Railroad, in Sumner county, Tennessee, some [illegible] struck oil in digging a well. The oil is about twelve barrels p[illegible]

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Gen. Ord has issued an important circular of instruction to the Boards of Registration. The following officers in this district are regarded by General Ord as clearly included within the terms executive or judicial officers of any State, viz: Governors, Secretaries of State, Auditors, State Treasurers, Attorney Generals, Judges of the Supreme Court, of the High Court of Appeals, Chancellors, Judges of the Circuit Court, Judges or Justices of County Courts, Sheriffs, Coroners and Adjutants General and Quartermasters General who have actually exercised the duties and received the salaries of their offices, and Mayors authorized to act in a judicial capacity. Thus it will be seen the District Commander rather extends than curtails the list of disfranchised persons. As Clerks of Courts are not mentioned, it is clear they will be permitted to register.

The New Orleans Times has published the decision of the Supreme Court affirming that notes or obligations received in the purchase of slaves subscribed to the President's proclamation of emancipation, cannot be recovered, as the contract was founded upon an invalid consideration.

IMPORTANT INTELLIGENCE.—The following press dispatch, received in Mobile Tuesday night, will be at once interesting and agreeable news to our readers:

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The Cabinet held a protracted special session today.

It is stated, on authority, that it was decided to restore the civil officers removed contrary to law.

They will be restored by an Executive order, which will be issued tomorrow.

RULES AND FORMS IN BANKRUPTCY.—A letter from Washington, dated June 12th, says that the Clerk of the Supreme Court to-day issued the official printed copy of the rules and forms in bankruptcy, as agreed on and promulgated by the Court in May, and as printed for the Court by the Government printing office. All other editions are unofficial, though where they may be correct copies, are just as authentic. The Congressional printer and Clerk of the Court are overwhelmed with letters from parties desiring copies of the work. These officials do not undertake to distribute any copies except to Courts. The public will have to depend on the trade, which has been supplied with a large number of copies printed at private expense, from the same forms, at the Government printing office, on which the official edition was printed.

The first drawing of the Southern Asylum Land Lottery came off at Hernando, Miss, the other day, and was a triumphant success. Among the lucky ticket holders, we notice the name of Col. J. J. Shannon of this paper, who has drawn a lot.

The Mexican Imperial paper, El Monitor, announces that the proclamation issued on Maximilian's 4 forgery.

Gov Perry on the Military Bill.

We give on our first page the last letter of Gov. Perry, of South Carolina, against reconstruction under the Military bill. These letters from the late Provisional Governor of South Carolina, have been extensively copied by the papers opposed to reconstruction, and have, no doubt, had considerable influence on the public mind. They constitute the heavy artillery of the opposition, embody all their arguments, and should be read carefully by those who have not yet decided what course to take on the important question.

We think, when closely examined, his essays will be found deficient in common sense reasoning, but abounding in violent abuse and empty declamation. He urges us to vote down a Convention and holds out the delusive idea that we should remain under military rule" and await the "returning sense of justice" to the Northern people. We are told the same thing by the journals who oppose reconstruction, and they claim that if we will "endure" and stubbornly vote against a Convention the Northern Democracy will come to our relief. We say there is not the slightest ground for such a hope. Out of one hundred and ninety-two members of the Fortieth Congress less than fifty are Democrats. Those is but one Democratic Governor in the North, and every Legislature of the twenty-five free States is thoroughly Republican. But a few weeks since in the Judicial elections that occurred in Illinois, eighteen of twenty-four districts were carried by the Radicals, and in the election for delegates to the Constitutional Convention in New York, last month, Republicanism carried the State by an overwhelming majority. Let us not deceive ourselves. *Congress intends to reconstruct these States on some plan.* Many of the leading Democrats of the North knowing that their party is impotent to save us, advise reconstruction.—Leading men of the party in Congress withdrew opposition to the Military bill, believing the terms then offered to be the best that would ever be proposed, and being utterly hopeless of a reaction sufficient to overthrow Radicalism before the South was reconstructed in some measure by the present Congress. *We will not be permitted to live under a military government even if we desire it.* Gov. Perry admits there are sixty thousand black voters in South Carolina and only forty thousand whites. How he expects to overcome this great preponderance is not stated, but it may be inferred that he expects, by taking advantage of the negro's ignorance, a sufficient number of colored votes may be obtained to carry the State against a Convention. The duplicity and fraud necessary to turn the colored vote of South Carolina in the wake of Gov. Perry, would not only be disgraceful to the people of that State, but would bring upon them the very evils his heated imagination so vividly depicts. Those who expect to vote down a Convention by practicing fraud and deception on the negro, would, if successful, strike a blow at the best interests of the South, from which the present generation would never recover.

The government of these States would pass at once and forever from the Southern whites.

With a majority of whites disfranchised, all the blacks enfranchised, hostility between the races would increase, riots ensue; a general insecurity for person and property would drive capital from the State, and destroy everything like business and prosperity.

Distasteful as the Military bill is, a large majority of the whites can vote under it. If they will honestly accept its requirements, manifest kindness and good feeling to the newly enfranchised, instruct them in their duties as citizens, show an interest in their education and improvement, the Southern whites will still retain place and power under the government. A conflict of races will be avoided. Immigration and capital will have security, the disabilities of the enfranchised will be removed, and with representation in Congress we can have just legislation that will develope our prosperity, build up our "waste and desolate places," and give to those whom God has entrusted to our charge, a home of peace and comfort. Our people should remember "negro suffrage is a fixed inevitable fact"—Gov. Perry does not show us how to avoid it. "Negro rule pure and unmixed" is worse than negro suffrage, and would be the inevitable result of the triumph of his teachings.

We clip the following from the New York Tribune of the 11th inst:

"NEW ORLEANS, June 10.—Minister Campbell is still here luxuriating in the society of the rebels of this city, where he was invited to depart for the Halls of the Montezumas."

Who are the Assistant Radicals?

Certain newspapers in this State, opposed to reconstruction, are in the habit of calling Conservative journals like the Clarion and Gazette, who favor a Convention, *Assistant Radicals*, and console themselves with such epithets, we suppose, for want of better argument. But let us see who are the allies and assistants of the Radicals in Mississippi? The newspapers that denounced negro testimony, that influenced the Legislature to prohibit the freedmen from acquiring real estate, and to pass other unjust and discriminating laws against that class, did more to swell the Radical majorities of the North than Stephens, Sumner and Wendell Philips put together. The acts of our Legislature, extracts from the editorials of these ostentatious vaporers for Southern honor, were read by Radical speakers, and the damaging effect was seen in the increased Republican majorities. They aided to fasten Radical rule on the nation, and negro suffrage on the South. Left to themselves the Republican press can accomplish nothing. They have but few papers with a limited circulation. But they find in the class of journals to which we refer, valuable auxiliaries. Their constant abuse and ridicule of the negro is calculated to stir up enmity between the two races and unite the colored vote, on the Radical platform. Should they succeed in defeating a Convention at an election in which nine-tenths of the whites are voters, it will give the extreme Radicals an opportunity to force on the State a rather Convention, disfranchising nine-tenths of the whites as is the case in Missouri and Tennessee.

These very papers that say so much about "Assistant Radicals" are doing more to subserve the ends of Radical leaders than if they classed themselves with the party, and are the most efficient allies and "assistants" Radicalism has in the South.

Reconstruction in North Mississippi.

We see from the Corinth News of last week that a number of citizens of Tishomingo county, including the most prominent of both the old political parties, have issued an address to the people of that county, urging them to register and vote for a Convention. The address concludes as follows:

This is the most important election you were ever called upon to have a voice in and the most important that any people were ever called upon to engage in.

We urge upon all who can do so to come forward at the time appointed by the Board and Register.

If you fail to register at your precinct go to some other point in the list where you can meet the Board and Register.

If you fail to register before the first day of September, 1867, you cannot vote. If you register you need not afterwards vote unless you wish to; but to fail to register is to deprive yourself of the privilege afterwards of voting if you should desire to do so.

When the time comes for an election of delegates to the Convention let us elect good and true men, and change our Constitution so as to meet the requirements of the Military bill.

Let us do everything in our power to produce peace and harmony and prosperity to our unhappy land.

The doing of all these things may fail to produce the desired effect, but to do otherwise will bring us still greater misery.

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The Non-Action Policy.

Ex-Governor Perry, of South Carolina, has written a letter urging the people of his State to refuse to reconstruct under the Military Bill. We were never very ardent believers in the strategy so tersely designated "masterly inactivity," and now when the weakness of that policy, as applied to our course under the plan submitted to us for reorganization, and return to national relations, is so plain, the specious arguments of Gov. Perry in favor of continuing our present standing, we shall scarcely become converts to that school.

We frankly state that we agree with Gov. Perry that, were the horrors depicted by him likely to follow in consequence of our compliance with this act, and were our alternative continued impudence under military rule, we should prefer the latter; and should most assuredly oppose any more ready acceptance of the terminus laid down.

Let us examine the grounds taken by Gov. Perry, and see whether they are all so tenable as at first glance might seem. First, the Governor sets out to recall the fact that he opposed the secession movement on the ground of policy, and reminds the people that his prophecy has proven true by the result, hence the inference that now his advice should at once be accepted. "Our right always right," has not always held true.

The Governor says the people are going to sacrifice their honor in accepting this bill. We cannot see how, when hundreds of thousands of the widows, mothers, and fatherless children of brave men who gave up their lives in the cause once so dear to every true Southern heart, are to-day crying for bread—the people of the conquered States can sacrifice their honor by using enough even of the means at hand to save one of the many inducting to depart for the Halls of the Montezumas."

settled state of politics and society, which can alone secure unto such years to prosperity, as will again drive away from our doors, put our lands in full cultivation, start our mills, factories and mines in operation, and give honest and profitable employment to all.

There are 60,000 black voters and 40,000 white voters in South Carolina, and hence Gov. Perry says it is important to defeat the bill for a Convention. Free Governor, tell us how you will do this, with such a majority against you? Of course, all the black votes will be for it.

A Convention is bound to be held, and is not more to be hoped from one into which the conservative element has centered with all its power, even though that power be the minority? Would not even that minor influence have some weight in tempering and modifying the action of the body?

But if we do not believe that a Radical majority can be obtained in a Convention in any State of the South if the entire Conservative portion of the people go heartily and vigorously into the work, using the influences which in many cases they must possess over the simple honest minded negro, from child hood, and gradually, and slowly inculcate them for advice, and counsel in all personal private affairs, and certainly should now find no reason for looking to others for guidance in this new subject of important interest to them.

Most especially are we sure that, in this State, where there is no vast majority of black voters, a decidedly Conservative Convention can be elected, if every white man, that is eligible, votes, and for the best men to be found, and if influences as many of the colored votes with him as possible.

If we fail in getting a Conservative Convention, it will be because the Radical party out votes us, and hence, would succeed in voting a convention despite our efforts.

Even were it certain that the contest would be extreme, so long as it must be held, we should say vote for it.

The Radical leaders have been telling the people of the North, which in the mass are for the preservation of the Union, that the South is rebellious yet, and does not want to come into national relations under any circumstances. The prompt, honest acceptance and compliance with the terms given by Congress, which terms are approved in the main by an immense majority in the North, will give the lie to all those statements, and build up for us such an overwhelming party of sympathizers in the North as to insure such legislation in the National Congress, even though the South was Radically represented. Voting against convention, defeating this bill in the vital point, would only confirm the arguments of the extremists.

The general disposition evinced in the South to act in this matter in good faith, is the cause of the great revulsion in sentiment to-day sweeping over the North. The Radical party are not all extremists, and thousands will abandon it for the great National Union Conservative party, when they are convinced of the sincerity of our purposes.

Mr. Perry tells the people it is better far to live under military rule. Does he not know that this military provision for government is but temporary? that within 20,000 majority against him, he will have the terms of the bill complied with and the State organized and carried back to the Union and civil government?

Congress will certainly maintain the military government when a Radical State organization has been perfected.

It is not a question of submission to military rule for life and handing it down to our children, as Mr. Perry so eloquently puts it, but a plain question whether we shall be entirely on our backs and let the rule pass into the hands of the worst and most proscriptive men, with the most objectionable constitutions, or whether we shall, by activity and untiring work, create for our States the most liberal constitutions compatible with the many undoubtedly objectionable, but unavoidable features of the Act, and elect to their Government and representation those the most men eligible under the same.

We have never been believers in the coming of confederation, and are not stricken about danger, though we are not so certain as Gov Perry speaks, that it might not follow a stubborn repudiation of the Congressional plan. While a large vote last October's bill over till December, yet we understand it was simply to give time for action in the South on the Military bill, and there is no telling now to what mad end a great dominant majority might go, should their ultimatum be rejected.

One word more and we leave Gov Perry and his "non-action policy" for the present.

He says under this bill and the "test oath" we can only be represented by "negroes, Black Republicans, or perjured Southerners." We beg to differ directly. All over the South are men who have settled permanently, and become as thoroughly identified citizens as though born here; have planted their homes, reared their mills, shops or factories—in some way given the pledge of citizenship—men who, born and reared at the North, have no State rights views, and only knowing the whole nation, acting like men, in accordance with their settled convictions of right, fought in the Federal ranks for the maintenance of the Union solely, and who are not now nor were ever "Black Republicans"; men who had no prejudices in this war, no fanaticism to fight for, simply desiring the restoration of the Union as it was.—When the war closed and armed foes had laid down their arms and dispersed, they thought the question settled, and were willing to grant general amnesty to all returning to their loyalty.

They have come among us with only kindly feelings; are now of us, our interests in the future must be shared by them, and why should we not trust them?

They can, without perjury, take the required oaths, and why not represent us until the disability of so many of our old and trusted citizens be removed, as must soon be the case, after a full restoration of our rights in the nation?—Mobile Times.

AID FOR THE SOUTH.—It is stated that the subscribers to the English cotton famine fund desire to appropriate the surplus funds, amounting to the large sum of $600,000 in gold, to the relief of the Southern States of the American Union. It is known but a small portion of the funds would ever be claimed by the subscribers under any circumstances, and, therefore, it is not likely that there will be any difficulty in the way of its suggested application. It would be a magnificent donation. The Liverpool American says:

"There may be some legal obstacles to its immediate use for this purpose; but, in the character of the sufferings will admit of no delay; it has been proposed to send forward a portion now, and retain a part until such time as might be fixed for its withdrawal. At present, no demand is being urged, as people seem disposed to wait for the action of the Government; but one word from that quarter would cause the dormant energies of the people to be aroused, and a meeting to be called."

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for Cash on the fifth day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office, in the City of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, to-wit:

NAME.	WHETHER SURVEY, OR SUBDIVISION.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX.
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	Bagdale's,	96	1 to 8	1000	8 00
F. Bass,	Bass'	"	(26 acres not laid off into lots)	1500	15 00
	"	2		200	1 00
	"	3	1	300	1 00
	"	5	1	300	1 00
	"	8	1 to 4	200	1 00
	"	8	1 to 4	200	1 00
	"	13	1 to 4	300	3 00
	"	13	1 to 2	200	1 00
	"	11	1 to 2	200	1 00
Estate W. Bird,	McLemore's	5	1 to 3	1200	6 00
	M & O. R. R.		33	400	2 00
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H. E. Barnes,	Bagdale's	33	13	900	1 00
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	"	9	19&20	1800	9 00
	"		House	600	3 00
Chas. Eldridge,	Bagdale's	70	7	300	1 50
Est'e Peter Emigh,	W. H. Jackson,		½ acres	1500	7 50
" "	Bass'	9	2	1000	5 00
" "	"	2	2&3	1400	7 00
Fridiestein & Ottenstein,	Bagdale's			400	2 00
	M. O. R. R.		14, 15, 16 & 17	2200	16 00
Wm Foy,	Ball's	33	7½	100	50
B. J. N Filppen,	Linley's	10	3&4	1000	5 00
Wm Foy,	Bagdales's		House	400	2 00
E. F. Green,		70	3&4	500	2 50
Charles Gray,	M. & O. R. R.		House	600	3 00
J. C. Higgins,	Ball's	69	3	600	3 00
Harkey & Rogers,	Bagdale's	42	13 to 16	1200	6 00
Samuel Halsey,	do	103	20	2250	11 25
Hartwell & Hooper,	do		House	100	50
J. A. Hill & Co.,	do		do	500	2 50
T. L. Jackson,	do		do	1200	6 00
James Johnson,	Bagdale's	38	7	100	50
Aaron Jones,	do	103	11	500	2 50
D. F. Jones,	Ball's	33	10	150	75
D. F. Jones,	McLemore's	1	4	600	3 00
W. C. Johnson,	Ball's	25		2000	10 00
Moses & Little,	M. & O. R. R.		80	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,			House	300	1 50
Wiley Jones,				600	3 00
Estate Chen Lang	Lang's (60 acres "unsurveyed")			13000	65 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,	1	3	1100	5 50
Rufus H Mitchel,	Bagdale's	62	10	250	1 25
Myer & Greenwald,	do	house		1000	5 00
W H McRoy,	do	do		300	1 50
Mrs McDevoll,	do	do		400	2 00
Manuel Hall,	do			800	4 00
John Martin,	do	house		400	2 00
D Maggard,	Ball's	230x150 feet		2000	10 00
R N Parker,	Bagdale's	85	1	1200	6 00
D. F. Palmer,	M & O R R		38	500	2 50
M. A. Pillers,	do		34	700	3 50
W S Price,	do		133, 135, 137,		
			138, 140, 141,	1750	8 75
			142, 143		
Pierce & Edmondson,	do		134 and 136	600	3 00
H W Reed,	McLemore's	3	1 to 4	2000	10 00
H W Reese,	do	3	1 and 2	1000	5 00
Jane Rodgers,	Bagdale's	63	1 to 8	1200	6 00
Estate Jas Rodgers,	do	82	3, 4 and 7	750	3 75
R Y Reed,	do	house		1500	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ball's	32	8 and 8½	235	1 12
R. S. Richardson,	Bagdale's	54	13 to 16	1000	5 00
S T Smith,	Ball's	32	9	150	75
F Smickler,	M & O R R		9	250	1 25
H J Smith,	Lindley's	11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon		house		100	50
W L Sadler		do		800	4 00
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's	4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R		13	250	1 25
	Ball's	27		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,		house		600	3 00
T S Terry,	M & O R R		w½ of 10	100	50
Wm Thames,	Bagdale's	94	1, 2 & 8	1500	7 50
Wm Truesell,	do	82	5	500	2 50
Threefoot & Warren,	do	20	14	1500	7 50
A Tweefoot,	do	66	9 to 12	2000	10 00
J W Tiner,	Ball's	35	5	750	3 75
Est. Chas. Vosburg,	Bagdale's	33	13 & 14	500	2 50
H B Washington,	Ball's	30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1287	6 25
Chas Ilyan,	Jackson's		50x300 feet	400	2 00
Marshall Weir,	M & O R R	house		400	2 00
W Walker	do		131	1000	5 00
W H West,	do		40, 41	1250	6 25
Young & Brown,		house		1500	7 50
J W Young,	Bass'	3	1 to 4	560	2 80
Otey Smith,	Lang's		131x300 feet	800	4 00
Frances Barnett,	Lindley's	4	3 & 3	200	1 00
Mary Roberts,	do	12	2 & 4	1000	5 00

Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. Where necessary, a more accurate description of the property advertised will be given on the day of sale.

June 20, 1867—tds. JUSTUS MEANS, Assessor and Collector.

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Dr. Medicines prepared from pure vegetable extracts by a class of experienced Southern Physicians, especially for the diseases incident to a Southern climate.

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FEMALES OF THE SOUTH

This is peculiarly to your sex, incident to all localities, called from the quick breeze, that lazes you with its gentle breath, or unstudied, fascinating potion, that does are to you a constant and abiding trouble. Whether in the midst of city or country, hill or dale, the seeds of disease rankles and they expend your health. Ghosts and Hobgoblins are constant companions. Your pale and ghastly countenance, your nervous chills, your flitting visage, your tottering walk, your palpitating heart, your dejected brow, all tell of that disease that is gradually and steadily making inroads upon your declining system.

The Sunshine of Hope

Now bursts upon your vision, and the clouds of disease that hung as a heavy pall of gloom upon your brow can now be dispelled. Yes, there is a ray of hope—of health in all its grandeur are now offered you. DROMGOOLE & CO'S

English Female Bitters.

Is the only combination that actually and positively acquires and restores the womb to its natural healthy condition. It removes all unnatural obstruction, relieves painful or suppressed Menstruation, cures Leucorrhœa or whites, Falling of the Womb, Ulceration, Chlorosis, Palpitation, nervousness Swimming and Giddiness of the Head, Melancholy, Uneration and Irritation of the Womb, Derangement of the Kidneys and Bladder, and all the diseases that are peculiar to the female sex—afflicting child or young married or old. Send and get one bottle, it will do you good.

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In all cases of a want of action on the part of the Kidneys and Bladder, affecting old or young, male or female, this compound can be relied on.

CHILLS AND FEVER

Can be so easily cured by using one package of Dromgoole & Co's King of Chills, which will be sent by mail, prepaid, and clears the Stomach, open the Bowels and relieve the most inveterate case of Chills. One package will cure a case of six months standing.

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The most certain and effectual cure for all forms of Diarrhœa, Nausea, and Vomiting, Cramps, Colera Morbus, pain in the Stomach, summer complaint of children while teething, etc. In is exceedingly pleasant, coats and quiets the stomach, is not an alcoholic preparation, contains no kino, catechu, galls, tannin, logwood, etc. Immediately quiets the stomach, is not an alcoholic preparation, contains no kino, catechu, galls, tannin, logwood, etc. Immediately quiets the stomach, settles the stomach and bowels, and no family should be without a bottle. It never fails to cure.

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Why is it you continue to suffer with Piles, when the remedy to cure you can be so easily obtained? Do not suffer another day, send immediately and get one box of Dromgoole & Co's Pile Salve and be cured. Internal or external Piles, whether recent or long standing can be cured immediately.

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OFFICE MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD CO.,
Mobile, Ala., June 19, 1867.

ON and after Sunday next, the 16th inst., the Accommodation Train will leave Mobile at 4:45 p. m., on Sunday, and leaving Meridian at 5:30 p. m. on Saturday, will be discontinued.

L. J. FLEMING,
Chief Engineer and Gen'l Supt.

June 16dtf

Our Club Rates.

The wherewithal to interest those wishing to subscribe to a cheap newspaper, will be found under the head of club rates—We have revised and reduced our terms so as to put the Gazette within the reach of every one. We pledge a newspaper in every way worthy of patronage—filled with varied and interesting reading—and devoted to the interest of our section. Let our friends in the East and Northwest aid in getting up clubs and extending the circulation of our paper.

ROMNOR & Co., of the Lone Star. news depot, Galveston, Texas, have our thanks for renewed favors.

DeBow's Review has been revived by the heirs of the late J. D. B. DeBow, with Lt.-Gov. Sarawell and E. Q. Bell as editors. The number for April and May is filled with interesting papers.

The original formula for the manufacture of the rare vegetable specific—Red Jacket Bitters, is rigidly adhered to. Its quality and proportions never vary—consequently its operation is uniform. Moreover, it does not deteriorate in any climate.

Mr. Means, the tax collector, publishes a list of delinquent city tax payers this morning. It is to be hoped they will yet come up and settle, and thereby save much trouble and expense.

The work of registration is progressing here. Yesterday at 12 o'clock, 350 names had been enrolled, not more than one hundred of which were whites.

WOMAN'S INFLUENCE.—Man has no power to resist the silent eloquence with which woman's soft blandishments and sweeter smiles speak to the warm and generous heart. Her vocation is to do good, and her presence is a halo of light, ever gladdening the dejected, comforting the distressed and strewing flowers in the pathway of man. And shall we fail to respond to her wants? Look around you and behold the misery depicted among the sickly females of your acquaintance. Go with Hydrichlingh's speed and fly down to me English Female Bitters and be cured.

We invite attention to the card of Smiths & Parsons, Vicksburg, and to the fact that they are now offering for sale three thousand sacks of corn, received at Vicksburg or St. Louis, by barge. There is no better firm in Vicksburg than Smiths & Parsons, and they sell at prices that defy competition.—They are agents for the Mississippi Valley Transportation Company at St. Louis, and receive weekly large shipments of corn, flour, &c., thus offering superior inducements to merchants. Our young friend, J. J. Hood, formerly of Scott County, is with this house, and will be glad to serve his friends. Besides, J. A. Jones, of this city, well known to our merchants, is in their employment, and will be pleased to see his many friends from this section, when they visit the Hill City. may30-6t

The Late Mrs. Fannie J. Early.

Yesterday morning a modest coffin, followed by a heart-stricken husband and group of sorrowing friends, issued from a gloomy home to convey to her final resting place, Fannie J. Early, eldest daughter of the late Wm. Chears, Esq., and wife of our fellow-townsman, Capt. R. V. Early. The last benediction over, the mortal remains were deposited into the earth alongside of father and mother, in the old Marion cemetery, without a voice other than that of religion being heard above the bier—a silence always eloquent and devotional, when observed about things perishable on the threshold of things eternal. Knowing well the subject of this notice, we cannot speak of her memory without feelings of the deepest sorrow. Every virtue that could ennoble and every quality that could endow the sex, were centered in her. So gentle, so meek, so amiable and so unassuming, wearing sunshine and gladness, pleasure and happiness, around her. Purity and innocence dwelt in her bosom, and truth and affection were the attendant spirits of her daily life. In large station she was scrupulously conscientious and just; her friendship cautiously bestowed, remained steadfast and unflinching; the idol of home and friends, she blended those delicate and lamentable qualities which constitutes Heaven below—a fitting passport to the one above." Bright and beautiful as her midst forever. Pure and spotless, her spirit has returned to the God who gave it after lasting of the rich wine of life and then encountering one of the severest trials and agonies of that cup—the bed of wormwood. Crimsoned and fearless she has passed above, under the shadow, and explored the glorious mysteries of the spirit land. God pity him who smoothed the hair around the icy brow and laid together the quiet, cold hands, and pride him and his children that to most her again when this weary travail is over, head by the waters of eternal life.

In paying a tribute to this good and true woman, gathered in the household of God, after a struggle of twenty-two years, we implore the aid of memory, and by her him, and where the eyes were her body slumbers with a smooth slumber of her life—a happy life.

J. C. LEWIS, Clerk.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The following is the substance of the bill published this morning. It is intended to meet the difficulties and complications arising from the reconstruction measures. The Committee did not meet in consequence of the extra session of the Senate, and therefore had no control. The Herald has published the bill of the 28th, which says the Committee reports the terms of the Reconstruction Act in the most explicit and unequivocal manner. On the reception of the report Congress will immediately resolve itself into a committee of the whole, and will carefully consider and digest the measure in all its details, and will suggest to the President such amendments as may be necessary to secure the objects which the honest imagination of the Secretary, is so prolific. The current news every one knows. *The Committee do not vote down any Democratic bill*, but participating in the movement and becoming a part of it, they may control it to their ends, and at all events prevent the mischievous results anticipated, and which will surely follow, we may add, if a sense seemed of such grave as Gov. Perry, prevail. He need not rely upon the use of fraud, or of chicanery, to prevent the negroes voting for a Convention—Woe to the whites of the South, if they should succeed in rejecting a Convention, by defrauding the negroes of the only way which the laws of the Government accord to him or by keeping him away from the polls by deception or threat—It will then be the duty of the Radicals in Congress who are now held in check by the Conservative Republicans, with the pretext which they have anxiously await, for a sweeping system of spoliation and political disfranchisement. Above all things, let the people spurn the Southern fanatic who would arm their enemies with this weapon.

And after all, to vote down a Convention, does not deprive the negro of his privilege to vote. This right he will continue to exercise until Congress pass another act of Restoration (which would speedily follow the decision of the Courts against the one now pending,) conferring the newly made voters and political adventurers from elsewhere, the exclusive control of the State.

But we commenced the article to introduce some timely comments on the proclamation of Gov. Perry, which we find in an able paper published in his own State—the Charleston News:

"The simple question submitted to him now, is whether he will—as such power as we have left us, and go into the Convention for the purpose of doing our best to make it work, where beneficial to the interest of the State, and preventing the mischief which in our absence will be assuredly the result.

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The Chattanooga Union says the "Glorious Fourth" is to be celebrated in "high old style" on Lookout Mountain.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance, entitled an ordinance to provide a revenue for the city of Meridian, approved September 6th, 1866, to provide a No. 3, for the city of Meridian, approved September 6th, 1866, to amend so as to read as follows: Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall have power to levy and collect a tax not exceeding one dollar on all persons between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, except such persons as are exempted by law, and all persons who shall be liable to work on the streets, roads or highways of this city, and who shall refuse to work the same, or pay the commutation tax, shall be liable to be fined in any sum not exceeding twenty dollars, and in default of payment shall be imprisoned not exceeding ten days.

Be it further ordained by the authority aforesaid, that this ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage.

Passed and approved this 17th day of June, 1867.

JOHN F. BUTCHERTON,
Mayor.

Attest: J. L. LOVE, Clerk.

A sweet morsel Gov. Perry, of South Carolina, has swallowed the Radical Congress constituting the Reconstruction Committee. His position as set forth in his late message is large majority of the people favor it, it will be the part of wisdom for the whites to vote against a convention. Keep the political power of the State from the hands of the negro, they have this majority, they will of course instinctively vote it for a Convention, and if they will stand firm and refuse to be driven into the polls they will necessarily control a board, and consequently the convention, and thus secure the protection which the honest imagination of Perry, is so prolific. The current news every one knows. *Perry does not vote down any Democratic bill*, but participating in the movement and becoming a part of it, they may control it to their ends, and at all events prevent the mischievous results anticipated, and which will surely follow, we may add, if a sense seemed of such grave as Gov. Perry, prevail. He need not rely upon the use of fraud, or of chicanery, to prevent the negroes voting for a Convention—Woe to the whites of the South, if they should succeed in rejecting a Convention, by defrauding the negroes of the only way which the laws of the Government accord to him or by keeping him away from the polls by deception or threat—It will then be the duty of the Radicals in Congress who are now held in check by the Conservative Republicans, with the pretext which they have anxiously wait, for a sweeping system of spoliation and political disfranchisement. Above all things, let the people spurn the Southern fanatic who would arm their enemies with this weapon.

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The Chattanooga Union says the "Glorious Fourth" is to be celebrated in "high old style" on Lookout Mountain.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance, entitled an ordinance to provide a revenue for the city of Meridian, approved September 6th, 1866, to provide a No. 3, for the city of Meridian, approved September 6th, 1866, to amend so as to read as follows: Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall have power to levy and collect a tax not exceeding one dollar on all persons between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, except such persons as are exempted by law, and all persons who shall be liable to work on the streets, roads or highways of this city, and who shall refuse to work the same, or pay the commutation tax, shall be liable to be fined in any sum not exceeding twenty dollars, and in default of payment shall be imprisoned not exceeding ten days.

Be it further ordained by the authority aforesaid, that this ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage.

Passed and approved this 17th day of June, 1867.

JOHN F. BUTCHERTON,
Mayor.

Attest: J. L. LOVE, Clerk.

OPINIONS OF THE PEOPLE CONCERNING HOSTETTER'S
STOMACH BITTERS.

PROTECTION FOR THE HEALTHY
AND
RELIEF FOR THE SICK.

INTELLIGENT TESTIMONY IS AS IMPORTANT IN MEDICINE as in law. The great Sir Jacob Henry said that the issue by which his fate depended was the "Long of experience," the statements of men of character and standing in relation to the composition and effects of a medicinal preparation which they themselves have tried, and the appearance of which they have had abundant opportunity of witnessing in a great variety of cases, are deeply important. They are so considered by the public, who very naturally prefer this species of evidence to any other that can be offered in behalf of a proprietary remedy. Upon this principle has been established in favor of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS during twenty years that it has commanded fame and Attestation has been before the world; and although it has attained a popularity that has long been established throughout the Western hemisphere, it is still deemed necessary to establish, through the press, from time to time, new proofs of its success. Recent facts and certificates are borne to facts more remote, and serve to confirm the proofs already furnished with the form exactitude and care, and that it is still, what it has been, the purest and best of all. To invalids the Bitters is an inevitable cure for Dyspepsia in all its consequences of the Stomach and Bowels, and a perfect antidote to the unwholesome influences of malarious regions and of epidemic fevers.

The subjoined letters are all from citizens well known and generally respected in the localities from which their communications are dated, and are but a few samples of an immense mass of correspondence of a similar tenor. Some idea of the quantity of the kind of testimony in the hands of the proprietors of HOSTETTER'S BITTERS may be formed when it is stated that during the last year applications on the subject of Fever and Ague alone, from persons in the States and Territories, in small numbers amounted to TWO THOUSAND. They are but the same class of testimony as that given below, and if ever anything was established on unimpeachable evidence, it is the superior and at times Calls and Fever can be broken up and radically cured by a very short course of this the use of this incomparable tonic. Nor is this all. Entire prostration of the digestive functions and all the forms of Intermittent Fever, is guaranteed to such as resort to this safe and genial remedy. It may be wise enough to take the BITTERS as a preventive, but it works miracles by restoring their regulation on the right hand and on the left, those who have already taken possession in their system of their constitutions, in advance, with this counterblast to all malarious influences, surely escape the scourge.

The physicians and others whose names appear in the annexed correspondence are ready at all times to confirm verually the statements set over their signatures.

Perhaps one of the most striking proofs of the power of the intrinsic excellence of the Bitters, is the general adoption of the remedy by medical men. The profession as a rule is their fear of advertised medicines, but this overpowering vegetable tonic has vanquished their prejudices, and they constantly administer it to their patients as the purest stimulant and best appetizer that the art can produce.

The present season of the year is a trying one to the system, devastated—indeed to all. In July, in August and September, fearful diseases are contagious the system, and it is necessary to have a reserve of strength and vitality in order to meet them without finishing or breaking down. Hostetter's Bitters are a stamina medicine, sustains the vital and muscular energy of the frame with this general and natural vegetable restorative, under all temperature, any climate, any condition of the atmosphere and may be consumed with comparative impunity.

Read the following letter from E. Bourne, a well known citizen of Pittsburgh, Pa:

PITTSBURGH, May 10, 1866.

MESSRS. HOSTETTER & SMITH,

GENTLEMEN: During a visit to the West, last fall, I contracted chills and fever, which brought me to my bed, and finally terminated in typhoid fever and confinement to my room for several months, during which time I was physically, so prostrated that I almost despaired of ever regaining my health, having entirely lost my appetite for days, not being able to eat a morsel, added to which I was many times of which I had sufficient reason has never been fully realized by my friends and the medical attendants, who finally gave me up as incurable. My friends, upon my return home, found me reduced to a mere mass of skin and bone, and each one recommended that I use them regularly.

I did so, and with very happy results.

E. BOURNE, 45 Market st.

Another letter, from a well known citizen of Pittsburgh, dated September 4, 1866:

MESSRS. HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa:

GENTLEMEN: I think I am only doing my part of a good citizen when I testify to the great benefits I have received from your Stomach Bitters during the last few years. Being in the Oil regions in '61, I was in the habit of using them for Dyspepsia, of which I am very weak. I was advised to try your Bitters for the Ague, which I had been afflicted with for a month or more. In one week I got eight 50 pounds able to eat a meal without its hurt, and now feel as much so that I have used them every summer since then, and I find that they are invaluable. They are sure, having neither bilious attack and much prevalent in the Oil regions, being more free of it. Especially, I again had to have recourse to the old Bitters, as I had lost about twenty-five or thirty pounds in a few days. I bought a half dozen bottles, and they were sure relief. I now use them regularly as a tonic and beverage. Wishing you every success, I remain yours truly,

WILLIAM MILLER.

PITTSBURGH, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.,
MESSRS. HOSTETTER & SMITH:

GENTLEMEN: With pleasure I can say that your Bitters are superior to any others. I have used them in my family for a long time, and always with beneficial results. Yours, very truly,

ROBERT LIEBERT.

BUCKLAND, Prince William County, Va.,
MESSRS. HOSTETTER & SMITH:

GENTLEMEN: I believe your bitters are the best in use. I tried them for dyspepsia in 1863, and they cured me. I was troubled with chill fever, but I am now free from them; I tried them to please a friend. I had been troubled with dyspepsia for years, and tried various and chronic diarrhœa. I expected to die with it, but your Bitters cured me, and I would advise all to use them in my business. Last October I had occasion to take a walk to and in the return of the same disease, accompanied with chills and fever. I used your Bitters, and was soon restored to health. I have recommended them to hundreds, and to my gratification, and have never known them to fail in effecting a speedy cure. Yours truly,

ARANDA GRAVELL,
Postmaster at Buckland, Va.

EGERTON, PA., Nov. 6, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen: We have been selling your Stomach Bitters for about seven years, and find them a good selling medicine. All that is necessary is to let the people know of their merits, and they will sell well. I have tried them myself, and now recommend them to all who have weak stomachs.

Respectfully yours,

WATSON & MCFARLAND, Druggists,
Ogdensburgh, Sussex County, N. J.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen: For a long time I have been afflicted with a disordered stomach, and was unable to attend to my business. I was advised to use your BITTERS, which I did, and found them a great benefit to me. I would not be without it nor for three times what I have been in my grave ere this. I write not to please you but to the virtues of your BITTERS, and also to have you send me two dozen as soon as possible, as I am now going on a journey.

Yours respectfully, JOHN M. GREACEN.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen: It is with the greatest pleasure that I recommend your Stomach Bitters to the public. I think it the best BITTERS of the day. It is especially adapted to the South and West, where biliary derangements are more prevalent than here. From experience in the use of compounds, as curatives, I can safely give your BITTERS credit for the great practicability of the undertaking upon application to us by letter.

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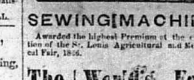

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ON and after Sunday next, the 16th inst., the Accommodation Train leaving Mobile at 4:25 p. m. on Sunday, and leaving Meridian at 5:25 p. m. on Saturday, will be discontinued.

CHAS. PFLUEGER,
Chief Engineer and Gen'l Supt.
June 14s6t

Our Club Rates.

The wherewithal to interest those wishing to subscribe to a cheap newspaper, will be found under the head of club rates.—We have revised and reduced our terms so as to put the Gazette within the reach of every one. We pledge a newspaper in every way worthy of patronage-filled with varied and interesting reading—and devoted to the interest of our section. Let our friends in the East stir themselves in getting up clubs and extending the circulation of our paper.

ROMSON & Co., of the Lone Star, news depot, Galveston, Texas, have our thanks for renewed favors.

DeBow's Review has been revived by the heirs of the late J. D. B. DeBow, with Messrs. Barnwell and E. Q. Bakes editors. The number for April and May is filled with interesting papers.

The original formula for the manufacture of the rare vegetable specific—Red Jacket Bitters, is rigidly adhered to. Its quality and proportions never vary—consequently its operation is uniform. Moreover, it does not deteriorate in any climate.

Mr. Means, the tax collector, publishes a list of delinquent city tax payers this morning. It is to be hoped they will yet come up and settle, and thereby save much trouble and expense.

The work of registration is progressing here. Yesterday at 12 o'clock, 359 names had been enrolled, not more than one hundred of which were whites.

WOMAN'S INFLUENCE.—Man has no power to resist the silent eloquence with which woman's soft blandishments and sweeter smiles speak to the warm and generous heart. Her vocation is to do good, and her presence adds a halo of glory by gladdening the dejected, comforting the distressed and strewing flowers in the pathway of man. And shall we fail to respond to her wants? Look around you and behold the misery depicted among the sickly females of your acquaintance. Go, go with lightning's speed and tell them to use English Female Bitters and be cured.

We invite attention to the card of Smiths & Parsons, Vicksburg, and to the fact that they are now offering for sale three thousand sacks of corn, just received by them at Louis, by large. There is no better firm in Vicksburg than Smiths & Parsons, and they sell at prices that defy competition.—They are agents for the Mississippi Valley Transportation Company at St. Louis, and receive weekly large shipments of corn, flour, &c., thus offering superior inducements to merchants. Our young friend, J. J. Hood, formerly of Scott County, is with this house, and will be glad to serve his friends. Besides, J. A. Jones, of this city, well known to our merchants, is in their employment, and will be pleased to see his many friends from this section, when they visit the Hill City. may30-6t

The Late Mrs. Fannie J. Early.

Yesterday morning a modest coffin, followed by a heart-stricken husband and cortege of sorrowing friends, issued from a gloomy home to receive her final resting place, Fannie J. Early, eldest daughter of the late Wm. Chears, Esq., and wife of our fellow-townsman, Capt. E. V. Early. The last benediction over, the mortal remains were deposited into the earth alongside of those of her mother, in the old Marion cemetery, without a voice other than that of religion being heard above the bier—a silence always eloquent and devotional, when observed about things perishable on the threshold of things eternal. Knowing well the subject of this notice, we cannot speak of her memory without feelings of the deepest sorrow. Every virtue that could ennoble and every quality that could endow the sex, were centered in her. So gentle, so meek, so amiable and pure—ever showering sunshine and gladness, pleasure and happiness, around her. Purity and innocence dwelt in her bosom, and truth and affection were the attendant spirits of her daily life. In every relation she was scrupulously conscientious and just; her friendship cautiously bestowed, remained steadfast and unflinching; the idol of home and friends, she blended those delicate and laudable qualities which constitute a Heaven below—a fitting passport to the one above. She died in the bloom of womanhood's noon-tide. Pure and spotless, her spirit has returned to the God who gave it after tasting of the rich wine of life and then encountering one of the severest trials and agonies that fall to the lot of woman. Crimeless and fearless, she has passed above, under the shadow, and explored the glorious mysteries of the spirit land. God pity him who smoothed the hair around the icy brow and laid together the quiet, cold hands, and gentle Nine and his motherless infant be most her legacy when this weary travail is over, hard by the waters of repose.

In paying a tribute to this good and true woman, gathered to the household above at the early age of twenty-two years, we lay down the laurels she has won and by her fair, and adorn the tomb where her body slumbers with a wreath immortelle of her life—a simple chaplet here.

J. C. LEWIS, Clerk.

Fresh Arrivals of Groceries.

A large assortment Gov. Perry, of South Carolina, will offer constantly the stock to wholesale and retail dealers at reasonable rates. His purchases are for cash, he believes, his states that section of the country has a large majority in favor of selling. It will be due for weeks to the whites to vote against a Convention to keep the political power in the negro's hands. Let the whites do as they have the majority, they will of course instinctively resist it for a Convention, and if the whites stand aloof and refuse to join in the election, there will necessarily result a broad line of demarcation between the races, and the disgraceful scenes of last winter, which the heated imagination of Gov. Perry, is so prolific. The current must sweep on, and Perry himself will be carried along with the crowd. He need not rely upon the negroes voting for him—the resolute will to carry on the movement now great or add more necessary than ever of intermingling with the Andrew Johnson from the Executive chair."

The Times says: "It may be wiser to restrain the removal of the future but it will be a grave practical mistake to reverse the decision when hitherto, and a still greater blunder to make or punish the new officers for having taken it."

All the members but Browning attend the Cabinet meeting to-day.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The amount of securities held by the National Banks in the Treasury of the United States, in trust for National Banks, reported to-day, are as follows: For circulation notes, $740,600; and for deposits of public moneys, $38,983,950. During the week there has been received at the treasury from the printers, $10,543,-895 in fractional currency. There has been forwarded to the Assistant Treasurer at New York $100,000; to the Treasurer of the United States at Baltimore, $42,000; to National Banks, $10,930,365. Total, $24,-230,953.

The amount of National Bank currency issued during the week was $75,050. There is an aunlin circulation at this date of $293,150,932. The amount of fractional currency redeemed during the week at the Department during the week was $384,-000. The receipts from internal revenue were $1,262,253. During the week the issues of the mint were according to-day $4,-000 in gold coin, being the first coinage of the beginning of the fiscal year $26,301,880.

The amount of gold in the United States Treasury to-day was $125,000,000, of which sum $18,000,000 has been deposited by parties who had certificates thereof, and $85,-000,000 belongs to the government.

The Louisiana National Bank of New Orleans, on its voluntary application, has been chosen depositary and depository for public moneys and a financial agent of the United States.

It is understood in official circles that Attorney General Stanbery, in his opinion just prepared, holds that the reconstruction acts provides for two governments, military and civil. That both are provisional and are to be obeyed, but cease when organization of State governments take place.

He also takes the position that the military is only to protect all in their rights of person and property, and for the preservation and maintenance of peace, not to give violence and crime. There is no authority in the law for the removal by the military commander of any officer or agent of the State, neither executive nor judicial, nor the appointment of their successors. The military commander is authorized but to destroy, but is bound to protect civil officers—a military commander being regarded as a conservator and not as a destroyer nor an abrogator of the law.

An agent for the Pacific Railroad—California side—has arrived in Washington to obtain through the Freedmen's Bureau, the services of from five thousand to fifteen hundred colored laborers on that road.

Genl. Stevens has written a letter, urgently recommending a July session of Congress.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Sir William Napier, a brother of the British ex-Minister, was arrested here on the charge of purchasing of Colonel P. Maxwell, of Baltimore goods amounting to $3,300, and giving in payment a worthless order on an English bank. The complainant alleged that he was about to depart for Europe, which is untrue. He pleaded not guilty, and agreed to be examined on the 24th inst.

A grand concert for the relief the Southern Masons will be given at the Academy of Music on the evening of the 27th inst. James R. Brady will also deliver an address.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—In opening for the prosecution, (in the Surratt trial,) after describing the assassination, the District Attorney said:

"The prosecution would show to the entire satisfaction of the Jury, by competent and credible witnesses, that the prisoner at the bar, John H. Surratt, was then and there present aiding and abetting in that murder; would show that at the time of the murder he was in front of Ford's Theatre, co-operating with John Wilkes Booth. They would show that the prisoner said, then they would know him as the partner of Booth; they would know him as the director of the plot which murdered the President's head, and director of the plot which fell upon the throat of the Secretary of State. They would know that the companionship then and there between the prisoner and Booth was not accidental, but was the result of long and premeditated plans and associations.

The first witness summoned to a detailed account of the killing.

Senator Wade's exemption party passed Pass. Illinois, to-day—Fifteen Senators of the party expressed a determination to be in Washington for the July session. There, with Wade in the chair, will be engaging a telegram to Mr. Schenck, the Chairman of the National Congressional Union Committee, for every Republican Senators and Representatives to be present.

There is now little doubt of a July session.

Action dictated by the dominant sentiment, the following concluding paragraph of the New York Tribune's editorial to-day proves:

"Above all (and here we approach the crime of the Opinion) this is not the conviction which the people have accepted by the Administration and the country in this respect the Attorney General is disposed to be a partisan and disavowing to prepare the country for a guilty verdict. We are afraid we cannot trust the President to accept the unofficial faculty of pluudering and of getting rid of the Congress by the trouble and of bringing peril to the country. Nothing seems to savor him so much as peace. We have the President's own word for it, that he does at the reconstruction policy of Congress and bring up from the pit of sin and misery which it was dragged. Which has been the work of a handful of its dearly earned reputation. We must show him that he has been deceived. He has been in July and August would again to reconstruction, and that he had this bill so that even if he should veto it, it would become a law. We must show him that the Congress will not be intimidated by his threats. We must show him that the people will not be intimidated by his threats. We must show him that the people will not be intimidated by his threats. We must show him that the people

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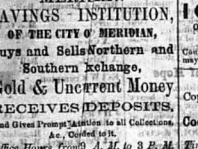

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June 16swlw

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Marion,	Monday, " 17,	" 3 days.
Lauderdale,	Friday, July 5,	" 5 days.
Enon,	Monday, " 8,	" 3 days.
Oakville,	Saturday, " 20,	" 3 days.
Martin's Bar,	Tuesday, " 23,	" 3 days.
Rockingham,	Monday, " 29,	" 3 days.
Chunnenuggee,	Saturday, Aug. 3,	" 3 days.
Chunkeyville,	Monday, " 5,	" 3 days.
Gainesville,	Friday, " 9,	" 3 days.
Toomsuba,	Monday, " 12,	" 3 days.
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W. G. CAFFEY, } Registers.
D. A. SMALLY, }
Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

From the Mobile Times.

Editorial Correspondence.

MERIDIAN, Jan. 14, 1867.

We saw the Tournament! A real knightly tournament; gallant knights with lace in rest, beautiful females smiling encouragingly on the aspirants for fame and crowning the happy victor with trembling hands and fluttering heart.

The arrangements for the Meridian tournament for their equestrian games is situated in the Southern outskirts of that pretty town, on the right of a gentle eminence crowned with the new Catholic chapel, which the liberal citizens of the place have so largely contributed to raise, not only for the spiritual gratification of their Catholic residents, but which will still more enlarged view to attract to their rich and fertile neighborhood the tide of emigration of the hardy and orderly race which profess that religion, and by whom it is so justly and dearly held to the first inducement to decide their selection in the choice of new homes.

The day, although warm, was lovely, and a refreshing shower during the preceding night had cooled the breezy and revived the fading colors of the green fields and forests surrounding the chosen arena.

Owing, however, to the condition of the crops, the necessity to improve every hour of labor, and, also, in a great degree, to the straightened pecuniary circumstances of the planting and farming population, the attendance was by no means as large as was anticipated, but made up in spirit and cheerfulness what it lacked in numbers.

The games were limited to the favorite equestrian races of the rings, the origin of which is due to the Saracens and Moors, by them introduced in Spain after the treason of Count Julian had opened to them the Kingdom of Roderigo, and after spread all over Europe, like every other skillful and refined amusement, combining pleasure with exercise and daring.

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There were found, comfortably seated in the shade of the overhanging trees, the ladies who had gathered from every point of the State to witness the interesting display, and who, like the men, made up in beauty and grace ample compensation for their rather thin ranks. The arena consists of a perfect circle of a total circumference of seven hundred and fifty feet, and the three pairs from which the tempting rings were hanging, consequently an hemicircle of three hundred and forty-five feet, with a distance of one hundred and fifteen feet between each.

A simple but handsome pavilion in the center of the area was the stand provided for the Judges and for the band, which occupied the time required for preparations in discussing martial music to the sound of which the high mettled horses of the Knights responded with erect mane, distended nostrils and rolling eyeballs of fire.

The Judges' stand were many prominent citizens of the State, including Judge Evans, of Quitman; Gen. Ramsey, of Meridian; Chas. Wilson, Esq., of the enterprise Sun; the talented editor of the Choctaw Herald; the brave soldier and sound statesman, Col. Shannon, of the Meridian Gazette, and many more no less distinguished, to whom the hospitalities of the town and courtesies of the ring had been liberally extended by the Mayor, Capt. R. L. Henderson, an old Louisiana acquaintance of ours.

Before the manly exercises were commenced, the President introduced to the audience the speakers of the day, one of whom—a Mobile editor—made about the poorest apology for a speech which it ever was our—we mean his—misfortune to collect on a suffering and patient community.

It was one of these speeches which a man ought to deliver but once, and then die!—the most anomalous compound of philosophy, history, chivalry, politics and nonsense, ever dealt out to an unsuspecting and over-confiding audience.

It commenced a short time before the Creation of the World, spoke of St. Michael and the Dragon as the first Knights on record having entered the lists—advance it took a jump to the Assyrians, fell down in a Grecian amphitheatre, scrambled up the middle ages of Roman excess, and lost itself in the dark forests of Germany, to crawl into light again in the train of the crusaders.

In attempting to recover the Holy Sepulcher, it hundered away from Constantinople to Jerusalem, and was so bruised in trying to interfere between Richard and Saladin that it lai two breath left to follow Bayard over the field of Marignan.

How long this thing might have lasted God only knows as the poor fellow was nailed to a table and made fast to a chair, which, from the way he stuck to it, in no doubt thought would help him to take a seat amongst the greatest living orators.

The audience "thought bravely"—the grin on one look d g sat at each other—the ladies kept a sorrowful smile on their pallid lips—all bearing the stern determination of surgs ready to do without a murmur, when Providence kindly interposed, and a black cloud, big with rain and storm, settling over the "orator" of the day, gave him the chance to say the only sensible thing of the occasion, namely, that it was going to rain, and to dismiss his band before go home—which he did, to the great relief of the audience—and of himself also.

However, as this unfortunate speaker happens to be our best friend, we will spare the publication of his name to a justly outraged community, adding only, that we betrip with that this omission of his should at least have the recommendation attributed by the great Chamberlain, Lafalleen, to the dying speech of the heroine of the Veiled Prophet, namely: that it is his last!

The Knights, Pages and Marshals of Camp, having succeeded, however, in waking up the hearers, most of whom were soundly asleep, Gen. Ramsey made his appearance, and in a few happy and eloquent remarks introduced the subject of the meeting.

The sandiness, truly chivalric and martial appearance of Gen. Ramsey restored good humor amongst the men and a smile amongst the ladies, who all turned all their attention towards the Knights and their gallant feats of horsemanship.

The riding was in general bold and elegant. The horses quick and spirited, and the time excellent, none of the Knights having even taken the full benefit of the ten seconds, allowed for each race of one hundred and fifteen yards, which most of them accomplished between eight and nine seconds.

The victors were named as follows:

1st Prize—W. A. Payne, the Knight of Dixie.

2nd Prize—John W. Harry, the Knight of the Red Plume.

3d Prize—— Jones, the Knight of the Sexies Pieces.

The three victorious knights, being already engaged in connubial bliss, the honor to Crown the Queen of Love and Beauty devolved on those ugly old bachelors who happened to be still free, and Knight Steiner tumbled the well deserved honors to Miss Bettie Watts, who accepted the honor and crowned it with a smile.

To the meantime, a committee of young ladies had unanimously agreed upon conferring Mr. Gaston, the Knight of Caucasus, the well deserved distinction of being the most graceful rider of the day.

These young ladies, together with the queen's maids of honor, Miss Lelia Watts and Miss Ida Payne, received in turn the homage of the judges and marshals of camp.

The unfortunate order of the day had meantime hidden his demish-ked head in a lager beer booth, where to soothe his feelings, he challenged to a foot race two of the judges, one of whom had left a leg at Gettysburg and the other was set apart, by a kindred judges of remarkable proportions. The challenge was contemptuously declined, and the three lobbled their way back to town, deserving the best wishes to leave the Republic.

At night, a ball was given by the knights, and the time passed off most pleasantly till the small hours of morning.

The little village—now the town of Meridian—has greatly improved since Gen. Sherman made it headquarters, and upon it his favorite adage that "war is cruelty." Every thing here is "reconstructed," even the flagpole (which so many of us remember in the good old Confederate times, when bright eyes and flashing smiles rewarded not only the hardest couch and season the richest food.

Stores and residences have sprung up in every direction, and the population which (but was only six hundred now exceeds four thousand.

The citizens are full of hospitality and industrious. The freedmen, who resort there daily, are polite, quiet, and it is also, we will not in connect with their treatment friends in the great work of reconstruction.

The crops—corn chiefly are very promising, and the cotton crop, although the out fields, promises an early and abundance for the support of the citizens, and a large surplus for sale. The price for the use of the hands still be a ready for the mill.

Cotton is not very much planted, but looks well; the stalks are of and the freedmen contented.

The political feeling is generally sound, although the "reconstruction" question is said to be gaining ground; but we hope it will soon see the error of its course.

The business of the town is now very dull, freedmen are at their work, and the merchants are very confident in favorable for the fall trade. They are purchasing their goods not for a credit by anticipating the business season, until they see the way clear before them.

On the whole, and having that unfortunate speech, we had a very fine time of it amongst the Meridianites, and we say it supported it.

We said before this that the town was sound in its views on reconstruction, but we are already somewhat disappointed. Gen. Sherman's raid, and being ready to "reconstruct" still further under only the honorable brother-in-law. Everything else is turning towards the North. The compass principally,) and as we used with our learned friend, the Ancient and our two other companions, we can see the retting and hanging lately on the horizon and peeping at us with the gold eye, as the confidence to hear our vows and behave accordingly.

Whether or not we convinced old master Sol, we can't tell; but when, after a long walk in the cool of the evening, in the back yard of a public institution, we emerged in the open air to watch the debutante moon, we were sorry that we might be beheld: It is well known that the track of the Mobile and Ohio Road runs due west from Meridian, and Lauderdale's Almanac, and every old Sol, to show his devotion to Northern principles and ideas, and his unalterable devotion to the foundations as it may hereafter happen to be, had just taken a notion to rise in the North! And there he was, way up there fully due North of Mobile, watching his groggy eyes in the sweet balmy dews of the morning and slumbering a blubbering "Cap of the morning to ye fair Lady!" and the cut of the grass mistake of her old sire—and it was not until we had washed our face and got fairly under way that, at a bend of the road, we saw that the old fellow—tile, sneaking flatter—had finally resigned his error and taken his station to the east!

We were surprised and deeply touched at the regrets expressed all along the road—principally by the state's rights republican—at the departure of our lady friends, and could not fully appreciate the just cause of these regrets, until we were on our way back. The fact is, that going up, we had seen few, if any, of those nice animals of the bovine and perverse family, so abundant, so ornamental in our own streets. On our return, however, the train stopped at every station to take on a car load of those poor, thin, shaky, starving animals, which have given on their name to, if not particularly founded, Cincinnati!

We picked up a number of cure where these poor beasts, unfit for market were being shipped, and no knowingly smiled and said, "Don't you know it?—sir, 'tis from Meridian!"

We owned the fact, then one rustic friend told us that the reason why they so much depleted the country side of the old Banks was, that owing to their tender regard for their country friends, they had always allowed them to send their hogs to Mobile for the purpose of fattening, as the streets offered much greater abundance and variety of food than the pineywoods of their own country, and in fact, as soon as the train reached the depot, some five or six hundred hungry hogs were turned loose on the streets, and may now be seen prowling about in search of the full consciousness of power and pride of right!

P. S.—In our sketch of the preliminaries of the late Tournament, we forgot to say that the signal for the starts of the procession was given by a gun fired from a beautiful brass piece, presented in 1861, by Capt. John Grant, the great rebel leader, to the authorities of Mobile as his "individual contribution" towards precipitating a town the invasion of the Yankee lion." The cannon was surrendered by then. Taylor to Gen. Canby at Mobile in May, 1865, and presented to the Mobile authorities as one of the trophies of the war. Capt. Grant has asked in vain for the return of his beautiful gun.

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BANKRUPT FORMS AND BLANKS.

We have received an official copy of the rules and orders, together with the forms and proceedings in Bankruptcy, as promulgated by the Supreme Court of the United States, and are now printing a large number of blank petitions in Bankruptcy.

The petition, with the necessary schedules makes twelve pages. They will be printed in good style, on the finest quality of cap paper, and in strict conformity to the law. We intend printing immediately all the blanks used in Bankrupt proceedings, and will furnish them to Attorneys and others on the most reasonable terms.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

We return thanks to Col. Lawrence, Secretary of Wayne Lodge, No. 102. for an invitation to attend the celebration of the 24th June, by the Masonic fraternity of Shubuta. We regret that other engagements will prevent our attendance.

We are glad to see that Vicksburg is to have a reconstruction journal.—Col. Patrid ge, late of the Herald, and Col. Manlove, of the Times, it is announced, will commence the publication of a new daily paper, on the first of July, to advocate reconstruction under the military bill.

Gen. Ord says he will make appointments of County Administrators, but requests the judges of Probate of the different counties to suggest suitable persons to fill the places.

Common Sense Against Sentiment.

The Memphis Bulletin edited by Admiral Semmes, who, we suppose, few of our readers will accuse of "Assistant Radicalism," thus contrasts Gov. Perry's late letter, with the speech of another South Carolina statesmen, Gov. Orr: Whilst we admire the impracticeable sentimentalism of Governor Perry, we decidedly give the preference to the practical, non-sentimental, common sense of Governor Orr. Perry would have his people, in a fit of the heroics, throw themselves under the juggernaut of the negro, and be ground to powder, whilst Orr would rescue them from so ignominious a fate, by simply advising them to put out their hands, and turn the car aside. The argument is in a nut-shell. In South Carolina the negroes are in a majority. It is absolutely certain, therefore, that if every respectable white man in the State should vote against a convention, a convention would be called nevertheless. A convention called under these circumstances would, of course, be under the exclusive control of the negroes, and their white allies, who, to make themselves acceptable to the negroes, in the hope of sharing the plunder with them, would go even beyond their sable friends in disfranchising their own race. Such a convention would not stop at the requirements of Congress, as expressed in the reconstruction acts, but would go far beyond them; and the more radical the constitution, the more favor it would find with the rump Congress. Such is the fate which Governor Perry would prepare for his people. Governor Orr thinks, on the contrary, that, with proper efforts on the part of the whites, the convention may be controlled, and kept within the limits of the reconstruction acts—which we think quite probable. At all events, it would seem to be absolute insanity, not to make the effort. The Governor said:

"He earnestly insisted upon the acceptance of the plan of reconstruction now proposed, as the only means of preventing the administration of the affairs of the country passing into the hands exclusively of the ignorant, and consequently the barbarian and tyrant classes, as the only hope of making this country even tolerable as a place of residence. He showed, from the census of 1860, the great ponderance of the colored over the white voters of the State, and the utter inability of the whites to defeat the convention, or to protect themselves whenever an issue is made with the colored people. There are sixty thousand colored voters in the State, while there are only forty thousand whites. It is true, perhaps, that there are not now as many colored men as in 1860, but it is sure the proportionate decrease has been greater with the whites than the blacks since the commencement of the late war. Governor Orr insisted upon the cultivation of the most cordial relations between the races, and the formation of no alliance with the two great political parties of the nation."

Mr. Stanbery on Registration and the Power of Military Commanders.

We print to-day a summary of the Attorney-General's opinion on the qualification of voters. Accompanying this summary is the full opinion of Mr. Stanbery on the power of Military Commanders, which we regret our limited space will not permit us to insert. The bill, he says, contemplates two distinct governments in each of the ten States, the one military the other civil. Both are provisional and cease to exist when new constitutions are framed and the States represented in Congress. The existing State Governments, he argues, have not been set aside, nor have they been modified or repealed save only as to the qualification of voters, of persons eligible to hold office, the manner of holding elections, and the mode of framing new constitutions. Military governments are to protect persons in their rights of person and property, to suppress insurrection, disorder and violence, and punish or cause to be punished all disturbers of the public peace and criminals. Military Commanders have no right to appoint executive, legislative or judicial officers, and persons so appointed are without any power whatever. If the laws are properly executed the military must remain passive.

There has been a meeting of the Cabinet to consider the Attorney General's opinion concerning registration at which the whole matter was carefully considered and finally sustained. The President then announced that after full deliberation he concurred with the majority upon those sections of the summary upon which the Secretary of War expressed his dissent, and that he concurred with the Cabinet upon those sections approved by a unanimous vote, and that as it appeared the Military Commanders entertained doubts upon the points covered by the summary, as their action hitherto had been uniform, he deemed it proper, without further delay, to communicate in a general order to the respective commanders, the points set forth in the summary.

The points are in brief as follows:

"The oath is the only test; registers have no authority to add to or inquire about it; the applicant must be a citizen; papers cannot be required of naturalized citizens; applicants must be twenty-one years old; persons convicted of felony or rebellion are disqualified, and so are persons who took the oath of allegiance gnd afterwards engaged in rebellion; Militia officers, holding office before the war are not disqualified, nor are municipal officers; old federal officers, civil or military, are disqualified, and so are Members of Congress and State Legislatures before the rebellion, but not the members of State Constitutional Conventions, prior to the war. All State, Executive and Judicial officers, and also county officers, who, by the laws of their State, were required to take an oath of allegiance to the United States, are disqualified. Nothing but a voluntary act in support of the rebellion can work disfranchisement, not even serving in the army under compulsion of conscription or any other authority which could not be safely resisted. Voluntary loans of money disqualifies, and so does speaking and writing to incite others to engage in war. All parties having acted in support of the rebellion, such as members of Secession Conventions, Congress, Legislature, the Diplomatic Agents of the Confederacy and all others established to carry on hostilities against the United States Government are disqualified.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

MERIDIAN LODGE, No. 80. I. O. O. F.

At a special meeting of the Lodge, called this day, the following preamble and resolutions, drafted by a Committee appointed for that purpose, were introduced and accepted by the Lodge, viz:

WHEREAS, The Omnipotent Ruler of the Universe, has, in the dispensation of His Divine Providence, seen fit to call from among us, Mrs. Fanny J. Early, late consort of our much esteemed friend and brother, E. V. Early, therefore,

Be it Resolved, That in the death of Mrs. Early, our community has been deprived of one of its most excellent Christian Members, and Society of one of its brightest gems, and that we, as an order, have lost the sympathies of one who rejoiced with us in seasons of gladness, and to one who was ever ready to give aid to the suffering and consolation to the sorrowstricken.

Resolved, That while, with our esteemed brother, we low in humble submission to the will of an All Wise Providence,we tender him our most heartfelt sympathies in his irreparable loss.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to our bereaved brother, and also, that one be sent to the "Gazette," for publication.

C. R. WATSON,)
O. P. THOMAS, } COMMITTEE.
W. S. PATTON,)

Meridian, June 21, 1867.

Gen. W. A. Quarles, who was it announced that Gen. W. A. Quarles, of Clarksville, Tenn., will sail for Europe soon, on professional business. May prosperous gales attend him, is the wish of his many friends.

Prof. T. W. Tate, of Judson Institute, has been appointed by the Governor to represent the interests of Alabama in the great industrial and art exhibition at Paris.

Who are Entitled to Registration

Attorney General Stanbery gives a concise and clear summary of his registration opinion, which is rendered very valuable by the confusion and doubts which have arisen upon that opinion in the public mind, caused in part by the errors of the telegraph and the press in its publication, and in part by the inaptitude of the general reader to follow carefully the successive and dependent steps of the protracted legal opinion:

1. The oath prescribed in the supplemental act defines all the qualifications required, and every person who can take that oath is entitled to have his name entered upon the list of voters.

2. The board of registration have no authority to administer any other oath to the person applying for registration than this prescribed oath; nor to administer any other oath to any other person, touching the qualifications of the applicant, or the falsity of the oath taken by him. The act to provide against falsity in the oath provides that, if false, the person taking it shall be tried and punished for perjury.

3. No provision is made for challenging the qualifications of the applicant, or entering upon any trial or investigation of his qualifications, either by witnesses or any other form of proof.

4. As to citizenship and residence.

The applicant for registration must be a citizen of the State and of the United States, and must be a resident of a county included in the election district, and will be registered if he has been such citizen for a period less than twelve months at the time he applies for registration, but he cannot vote at an election unless his citizenship has *then* extended to the full term of one year. As to such person the exact length of his citizenship should be noted opposite his name on the list, as he will not may appear on the day of election, upon reference to the list, whether the full term has then become accomplished.

5. And unnaturalized men cannot take this oath, but an alien who has been naturalized can take it, and no certificate of naturalization can be required from him.

5. No one who is not twenty-one years of age at the time of registration can take this oath, for he must swear that he has then attained that age.

6. No one who has been disfranchised for participation in any rebellion against the United States, or in felony committed against the laws of any State of the United States, can safely take this oath.

The actual participation in a rebellion, or the actual commission of a felony, does not amount to disfranchisement. The sort of disfranchisement here meant is that which is declared by law passed by competent authority, or which has been fixed upon the criminal by the sentence of the court which tried him for the crime.

No law of the United States has declared the penalty of disfranchisement for participation in rebellion alone. Nor is it known that any such law exists in either of these ten States, except perhaps Virginia, as to which State special instructions will be given.

7. As to disfranchisement arising from having held office followed by participation in rebellion.

This is the most important part of the oath, and requires strict attention to arrive at its meaning. I desire it properly to give the exact words. The applicant must swear or affirm as follows:

"That I have never been a member of any State Legislature, nor held any executive or judicial office in any State, and afterwards engaged in an insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof: that I have never taken an oath as a member of Congress of the United States, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, and afterward engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof."

Two elements must concur in order to distinguish a person under these clauses: First, the office and official oath to support the Constitution of the United States; Second, engaging afterwards in rebellion. Both must exist to work disqualification, and must happen in the order of time mentioned.

A person who has held an office and taken the oath to support the Federal Constitution and has not afterward engaged in rebellion, is not disqualified. So, too a person who has engaged in rebellion, but has not therefore held an office and taken that oath, is not disqualified.

8. Officers of the United States.

As to these the language is without limitation. The person who has at any time prior to the rebellion held an office, civil or military, under the United States, and has taken an official oath to support the Constitution of the United States, is subject to disqualification.

9. Military officers of any State, prior to the rebellion, are not subject to disqualification.

10. Municipal officers, that is to say, officers of incorporated cities, towns and villages, such as mayors, aldermen, town council, police, and other city our town officers, are not subject to disqualification.

11. Persons who have prior to the rebellion been members of the Congress of the United States, or members of a State Legislature, are subject to disqualification. But those who have been members of conventions framing or amending the constitution of a State, prior to the rebellion, are not subject to disqualification.

12. All the executive or judicial officers of any State who took the oath to support the Constitution of the United States are subject to disqualification, and in these I include county officers, as to whom I made a reservation in the opinion heretofore given. After full consideration I have arrived at the conclusion that they are subject to disqualification if they were required to take as a part of their oath the oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

13. Persons who exercised mere agencies of employments under State authority are not disqualified such as commissioners to lay out roads, examiners of pubic works, visitors of State institutions, directors of State banks or other State institutions, examiners of banks, notaries public, commissioners to take acknowledgments of deeds and lawyers.

ENGAGING IN REBELLION.

Having specified what offices held by a person prior to the rebellion come within the meaning of the law, it is necessary next to set forth what subsequent conduct fixes upon such person the offence of engaging in rebellion. I repeat, that two things must concur to disqualify: first, the office held prior to the rebellion, and afterward, participation in the rebellion.

14. An act to fix upon a person the'offence of engaging in rebellion under this clause must be an overt and voluntary act, done with the intent of aiding or furthering the common unlawful purpose. A person forced into the rebellion by conscription, or under a paramount authority which he could not safely disobey, and so he would not have entered such service if left to the free exercise of his own will, cannot be held to be disqualified from voting.

15. Mere acts of charity, where the intent is to relieve wants of the object of such charity, and not done in aid of the cause in which he may have been engaged, do not disqualify. Thus, contributions to the sanitary and other charities for the general relief of persons suffering in the rebellion, and of needy families of those in the service, and contributions to the support of churches, are not disqualifying acts. Nor is it disqualifying to pay taxes imposed by the rebel authorities, or purchase of bonds or securities created to afford the means of carrying on the rebellion, will work disqualification.

16. All those who, in legislative or other official capacity, were engaged in the furtherance of the common unlawful purpose, where the duties of the office necessarily had relation to the support of the rebellion, such as members of the rebel conventions, congresses, and Legislatures, diplomatic agents of the rebel Confederacy, and other officials whose offices were created for the purpose of more effectually carrying on hostilities, or whose duties appertained to the support of the rebel cause, must be held to be disqualified.

But others who, during the rebellion, discharged official duties not incident to the war, but only such duties as belong even to a state of peace, and were necessary to the preservation of order and administration of law, are not to be considered as thereby engaging in rebellion or as disqualified. Disloyal sentiments, opinions, or sympathies would not disqualify, but where a person has by speech or actions incited others to engage in rebellion he must come under the disqualification.

17. *The duties of the board appointed to superintend the elections.*

This board, having the custody of the list of registered voters in the district for which it is constituted, must see that the name of the person offering to vote is found upon the registration list; and if such proves the fact, it is the duty of the board to receive his vote. The board cannot receive the vote of any person whose name is not upon the list, though he may be ready to take the registration oath, and although he may satisfy them that he was unable to have his name registered at the proper time, in consequence of sickness or other cause.

The board cannot enter into any inquiry as to the qualifications of any person whose name is not on the list, or as to the qualifications of any person whose name is on the list.

18. The mode of voting is provided in the act to be by ballot. The board will keep a record and poll-book of the election, showing the votes, list of voters, and the persons elected by a plurality of the votes cast at the election, and make returns of these to the Commanding General of the District.

19. The board appointed for registration and for superintending the elections must take the oath prescribed by the act of Congress, approved July 2. 1862, entitled "An act to prescribe an oath of office." I have the honor to be, with great respect

HENRY STANBERY,
Attorney General.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed to D. M. Harkey, on the 30th of May, 1867, to secure the payment of a certain note, due to Lewis L. Dugsdale, of Meridian, recorded in the office of the Probate Clerk of Lauderdale County, Miss., in deed book M. pages 73 and 74, the undersigned as trustees, will on the first Monday in August next, 1867, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described lots in the city of Meridian, viz: Lots no. 13 and 14 in square 42, in the city of Meridian, according to the Rags dale survey, and make a deed of trust to the purchasers as trustees, conveying such title as is vested in us trustees only. The title we believe to be perfect.

J. J. SHANNON,
L. M. HART.
Meridian, June 23d, 1867. tds.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.
MERIDIAN, MISS., June 22, 1867.

In accordance with a Resolution passed by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Sept. 4th, 1866, the following named Gentlemen are hereby appointed, and will constitute a Board of Health for this City, and will serve during the summer months, viz: Aldermen Hart, Smith and Rush, and Drs. Jno. R. Kirkland and W. H. Burtes. In view of the approaching sickly season it is requested that all citizens keep the premises in a clean condition, and are advised to freely scatter lime and other disinfectants, as a preventative of disease.

The Board will visit the premises of citizens, and make such suggestions, as may in their opinion seem necessary for health.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.
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This board, having the custody of the list of registered voters in the district for which it is constituted, must see that the name of the person offering to vote is found upon the registration list; and if such proves the fact, it is the duty of the board to receive his vote. The board cannot receive the vote of any person whose name is not upon the list, though he may be ready to take the registration oath, and although he may satisfy them that he was unable to have his name registered at the proper time, in consequence of sickness or other cause.

The board cannot enter into any inquiry as to the qualifications of any person whose name is not on the list, or as to the qualifications of any person whose name is on the list.

18. The mode of voting is provided in the act to be by ballot. The board will keep a record and poll-book of the election, showing the votes, list of voters, and the persons elected by a plurality of the votes cast at the election, and make returns of these to the Commanding General of the District.

19. The board appointed for registration and for superintending the elections must take the oath prescribed by the act of Congress, approved July 2. 1862, entitled "An act to prescribe an oath of office." I have the honor to be, with great respect

HENRY STANBERY,
Attorney General.

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Comprise a class of pure and select Family Medicines, prepared from pure Herbs, by a class of experienced Druggists, who have specially for the diseases incident to a Southern locality.

They are not secret nor patent mixtures and are recommended to be used in lieu of those prepared by our Northern friends, who know but little of Southern treatment.

Ours is the only class of Family Medicines offered to the public which were prepared by the Medical Profession.

FEMALES OF THE SOUTH!

Diseases peculiar to your sex, incident to all localities, enfeel from the pasale breeze, that, fans you with its perfumed breath, or snatched from some opulent dew-drop, are to you a constant and abiding trouble. Whether an inhabitant of city or country, hill or dale, pale-face or hovel, disease rankles and preys upon your vitals. Gloom and dispair are your constant companions. Your pale and ghastly countenances, your cadaverous cheek, your lifeless eye, your tottering walk, your palpitating heart, your dejected spirit, all tell of that disease which is gradually and steadily making inroads upon your declining system.

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Now bursts upon your vision, and the clouds of dispair that hang as a heavy pall of gloom upon your brow are made to be driven back, and the bright visions of health in all its grandeur are made more your own. DROMGOOLE & CO'S

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Is the only combination that actually and positively arouses and restores the womb to its natural and healthy condition. It cures all unnatural obstruction, relieves painful or suppressed Menstruation, cures Leucorrhœa or Whites, Inflammation of the Womb, Hysterics, Chlorisis, Palpitation, nervousness Swimming and Giddiness of the Head, Melancholy, Ulceration and Irritation of the Womb, Derangement of the Kidneys and Bladder, and all the diseases that are peculiar to the female sex—affecting old or young married or single. Send and get one bottle, it will do you good.

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Must be changed, in order to be relieved of that troublesome class of diseases requiring pure blood.

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A highly concentrated medical compound, expressly for affections of the Kidneys and Bladder, such as Incontinence, Frequent Desire to Urinate, Urinary Deposits, Thick or Milky Urine, Spasms of early Dissipation, Nervous Trembling, Gravel, Burning Pains in the Back, Gleet, Loss of Energy, Strangury, and all affections requiring a quick and reliable Diuretic.

In all cases of a want of action on the digestive organs, such as Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Sick or Nervous Headache, Fever, Feeling old or young, male or female, this compound can be relied on.

CHILLS AND FEVER

Can be so easily cured by using one package of Dromgoole & Co's King of Chills, which never fails to arouse the Liver, clears the Stomach, open the Bowels and Pores, and will eradicate one case of Chills. One package will cure a case of six months standing.

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Cannot Southern Physicians cure the Piles as well as any one else? Try our remedy then.

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Gray hairs honorable can have them restored to their original color without staining the skin or clothes. It does not dye the hair—but simply restores it to its former color and vitality. It also prevents it from falling off, cleanses the scalp of all dandruff and scurf, imparts a beautiful gloss and causes a new growth where the bald as any other preparation. It is Dromgoole & Co's Tonic Hair restorer. It is unrivaled.

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TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for CASH, on the 2nd day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office in the city of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, to-wit:

OWNER'S NAME.	WHOSE SURVEY.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX
F. H. Bull,	Wiggins'			$ 200	$ 1 00
Estate Bass,	Bull's	20		4000	20 00
" "	Ragsdale's	60	1 to 8	1600	8 00
F. Bass,	Bass'	(25 acres not laid off into lots)		1200	6 00
" "	"	2	1	200	1 00
" "	"	2	2	200	1 00
" "	"	19	3 & 3	200	1 00
" "	"	8	1 to 4	200	1 00
" "	"	3	1 to 4	200	1 00
" "	"	13	1 to 4	400	2 00
" "	"	12	1 to 2	200	1 00
" "	"	11	1 to 2	200	1 00
" "	"	5	1 to 2	1200	6 00
" "	"		35	400	2 00
Cinerella Berry,	McLemore's		2 acres	2000	15 00
H. B. Barnes,	Ragsdale's	33	12	300	1 50
" "	"	57	1	250	1 25
E. H. Brecklaridge,			House	200	1 00
Whitehurst, Jno.			"	200	1 00
Bryan & Emanuel,	Ball's	31	1 to 18	300	1 50
" "	"	9	8	100	50
Curry	M. & O. R. R.		2	150	75
Matt Wyatt,	Ragsdale's	70	1&2	1000	5 00
S. A. Glen	do		House	400	2 00
Mary Cox,	"	94	11&12	1500	7 50
A. Calvit,	Ball's	8	8, 9&10	300	1 50
" "	"	32	6&11	300	1 50
Ex'r W. Crumpton,	"		13	150	75
W. H. Cox, Sr.,	M. & O. R. R.		95	3800	19 00
" "	"		96	500	2 50
Mrs Cla.			House	400	2 00
J. H. Cox,	M. & O. R. R.		113&114	1500	7 50
Austin H. Fink water	Ragsdale's	93	10&20	1400	7 00
Jno. Eskridge,	Ragsdale's	70	7	300	1 50
Ex'r Pete Enngel,	W. H. Jackson, Bass'		½ acres	1500	7 50
" "	"	9	1	1000	5 00
" "	"	2	2&3	1400	7 00
Prodicket & Ottenstein,	Ragsdale's			400	2 00
" "	M. O. R. R.		14, 15, 16&17	3200	16 00
Wm Foy,	Ball's	32	7½	100	50
B. J. N Flipen,	Linley's	10	3&4	1000	5 00
Wm Foy,	Ragsdale's		House	400	2 00
E. F Gunn,	do	70	3&4	600	2 00
Pharis, Grr,	M. & O. R. R.		House	600	3 00
T. C Higgins	do		36&37	600	3 00
Harker & Byers	Ragsdale's	42	13 to 16	1200	6 00
Samuel Haley,	do	102	20	2250	11 25
Horn, Stova & Hooper,	do		house	100	50
T. W. Jackson	do		do	1200	6 00
Jessee Johnson,	Ragsdale's	38	7	100	50
Aaron Jones,	do	103	11	500	2 50
Ball's	do	23	10	150	75
D. F. Jones,	McLemore's	1	4	600	3 00
W. C. Johnson	Ball's	22		2000	10 00
Jones & Little,	M. & O. R. R.		89	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,	"		House	300	1 50
Wm Jones,	"		4	600	2 50
Estate Chem Lay,	Lang's	(60 acres "unsurveyed")		13000	65 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,	1	3	1100	5 50
Rufus H Mizell,	Ragsdale's	62	10	200	1 25
Myer & Greenald,	do		house	1000	5 00
W. H McRoy,	do		do	300	1 50
Mrs McDowell,	do		do	400	2 00
John Martin,	do		house	400	2 00
D. Maggard,	Ball's	250x550 feet		2000	10 00
W. Palmer,	M. & O. R. R.		38	500	2 50
M. A Pullen,	do		34	700	3 50
W. S Price,	do		133, 135, 137, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143	1750	8 75
Pierce & Edmonston,	do		134 and 136	600	3 00
H. W Reese,	McLemore's	2	1 to 4	2000	10 00
H. W Reese,	do	3	1 and 2	1000	5 00
Jane Rodgers,	Ragsdale's	82	1 to 5	1200	6 00
Estate Jas Rodgers	do	82	3, 4 and 7	750	3 75
R. Y. Rew,	do	house		1800	7 50
Wm A. Thompson,	Ball's	55	8 and 81	225	1 13
W. R Richardson,	Ragsdale's	54	13 to 16	1000	5 00
S. T Smith,	Ball's	22	9	150	75
M. A Sullivan,	M. & O. R. R.			250	1 25
W. A Smith,	Linley's	11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon	do	house		300	50
do	do	do		900	4 50
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's	4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
H. P Terrill,	M. & O. R. R.		13	250	1 25
" "	do	27		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,	do	house		500	2 50
P. S Terry,	M. & O. R. R.		w't. of 10	100	50
Wm Thames,	Ragsdale's	94	1, 2 & 8	1200	6 00
J. M Trussell,	do	82	1	500	2 50
Thornhout & Warren,	do	60	1 to 4	1500	7 50
A Threefoot,	do	66	9 to 12	2000	10 00
J. W Tiner,	Ball's	16	7	750	3 75
Est. Chas. Vosburg,	Ragsdale's	30	13 & 14	500	2 50
B. B Wyndham	Ball's	30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
Walker	M. & O. R. R.		131	1000	5 00
W. H Wood,	do		40	1250	6 25
Young & Brown,	do	house		1500	7 50
J. W Young,	Bass'	3	1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Young,	Lang's		134 to 300 feet	400	2 00
Mary Roberts,	Linley's	12	3 & 4	200	1 00

Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. Where necessary, a more accurate description of the property advertised will be given on the day of sale.

JUNIUS MEANS, Assessor and Collector.

June 23, 1867—tds.

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SPICES, LEXINGTON MUSTARD, PAINTS, OILS & COLORS,

Window Glass, Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Coal Oil, Paints of all Colors, etc.

Our stock embraces everything coming within the Drug Business. Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction.

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Starch Glossy, makes Old Linen look like new. 25 cents per cake.

Imperial Blue, best in the world. 10 cents per box.

Waters Magic Ointment for Sores, Burns, &c. 25 cents per box.

For sale by SMITH & ALFORD, and JNO. W. HARVEY.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

CHANGE OF OFFICE HOURS.

On and after this date the Post Office will be open from 7 a. m. to 12 m., and from 2 to 6 p. m.

On Sundays from 8 to 9 a. m., as usual.

J. R. SMITH, P. M.

June 23d, 1867.

Our Club Rates.

The wherewithal to interest those who are hanging back from subscribing, we shall be found under the head of club rates. We have revised and reduced our terms so as to put the Gazette within the reach of every one. We pledge a newspaper in every way worthy of patronage—filled with varied and interesting reading matter, devoted to the interest of our section. Let our friends in the East stir themselves in getting up clubs and extending the circulation of our paper.

The original formula for the manufacture of the rare vegetable specific—Red Jacket Bitters, is rigidly adhered to. Its quality and proportions never vary—consequently its operation is uniform. Moreover, it does not deteriorate in any climate.

The number of persons registered here yesterday at twelve o'clock, footed up five hundred and fifty-five. The freedmen are largely in the ascendency.

Scuppernong Wine.—We have before us a sample of this fermented juice of the Scuppernong grape, made by Mr. John G. McArthur, of Tamola, Kemper county, and if we are any judge pronounce it a most excellent article—such a quality as Hebe or Ganymedes would have delighted to serve to the Gods. It is highly recommended for medicinal purposes at this season of the year, and can be had at the drug store of Mr. R. Y. R. Chadwick. The advertisement appears elsewhere.

We had the pleasure of a call on Friday from Dr. Nicholson, of Mobile, who visited our city for the purpose of lecturing on Religion and Chemistry, but was called away by the sickness of a relative in Mobile.

Dr. Nicholson's lectures are spoken of very highly, and have given great satisfaction to the public at the different places he has visited. We learn he intends visiting Meridian during next week, or at some early period, and will give the citizens of our town an opportunity to hear one of his interesting lectures. We will undoubtedly have a large and appreciative audience. Dr. N. proposes to lecture at the Baptist Church.

We learn from the Enterprise Star, that the total number of votes registered in Clarke County, on the 12th inst., of these 980 are colored, and 274 whites.

We learn that Judge L. Johnson, of Enterprise, has located at Holly Springs, and formed a partnership with J. C. Johnson, Esq., of that place. Judge Johnson has many friends in this part of the State, who will be glad to hear of his prosperity.

We give on our first page Maj. St. Paul's account of the late tournament at this place. His apology for the address of the "orator of the day," will not be endorsed by those who heard him. His speech was certainly a good one—intermixed with intellectual rockets, starry gems of thought, and a review of knight-errantry from its incipiency, which was interesting to all.

Non-Explosive Burning Fluid.—The Meteor Safety Burning Fluid, recently introduced in this city by Fallon, Fulton & Co. is rapidly coming into general use, and on account of its great superiority, is destined to take the place of all other luminating substances. The right for the sale of such fluid has been purchased by them. The following letter from a responsible and well known firm in St. Louis will furnish additional testimony in favor of the "Safety Fluid":

314 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.,
May 17, 1867.

E. L. Woodson & Co:—Having used the Meteor Safety Burning Fluid for several months past, we are pleased to say that we has, as an illuminating substance, given entire satisfaction, and for its superior qualities as such, we cheerfully recommend it to all who may be desirous of using it.

We have found it perfectly safe, clean, and producing a light rivalling gas, at a far less expense.

We can say of its merits after having used it this long, that it far excels the coal oil for brilliancy of light, has none of the offensiveness of that substance, is free from any explosive quality, and that every housewife must be delighted with it for its cleanliness.

Dolbie & Massey,
Jobbers in Oils, Lamps, &c.

Woman's Influence.—Man has no power to resist the silent eloquence with which woman's soft blandishments will entwine smiles speak to the warm and generous heart. Her vocation is to do good, and her presence adds a halo of glory by gladdening the dejected, comforting the distressed and strengthening fiowers in the pathway of man. And shall we fail to respond to her wants? Look around you and behold the misery depicted among the sickly families of your acquaintance. Go, go with lightning's speed and tell them to use English Female Bitters and be cured.

The Cause.—The information we gather from our many friends in the country proves the corps in the field is increasing in numbers and efficiency. Every day adds new recruits to the cause and to an abiding extent.—Beller (Ala.) Journal.

Letter from Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., June 18, 1867.

Dear Gazette—If you can make out a few rascal" sketches, and feel disposed to print these, they are at your disposal. The newspapers unanimously refuse to publish so much as a paragraph of using "ink," even if we were willing to devote the necessary requisite for putting down ideas.

About a week since, a party of us started from our respective homes, on the Mobile & Ohio Railroad train, and rapidly sped towards the once "far west." The early days were spent in the country train; the region of Corinth, where we took breakfast. A trip in the night, and quiet snoozes in an arm-chair, left but little available for observation as to growing crops, and the probable relief of destitution in our suffering State. But we had daylight in which to view prospects in Tennessee. The wheat looked well, and indicated an abundant yield, as a general thing; but all that can be said of corn is that it promises to be enough quite to "boss" a reasonably good amount of coffee and peared in distant fields.

At Humboldt we met our former townsman, Mr. E. D. Howard, who still deals in lightning, but never strikes sharp one, save with his pen. We departed with our old friend, Maj. Geo. Whitfield, of Confederate days, and Meridian memory. By the way, that night we had crossed the Tennessee river, and had stopped for supper on the Cumberland, at Clarksville. The country road had been very rough, and during the night it had been necessary for us to change cars twice, once being almost "down on combat." This last matter was not so pleasant as Meridian fare, but the fact that star friend R. had secured a big lump of ice, we might not have "kept cool."

The day that we passed were warm, and we had been greeted with thick clouds of dust, till almost suffocated. It was no little relief therefore, when this misery, the sun, sank down to rest, and twinkling stars, with the silvery moon, shone forth upon the earth. Under such influence did we enter the noble State of old Kentucky, we were told, before we can be more noble than the glorious work it was already. We have been recently so deeply engaged, supplying the sufferings of the South with bread. But this a digression, here.

A trip of only thirty-two hours placed us in Louisville, and at once at the hotel of many dollars. One of the first persons we met was our old friend Maj. W. T. Edwards, who did us the honor of a call. We became across many sympathizers with the South. There are differences of opinion as to what our people should do under the military bill, but all agree, we think, that it is the duty of *everyone* to register, because this enables a vote for or against a Convention—otherwise, we give up every thing without a struggle. Our people should seriously consider, and determinate at once, else it may be too late.

Louisville is a beautiful city. It is regularly laid out, the streets are of good width, and bordered with beautiful shade trees. The residences are of the modern, substantial public edifices and handsome private residences in various directions. In general appearance, the city reminds us of New Orleans. But 'tis time to close. More anon. D.

HD. QRS. 4th MILITARY DISTRICT, (Assistant) AND ARK. SUB-DIST.

Vicksburg, Miss., June 18th, 1867.

CIRCULAR.

General Orders No. 12, current series, from these Headquarters, relating to the sales of land under cultivation, and the stock and farming utensils used thereon, is not intended to apply to writs or process issued by the United States Courts, nor will that order be construed to authorize any interference whatever with the proceedings of those Courts.

By command of Brevet Maj. Gen. Ord
JOHN TYLER,
1st Lieut. 43d U. S. Infantry,
Acting Asst. Adjutant Gl. Federal
Hdqrs G. Ruer.
1st. Lieut. U. S. Infantry,
Asst. Adjutant.

We, the undersigned, to whom the matter between Mayor Henderson and Mr. Sanford has been referred, recommend the following, viz: that instead of the card which the Mayor sent to the U. S. Gazette, a statement in the Gazette of the 11th inst. the following be inserted, and accompanied as a retraction of the charges, and a final settlement of the whole matter.

J. M. Nicholson,
J. R. Phillips, Referees.
W. S. Hatch,
R. Y. R. Chadwick,

A CARD.

Having understood that Mr. F. T. Sanford circulated a report, that I had compounded with him to assault Mr. Lewis, on the 12th inst., and, that I had made arrangements with the police to absent themselves on that occasion, I called upon Mr. Sanford, that he might set me right before the community. In the card of Mr. Sanford will speak for itself.

R. L. Henderson.

To the Public.

On the 9th of June, I approached Mayor Henderson and asked him in a jocular manner, what he would charge me to whip a man for, and anticipating any offer of violence on Mr. Henderson remarked in the same jocular manner, (knowing the question was put as a joke,) that he generally charged fifteen hundred dollars if it was well done. Subsequently, and on the 12th inst., I had a difficulty with Mr. Lewis, and as I have since told several persons, did not suppose it was arranged between myself and the Mayor to assault Mr. Lewis, and that I had also made arrangements with the Police to be absent on the occasion, I would here state, that these remarks were said unthoughtedly, and with no intention to injure the Mayor or the Police, for I have discredit upon either of them, and that there is not *one single scintilla of truth* in regard to such arrangement having been made by me. I would further state, that I have several times asked the Mayor, jocularly, what he would charge for fighting.

F. T. Sanford.

We accept of the above recommendation.

R. L. Henderson,
F. T. Sanford.

Meridian, Miss., June 23, 1867.

HYMENEAL.

Married, by Christ Church, Vicksburg, Wednesday, June 5th, 1867, by Rev. Dr. Sinnon, Hiram Denio, Esq., and Miss Florence, second daughter of the late Dr. F. Lightcap.

Our friend Denio is undoubtedly a wise man, first in becoming a willing captive to Cupid's cunning, and double so for making so good a choice of a companion for life. Man's happiness in this stormy world we have to travel through, depends almost entirely upon his association with woman; she has the spell to sweeten his hours as well as his tea and coffee, and in nine cases out of ten, if man is poor, he owes it to her in *Scanning* his wishes. She is ever ready to cheer in the hour of disappointment—to whisper words of kindness in the thunderstorm car, and in the necessity of privation as fate may have it to bestow upon us, she is happy to grace our board and add to its blessings. Such are the qualities of woman, and we heartily wish the happy couple every blessing that can be desired.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Hurrahing, June 18.—Judge W. Lyon, of the Hustings Court, died this afternoon. Business is dull in this city to-day shows the whites few ahead. At the county court house in Marshall only 1 black.

Hartford, Ct., June 18.—Both Houses of the Legislature unanimously adopted resolutions inviting President Johnson to be a guest of the State, English and staff to receive him, and that he be invited to visit the Legislature.

Augusta, June 18.—Registration in the 18th senatorial district commenced to-day in Columbia county. There are 1,000 voters in the city—365 were registered—150 blacks and 18 whites.

London, June 18, 2 p. m.—A formidable anti-Popery riot is progressing at Birmingham. The mobs have attacked no streets. The Roman Catholic chapel has been attacked and threatened with demolition. Intense excitement prevails.

3 p. m.—At this hour rioters are in full possession of the city of Birmingham. All efforts to suppress the riots have proved futile. Large bodies of troops have been sent to the scene of disturbance with orders to put down and suppress quiet at all hazards.

Washington, June 18.—The cross-examination did not shake Dyes' testimony materially, though some inconsistencies exposed. The defence will close to-morrow, that given before the military commission. A black woman, a servant in Mrs. Surratt's house, testified that Booth was present at house on the night of the assassination. A sporting gent testifies to having seen him on the afternoon of that day on Pennsylvania Avenue.

It is in the proof that under the name of John Harrison, Surratt left Montreal on the afternoon of the 12th and returned on the 18th, this would have given him about four days to make the trip and do his work.

The following dispatch has been sent to Gen. James B. Steedman, Collector of Internal Revenue at New Orleans:

"Washington, June 16.—Gen. James B. Steedman, New Orleans.—Will you accept the mission to Mexico and proceed there without unnecessary delay.

(Signed) "W. H. Seward."

Gen. Steedman sent the following reply:

"I thank you for the compliment you have paid me. The condition of my private affairs compels me to decline."

The Secretary of the Treasury will publish the names of 10,000 each alleged stolen, have been found in the Treasury vaults.

There was a full Cabinet meeting to-day.

New Orleans, June 18.—The following has been received from Galveston, dated the 16th inst.:

We have dates from Quertaro of the 30, which are unfavorable to Juarez. A letter from San Louis of the 31 says a telegram from Queretaro of the 3d states that the trial of Maximilian had not been concluded.

Sixty ladies in Mourning, residing in San Louis, had called upon President Juarez and prayed for the life of the prisoners entured at Queretaro. The President said he would do all he could compatible with justice and his duties. He said many Liberals had been shot and they had not interceded.

There had been two engagements at the capital which resulted in favor of the Republicans. Foreigners had advised Marquez to surrender, promising to protect his people.

The Brownsville Ranchero says the El Mexicano of the 12th reports Santa Anna off Vera Cruz.

It is reported that Maximilian has asked for a private interview with Juarez for the purpose of disclosing important state secrets. Maximilian was convicted on the 14th of May, and was to be executed or shot on the morning of the 4th with Miramon and Mejia.

Mejia commanding the City of Mexico, executed Gen. O'Horn, commander of the post, for treasonable correspondence with the Liberals. He has also executed 100 Liberal sympathizers and threatens to execute them and burn the capitol if Maximilian and his generals are executed.

Mejia selected Escobedo as his counsel, who refused to serve, saying "he would not defend a traitor."

Chicago, June 18.—Numbers 54 and 56, occupied as a saloon and boarding house, were burned last night. Eight persons have been rescued—eight are supposed have been burned.

Washington, June 18.—The Cabinet were in session to-day and yesterday on the subject of Gen. Pope's letter. The instructions as will clearly define the powers of these commanders under the reconstruction acts, and leave obedience to them, and at the same time facilitate registration under uniform rules.

Washington, June 18.—Gen. Pope telegraphs Gen. Grant that it is untrue that negroes have been appointed to the municipal government of Mobile, but that the offices are filled from the best people of the city. He says that Gen. Swayne is now on his way to Washington.

Nothing authentic has transpired regarding Gen. Gillem's trip. The Executive order has not been completed.

Judge Fisher (in the Surratt case) has not decided whether he will allow the prosecution to introduce evidence of the finding of arms in Surratt's room.

Sergeant Dye, a watchman at the Vermont Central Railway depot, testified:

On the 12th of April, 1865, two men were seated in the passengers' reception-room at the depot, and one of them left a handkerchief marked "Jno. H. Surratt," on the bench.

Carrol Robert, conductor on the Vermont Central Railroad, testified:

I carried the same two men spoken of by Blum over the road, towards Canada. One of them looked like Surratt.

The counsel mutually agreed to admit the time table of the Vermont Central Railway as testimony.

John H. Triplett testified:

I have heard conversations between Mrs. Surratt and the prisoner. I heard Mrs. Surratt say she would give any one a thousand dollars to kill Stanton. I also testified I have heard the prisoner (when there was a Union victory) curse the Union army.

The counsel for the defence objected to this testimony, but the prosecution claimed the right to show malice; the evidence was admitted.

Further evidence intended to confirm the testimony that Mrs. Surratt was the owner of the carbine found in her house, and that at the time of the assassination, was loaded. Nothing of importance, however, was elicited from the witnesses.

The Department of State has information that the utmost activity is displayed in the case of Jefferson Davis, and the proceedings will be pressed.

Washington, June 18.—The Commissioner of Agriculture, is dead.

New York, June 18.—The Express says that Gen. Pope's letter to Gen. Grant was received that Juarez's forces were severely defeated in the capital. The position's both of city and Vera Cruz. Santa Anna "Vive Republic."

The grand drought in Jamaica threatens the entire failure of the sugar crops for the very limited. The entire crop, however, will not exceed 25,000 tons.

Washington, June 18.—The commissioner Gen. Sickles' report contained in the following letter to Gen. Grant, dated Charleston, June 10th, 1867:

Sir—I have the honor to report that I arrived at this city on the 7th inst., and assumed command of the District of South Carolina on the 8th inst.

Charleston. Roe was wounded, it is supposed mortally, at the first fire. Boag surrendered himself promptly to the civil authorities.

New Orleans, June 18.—A paper published in Guadalupe concludes an article on Europe as follows: "Heretofore she threatened; now she implores and before she looked upon us with contempt; now she is upon her knees before us. The time has arrived for the reign of Monroe imperiously demanded by the Mexican nation."

The Mexican press are congratulating themselves that no European power here after will be able to coerce them either into paying debts or any other way. In fact they say nothing about the United States.

Richmond, June 18.—In registration in this city to-day the blacks went ninety-seven ahead of the whites. In the county fifty-nine whites and two blacks were registered.

Two citizens have been summoned before the United States Commissioner, charged with registering though they were disfranchised.

Petersburg, June 19.—In two wards of this city up to this evening 486 whites and 1408 negroes have been registered. There is much apathy among the whites on the subject of registration.

Washington, June 19.—The superintendent of the Union Pacific Railroad says the work must be abandoned unless there is more protection to the Indians.

Philadelphia, June 19, 10 P. M.—The American Variety Theatre, on Walnut St., and a church surrounding property, is in flames.

Washington, June 20.—The President leaves on a Northward trip in the morning.

Prominent citizens of New Orleans have telegraphed the President urging Mr. King, of the Times, for the Mexican mission.

The close relations between Thos. S. Smoot and the wife of Henry Johnson were interrupted by Johnson, who shot Smoot in in the head. Smoot died in a half an hour.

General Longstreet has been pardoned.

The Russian treaty has been officially promulgated.

Philadelphia, June 20.—Thirty dead and thirty wounded have been reported from last night's fire.

Richmond, June 20.—Mark Downey and Thos. B. White, two well-known citizens, were arraigned before the United States Commissioner this morning, charged with perjury in having taken the registration oath yesterday.

The District Attorney said on the first case the prosecution would be on the ground that the State Constitution, adopted by the Convention at Alexandria, disfranchised all persons who aided the rebellion after April 1861. This Constitution it is claimed is not set aside by the reconstruction bill. About nine tenths of the white people in the State will be disfranchised if the District Attorney's ground is sustained.

Both cases were continued till to-morrow. There is great interest manifested by all classes of citizens in the case.

Montgomery, June 20.—The result of four days registration in Montgomery is 1783 blacks and 657 whites.

Charleston, June 20.—Gen. Sickles has issued a circular explanatory of certain paragraphs or order No. 32, chiefly with regard to the suppression of the sale of distilled spirits.

Savannah, June 20.—Registration will commence in this city on Monday next.

Des Moines, Iowa, June 20.—The Republican State Convention nominated Samuel Merrill for Governor.

LOCAL MARKET.

Store Prices of Articles at Meridian, Miss.

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Meridian Gazette Office,	June 21, 1867.
Axes—Collins.....	$1 75 @—2 00
Reynolds.....	$ 2 00 @— —
Bacon—Ky. ₰ lb..	40 @ 36
Indiana. ₰ yd.	35 @ —
Bacon—Hams. ₰ lb..	20 @ 18
Sug. cured. ₰ lb..	21½@ —
Country sds. ₰ lb..	15 @ —
West. cl. " ₰ lb..	14 @ 15
" rib " ₰ lb..	15 @ 14
Shoulders. ₰ lb..	14½@ —
Beef—on foot, ₰ lb...	5 @ 6
Corn fed..... ₰ lb...	7 @ 8
Butter—Goshen. ₰ lb..	50 @ —
Western ..... ₰ lb..	40 @ —
Brooms..... ₰each	50 @ 75
Buckets ..... ₰each	50 @ 75
Cotton—Mid. ₰ lb..	21 @ 24
Castings. ₰ lb..	10 @ —
Corn ..... ₰ bu.	61 70 @ 75
Coffee. ₰ lb..	28½@ 30
Chickens..... ₰ doz.	$4 80 @ $5 00
Eggs..... ₰ doz.	25 @ 30
Flour—Ch. f. ₰ bbl.	$18 00 @— 20
Double ex.. ₰ bbl.	$16 00 @— —
Superfine f. ₰ bbl.	$14 00 @$15 00
Lard. ₰ lb..	16 @ 18
Molasses—La. ₰ gal.	90 @ 1 25
Syrup..... ₰ gal.	75 @— —
Mackerel..... ₰ bbl.	— 22 @— —
Nails..... ₰ bbl.	$3 64 @ 4 00
Nails..... ₰ lb.	10 @ 12½
Oil—Linseed . ₰ gal.	2 25 @— —
Pork—on foot, ₰ lb	10 @ 12½
Powder ..... ₰ lb..	75 @— —
Putty ..... ₰ lb..	20 @— —
Rice..... ₰ lb..	15 @— —
Potatoes—Irish ₰ bbl.	6 00 @ 8 00
Sweet..... ₰ bu.	75 @ 1 25
Salt..... ₰ sack	$ 3 00 @— —
Soap—Crush. ₰ lb..	25 @— —
Louisiana. ₰ lb..	14 @ 18
Clarified ..... ₰ lb..	20 @— —
Loaf ..... ₰ lb..	30 @ 28
Shot—Drop.. ₰ lb..	20 @— —
Buck..... ₰ lb..	20 @— —
Tobacco—Ch. ₰ lb..	$ 1 00 @ 1 50
Common.. ₰ lb..	$ 45 @ 1 00
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The physicians and others whose names appear in the annexed correspondence, are ready at all times to confirm, personally the statements made over their signatures.

Perhaps one of the most striking proofs that can be cited of the intrinsic excellence of the Bitters, is the unanimity of the opinion of the press in their favor. The professional as a rule set their faces against all proprietary medicines, and the reason for this course has unquestioned their prejudices, and they refuse to examine the merits of a remedy which they pursue stimulant and best stomachic that money can procure.

The present season of the year is a trying one to the Stomach and Bowels—indeed to all. In July, in August and September heavy draughts are made upon the vital energies, and it is necessary to have a nerve of strength and vitality in order to meet them without prostration and breaking down. Hostetter's Bitters are a stomach medicine, sustains the nerves and invigorates every of the frame with that powerful and general vegetable restorative, and any medicine which is recommended as a tonic for the morpheus may be encountered with comparative security.

Read the following letter from E. Bourne, a well known citizen of Pittsburgh, Pa.

PITTSBURGH, May 10, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen—Some years ago I went to the West last fall. I contracted chills and fever, which brought me to the verge of the grave. Physicians did me no good, and continued me to my room for several months, during which time I was physically as powerless as a child. I almost despaired of ever recovering my health. The medicine failed to impart any appetite for food, and my constitution became entirely undermined. Nothing seemed to relieve me. I was passed many sleepless nights, all from debility caused by the fever and ague. Nothing seemed to relieve me of fever. At this stage of my condition, a friend recommended me to use your celebrated Stomach Bitters; but, being mentally opposed to the use of patent medicines, I at first declined, but at last, as all remedies failed to my prejudices, and after using your Bitters for two weeks as directed, my appetite returned, and with it I am happy to say, health in a measure strength and vigor. My sleep from that time forward and to this day has never been better than it is now, and the reeling sensation the size of dizziness has entirely left me. I can say with truth that I feel myself a new man, and tender you this testimonial of the unsurpassed excellence of your medication in order that others suffering as I have may avail themselves of its virtues, and by prudence prevented me from enjoying for so long a period, they may also call upon you for relief. After seeing the beneficial effect your Bitters had on me, recommended that I use them regularly.

Yours, very respectfully,
E. BOURNE, 63 Market st.

Another letter, from a well known citizen of Pittsburgh, dated November 4th, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—I think I am only doing the part of a good citizen when I testify to the great benefit I have derived from your Stomach Bitters during the last few years. Being in the old regiment, in 1861 I had a severe attack of fever and long disappointment, which settled in my bowels. I was advised to try your Bitters, which I did, and found them very much to my benefit. I bought a half dozen bottles, and however, and I seemed to have got a new life in me, so much so that I have used them every summer since, as a tonic. I think they are invaluable. This summer, in particular, my children were sick and I was confined in weight, being under the care of an A. No. 1 physician, but could not get relief until I got your Bitters, with the same good results, gaining six (6) pounds in a half dozen bottles. I regard them as a first class article, and intend to keep them constantly on hand. Wishing success to your enterprise, I remain yours gratefully,

WILLIAM MILLER.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Sirs: I believe your bitters are the best in use. I first used them in 1863, and they cured me. It was not faith that did it, for I had no faith in them: I tried them as a last resort. I had been a prostrate for several weeks with dyspepsia and nervous debility, and was not able to walk. I used one bottle so far restored me that I could attend to business. Last October I was attacked with chills which resulted in the return of the same disease, accompanied with bronchial affection, when I again used your Bitters, and was soon restored to health. I have since been taken to boarding on my acquaintance, and have never known them to fail in effecting a speedy cure.

Yours truly,
MIRANDA CHAPPEL,
Postmaster at Rockford, Va.
Elsewhere, Pa., Nov. 8, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen—We have been selling your Stomach Bitters for eighteen months, and find them an extensive favorite. All that is necessary is to let people know their virtues, and they will use them. We have used them ourself, and now recommend them to all who have weak stomachs.

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Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen: For a long time I have been afflicted with a chronic disorder, and was unable to attend to any business. I was advised to use your Stomach Bitters, which I did, and they have entirely cured me. I believe had it not been for them I should have died. I am now in the enjoyment of health, and only to testify to the virtue of your BITTERS, but I will also say that I am now keeping a store, and will also be happy to recommend them to all who have weak stomachs.

JOHN M. GREACEN.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

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Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

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Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

Gentlemen: I have used and often prescribed your Stomach Bitters, and take pleasure in recommending it to all whose stomachs are debilitated. I find it an excellent tonic, and I regard it as one of the best medicines of the day.

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Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

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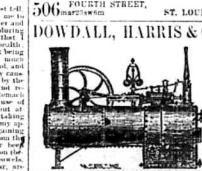

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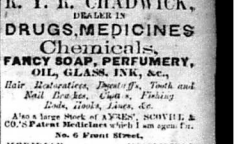

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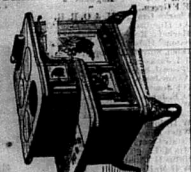

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The Vernon Times copies our article about R. W. Flournoy, of Pontotoc, and pins the following to it:

For the benefit of our Meridian exchange we will state that the Celegates to the above Convention from Pontotoc were Fontaine and Miller of the strict Southern Rights party, and Flournoy and Herring, of the class of politicians known as Co-operationists. Flournoy used to Lauderdale square on occasion. He came home, raised a company which was attached to Humphreys' Regiment, we believe the 21st Mississippi Infantry. He went with it to Virginia, but we understand he didn't do a great deal of fighting; at least he didn't "whip 'em out by breakfast." He exhibited as much incapacity for the place, that he was unprecedented by a true soldier and clever gentleman; he came home, took advantage of the "twenty nigger law" and kept out of the army during the whole war. He was engaged much of the time in running the Blockade and otherwise contributing to our failure.

We are familiar with the history of his private character, with which we have, however, nothing to do; but our knowledge of the man warrants us in assuming the Gazette that he has all the elements that make a good Radical. It is a strange fact, none the less true, however, that all the scum and rascality of society, (we speak in a political sense) belong to that party. We do not say that all who belong to that party are scoundrels, but we do say that all the scoundrels in the country belong to the nigger loving, proclaimed, moral blue, Radical party.

Gen. Sheridan to Grant.

The following telegram will create some surprise:

HEADQRS. FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT,
New Orleans, La., June 22, 1867.

Gen. U. S. Grant, Commanding Armies of the United States, Washington, D. C.:

GENERAL—I am in receipt of a telegram from the President, through Brevet Major General E. D. Townsend, A. A. G., U. S. Army, directing me to extend the registration in this city and State until August first, unless I have some good reasons to the contrary, and ordering me to report such reasons for this information. Also stating that in his judgment this extension is necessary to a full and fair registration, and that the time should be thus extended because the other district commanders will not get through before that time.

My reasons for closing the registration in this city were because I had given the city two and a half months, and there were no more to register. I have given the State two and a half months, and registration will be exhausted by that time. I do not feel warranted in keeping up boards of registration at large expense to suit new issues coming in at the eleventh hour.

The registration will be completed in Louisiana at the time specified, unless I am ordered to carry out the law under Mr. Stanbery's interpretation, which practically, in registration, is opening a broad macademized road for perjury and fraud to travel on! I do not see why my registration should not be finished at the time when other district commanders got through. I have given more time for the registration of Louisiana than they propose to give in their commands, for I commenced six weeks before they did. I regret that I should have to differ with the President, but it must be recollected that I have been ordered to execute a law to which the President has been in antagonism. If after the report the time is to be extended, please notify me and it will be done. I would do it at once, but the President's telegram was conditional, and there is sufficient time left to issue the necessary order.

P. H. SHERIDAN,
Major General.

Mrs. Julia P. Burnett, who died at Natchez, in April, aged 74 years, was sister of the late Governor Quitman.

Courts of Bankruptcy.

At a meeting of the members of the bar in attendance at the District Court of the United States at Oxford, Miss., at the June term 1867, on motion Hon. S. J. Gholson was called to the chair and Col. H. W. Walter appointed Secretary.

C. D. Fontaine explained the object of the meeting, to be the adoption of a Fee Bill for services in cases of Bankruptcy, and on his motion the Chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of five to recommend a Fee Bill on the subject.

The chair appointed Fontaine Miller committee: E. S. Fisher, H. A. Barr, W. F. Dowd, H. W. Walter, and J. S. Orrick.

The Committee made a report, and recommended the following Fee Bill:

For filing a petition schedule and oath taining discharge of a Bankrupt, where there is no litigation, (in advance) not less than $100,00,

For all cases in which there shall be opposition to the discharge of the Bankrupt, not less than $250,00.

For all other litigated business for either the Bankrupt creditors or assignee, the Fee charged by the tariff of Fees of the county of the council employed.

The motion of General Pentacton, the following amendment was adopted to the report:

The foregoing are to be regarded as the minimum Fees, and the profession are expected to exercise a sound discretion in making such additional charges in each case as may be justified by the amount of labor to be performed, of the indebtedness from which the Bankrupt seeks to be discharged, and the value of his assets.

The report with the amendment was adopted. The proceedings of members of the District are requested to publish the proceedings of the meeting.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

H. W. WALTER, Secty.

The is the way the Pacific railroad is laid at the rate of more than a mile a day: Forty miles in front of the line are sent in a train as near the end of the track as it can get, and unloaded at the side of the road. Then it comes on again with 10 teams, while gangs of men place and level them; then small, low cars, are loaded with rails, spikes, and chains, and pushed to the end of the last track, where two rails are seized and run off at the end and dropped in their places; as they fall others grasp them and keep them at the proper width, while another drops spikes at the cross-ties; the little car goes on and the spike drivers follow up nailing them down. Then comes the track straighteners and the ballast men, making in all a procession a mile long, all trained to know their special duty, and to do it with a will and promptness that knows no failure or delay.

How to Get an Education.—Boys say to me, "We want an education; but we are poor, and father is poor, and we can't get it; so we are going to learn a trade, or go into a store or something of that sort." Now let me say, every boy that wants an education, if he will bend his force to it, can get just as good a one as he wants. The way is open. Education does not come through mindless mills, colleges, and seminaries; these are helps; but it comes by study and reading, and comparing, and all the schools, and colleges, and seminaries in the world will not make the education of a man without these; and with them a man will be one if he never sees a college. And what is true of boys is true of girls, and what is true of this pursuit is true of any other. The force must be from yourself, and you must develop it. It is that indomitable "I can," that sets a man astride the world.

"I have seen a woman professing to love Christ more than the world, clad in a silk dress costing $75; making up and trimmings of same, $10; bonnet (or apology for one) $35; velvet mantle $150; diamond ring $500; watch, chain, pin and other trappings, $360; total, $1100—all hung upon a frail, dying woman. I have seen her at a meeting in behalf of homeless orphans in New York, wipe her eyes upon an expensive embroidered handkerchief at the story of their suffering and when the contribution box came round take from a well filled purse one couple of cents! Wretched, twenty-five cents to aid the society formed to promote their welfare. Ah, thought I, dollars for ribbons and pennies for Christ."—[Spurgeon.

For the cure of
LINES TO A BED-BUG.
BY RICHARD CRASH.

All hail, dread power, lust-the best of
Thy home of every mankind! Half-drowned
Nor seem the offering which I bring—for
Yet with the fullest welcome speak,
Drop results and thicker lose dust-lost.
The little barbarie hail, whose
Thy savage breath from us
Hies high resolving at intended
That ever to lady's
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To teach the paper wall the
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BANKRUPT FORMS AND BLANKS.

We have received an official copy of the rules and orders, together with the forms and proceedings in Bankruptcy, as promulgated by the Supreme Court of the United States, and are now printing a large number of blank petitions in Bankruptcy.

The petition, with the necessary schedules makes twelve pages. They will be printed in good style, on the finest quality of cap-paper, and in strict conformity to the law. We intend printing immediately all the blanks used in Bankrupt proceedings, and will furnish them to Attorneys and others on the most reasonable terms.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

Important to Ex-Postmasters.

Many men who were postmasters previous to the war are of the opinion they are disfranchised under the late opinion of the Attorney General. The Clarion publishes the postmaster's oath used prior to 1862, which proves conclusively that postmasters, mail carriers, agents and others connected with the post office department, are not disfranchised. Here it is:

I, ——, do swear, or affirm, (as the case may be,) that I will faithfully perform all the duties required of me, and abstain from everything forbidden by the laws in relation to the establishment of the post offices and post roads within the United States—So help me God. A post office laws, under the head of organization and miscellaneous—Sec 9.

Let this class of our citizens come up at once and secure the right to vote. "Our safety and the security of unborn generations can be secured only through the narrow defile of general registration."

Henry Porter and a man named Bradley, two notorious horse thieves, have been arrested and lodged in the Canton jail. They belong to Ashley's gang.

Eliza Curl, a girl only thirteen years old hung herself near Peoria, Illinois, last week. Cause, her mother bought her sister a corset and neglected her.

General James Alcorn.—We see that this gentleman has been called upon by a committee of the most prominent citizens of Memphis to address them on the political topics of the day at as early a period as he conveniently can.

The Cincinnati Commercial of the 18th inst., relates an account of a foul murder eight miles from the city. A girl named Sarah Klein was murdered by her lover, a man named Betz. He then started to escape but changed his mind soon, however, for he halted suddenly, placed the muzzle of the pistol against his head, discharged the remaining cartridge, and blew his brains out.

Steamboatmen have been notified that the government will at once revive the assessment of the 2½ per cent. tax on the gross amount of receipts of steamers for passengers.

We mentioned the other day, the robbery, and attempted assassination of Capt. Felts of Choctaw county, Alabama. This rather startling paragraph touching the affair, appears in the last Butler Herald:

It appears that Capt. Felts, the Tax collector for this county, whose robbery we reported last week, has fallen under suspicion of having robbed himself. He was arrested last Monday at Pushmattaha and placed under guard. The attorneys interested *pro* and *con* in the case, met at this place on last Wednesday and agreed upon next Friday as the day for the investigation of the affair. For the State, in addition to the Solicitor, Judge Morse and F. C. DuBruiz, Esq., have been retained. Maj. Thos. Cobbs, of Sumter, appears for the defence. We sincerely hope and trust that Capt. Felts will be able to clear himself from the suspicion that has fallen upon him. We forbear further comment until the matter has been investigated.

A man named Cockrell, living in Madison county, shot his brother last week. The wound is severe, but not dangerous.

The South will be irrevocably ruined if the white people fail to register, no matter what the motive may be in so doing.

New Lands in the Market.—Great excitement, it is stated, prevails in Northern Texas by the fact that the lands in the Indian Territory are being sectionized for sale to whites, by consent of the Government, and that it is expected the Territory will soon be admitted into the Union as a State. If there is one portion of the United States more fertile, beautiful and healthful than all the others, it is the Indian Territory. Emigrants are flocking there in large numbers.

Keep it Before the People.

That no person is disqualified from registering who, being disqualified as to age and domicil, did not hold an office before the war, that required him in order to be prepared to discharge its duties, to take an oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

That no person is disqualified from registering, who, having held such office before the war, did not afterwards engage (voluntarily and willingly) in aiding the rebellion.

That two elements must concur in order to disqualify a person under those clauses: First, the office and official oath to support the Constitution of the United States; second, engaging afterwards in rebellion. Both must exist to work disqualification, and must happen in the order of time mentioned.

A person who has held an office and taken the oath to support the Federal Constitution and has not afterwards engaged in rebellion, is not disqualified. So, too, a person who has engaged in rebellion, but has not heretofore held an office, and taken that oath, is not disqualified.

That not to register, if qualified, is in fact delegating to others the powers to register, legislate and hold office for you.

That not to register gives the freedman full control of the country and power to fill all the offices from his own race.

That when we give up the country to the newly enfranchised class we cease to control them and are without any voice in the framing of our laws.

That class legislation will necessarily follow such a course—and unequally imposed taxes be forced upon us.

That a wall of separation will be reared between the races, and agrarian laws worse than those of Rome be enacted to rob the people of the South of their lands.

Therefore, let every man be up and doing. Those who fail to fortify themselves with a ballot now, will live to regret it.

Don't beguile yourselves with promises of the up-rising of a dying party, nor cling to the hope that rights now gone will be restored. They have been stamped out forever and the "conquering idea" carries the day. There is no way to dodge it—no place for our unfortunate, desolated people, to hide themselves. We are *compelled* to live and move with the tide of power, and the sooner we become reconciled to the Northern theory and adopt it, the sooner will we return to the path of wealth and prosperity.

The Objects of the Party.—Stanbery's opinion has drawn forth many bitter editorials from the radical press. Men and measures calculated to return the country within constitutional bounds meet with most violent opposition in the radical ranks and contempt and hatred, calumny and vituperation, becomes a popular commodity with a few of the extreme journalists. Here is a short extract from the Washington Chronicle, in which the mask is removed:

Indeed, the one fatal misconception which vitiates the entire argument of the Attorney General is briefly this: His assumption that the relation now existing between the nation and the States recently in flagrant rebellion is one of peace. It is true a war, as carried by masses of armed men in hostile array, engaged in the work of mutual extermination, no longer exists. Peace, in the sense of a submission by the vanquished to the victor when resistance becomes no longer possible, certainly now obtains in the Southern territory. But this is in no sense that peace known to the law of nations which should deprive a victorious people of the right to gather up and secure the fruits of the bloody triumph which they sacrificed so much to win. Till then the *status* of the country is *in bello nondum cessante*.

The extract will bear a second reading. The "victorious people are yet to gather up and secure the fruits of the bloody triumph." Men of Mississippi, do you hear that? The white race of the South are to go under and what little property left us to be placed in the hands of the "victorious people." To this complexion it must come at last, unless every man qualified steps forward to aid in carrying the State back into the Union. To permit "loyalists" and freedmen to finish the work of restoration is to give the "victorious people the fruits of the victory." Registering and voting for a Convention is our only hope. If the white people vote against the Convention "resistance becomes no longer possible."

We see mention made of the lynching of two colored men at Wyandott, Kansas, by a mob, on suspicion that they were the authors of a murder committed on a citizen named O'Marrah, and of the subsequent discovery that the two unhappy men are innocent. An act of this kind committed down South, would bring upon us additional military rigors and probably a "war of races." As it occurred in Kansas, but little will be said on the subject, by either freedmen or radicals.

Important Decision.

Chief Justice Chase has rendered a very important decision at Raleigh, North Carolina. A Philadelphia house brought suit against a North Carolina firm for the payment of a note given before the war. The defendants set up the claim that the note had been paid to the government during the war under the act of sequestration. The Chief Justice, however, held that compulsory payment under sequestration acts to Confederate receivers, was no discharge from the debt, and ordered that the plaintiff have judgment for principal and interest of the debt, without deduction.

In his opinion he elaborated on the regulations of the States lately in rebellion to the United States government. He says that there is no doubt but that the State of North Carolina, by the acts of the Convention of May, 1861, &c., set aside her State Government and the Constitution, connected under the National Constitution with the Government of the United States, and established a Constitution and Government set up in hostility to the United States, and entered upon a course of active warfare against the National Government, but that these acts did not effect, even for a moment, the separation of North Carolina from the Union, any more than the acts of an individual, who commits grave offences against the State by resisting its officers and defying its authority, can separate him from the States. He does not agree with Stevens, Sumner & Co., who insist that when the rebellion attains proportions and assumes the character of a civil war, it is purged of its treasonable character, and can only be punished by the defeat of its armies, and disappointment of its hopes and calamities incident to unsuccessful war. Courts have no policy, Judge Chase tells us, they can only declare the law.

On the morning of the 20th inst., about an hour before day, an attempt was made to assassinate Mr. Phil. Rose and a Mr. Shoemaker, living some six miles north of Canton. Messrs. Rose and Shoemaker were occupying a bed together near a window. Some one poked a double barreled shot gun through the window, the muzzle of the gun striking Mr. Rose's head. He awoke instantly and seized the muzzle of the gun, turning it from his head as it fired, receiving the greater portion of the contents in his hand, a few shot striking Mr. Shoemaker, who was asleep, in the back. Two negroes upon whom suspicion rested, were taken in custody. One of them confessed the other did the shooting.

Pollard has sent us a copy of his new paper, the Southern Opinion, and written a letter asking that we notice it as we think it deserves. It is one of the most handsomely gotten up prints we have seen for many a day. The news is carefully condensed and collated and all arranged under appropriate heads. Its editorials are able and well tempered—the tone far different from what we expected. It "accepts the new condition of affairs in good faith" and "advices the people of the South to comply in good feeling with the requirements of the Military bill." We are glad to see that reconstruction finds no foe in Pollard, and that the government, civil or military will not be obstructed by his pen.

Those who are tired of poverty and taxation, should register and contribute their mite towards raising the South from her present lamentable condition.

The mysterious mission of the United States steamer Gettysburg to the West Indies, has resulted in a simple treaty of amity, commerce, &c., with the Dominican Republic. It is nothing more or less than the stereotyped formality which we have gone through with every State, big and little, in the entire circle of American powers.

Elopement.—The New Orleans Picayune states that Emeline Zavistanski, the well-known dansense and comic actress of that city, had eloped with an Irish comedian named Carrollton. The affair produced considerable of an excitement. Mad. Christine, it is stated, purchased a pistol with which she threatened to kill the husband of her daughter if he could be found.

Mr. Robert B. Sharkey died on the 10th inst., near Canton, in his 74th year. He once cultivated the land on which the town of Grand Gulf is built. The Clarion says he perhaps reared and educated more orphan children than any man in the South.

Governor Flanders of Louisiana, has made proclamation of some stringent regulations for preventing the introduction of yellow fever into the port of New Orleans.

Rois Brown, a freedman about 70 years of age, near Enterprise, committed suicide last week by hanging; the act being induced, it is supposed, by religious excitement.

Bankrupt Law—Proceedings Under It.

We have received a copy of the rules and proceedings in Bankruptcy promulgated by the Supreme Court of the United States. As the law will now go speedily into operation, and as a great many persons are interested in it, the provisions of the law are of general interest.

Cases under the Bankrupt law are only cognisable in the U. S. District Courts, which are to be always open for the transaction of Bankrupt business. The petition of the debtor must be filed with the clerk and a duplicate copy of it delivered to the Register.—Almost all the business, except in cases where a contest arises, is done by the Register. They make adjudication of bankruptcy, receive the surrender of the bankrupt, administer oaths in all proceedings before them, hold and preside at meetings of creditors, take proof of debts, make all estimates of dividends and all orders of distribution, audit the accounts of the assignees, pass the final examination when no creditor opposes the discharge, and sit in chambers and dispatch there all administrative business connected with the law which the court or the general orders may prescribe. The form of petition of a debtor to be declared bankrupt, is as follows:

"To the Honorable ——, Judge of the District Court of the United States, for the —— District:

The petition of ——, of——, in the county of——, and State of ——, and District aforesaid, respectfully represents:

That he has —— for —— months next immediately preceding the filing of this petition at ——, within said judicial district; that he owes debts exceeding the amount of $300, and that he is unable to pay all of the same in full; that he is willing to surrender all of his estate and effects for the benefit of his creditors, and desires to obtain the benefit of the act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States, approved March 2d, 1867.'

That the schedule hereto annexed, marked A, and verified by your petitioner's oath, contains a full and true statement of all his debts, and (so far as it is possible to ascertain) the names and places of residence of his creditors, and such further statements concerning said debts as are required by the provisions of said act:

That the schedule here annexed, marked B, and verified by your petitioner's oath, contains an accurate inventory of all his estate, both real and personal, assignable under the provisions of said act:

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that he may be adjudged by the Court to be a bankrupt, within the purview of said act; and that he may decreed to have a certificate of discharge from all his debts provable under the same.

"——."

The schedule to accompany the petition exhibiting the assets and liabilities of the Bankrupt are given in eleven different forms, and, with the petition, occupy twelve pages.

Before any warrant issues, the petitioner must deposit fifty dollars with the Register, as security for the payment of all fees under the proceedings, which are to have priority of payment over all other claims out of the estate. It is now made the duty of the Register, if satisfied as to the facts, to issue a warrant in bankruptcy against the estate of the debtor, directed to the Marshal of the district, authorising him to publish notices in such newspapers as the warrant specifies, and to serve notices on all creditors, that the payment of any debts to the delivery or transfer of any property of the debtor are forbidden by law, and that a meeting of the creditors will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be specified in the warrant, not less than ten nor more than ninety days after the issue of the same. It is also made the duty of the Marshal to take immediate possession of the property of the bankrupt, under the warrant, and to prepare within three days, an inventory of all the property, and return to the Register.

At the first meeting of the creditors of the bankrupt they must choose, in presence of the Register, one or more assignees of the estate of the debtor. As soon as an assignee is appointed and given security, she Register must assign and convey to him all the estate of the bankrupt, with all books and papers relating thereto. There are excepted and reserved to the use of the bankrupt the following only: Necessary household and kitchen furniture, in the discretion of the assignee, but not exceeding five hundred dollars in value; wearing apparel of the bankrupt, his wife and children, and such other property as may be exempt from execution under the laws of the United States, or of the State in which the bankrupt resides. The assignee is to receive, out of the sale of the estate, in addition to all necessary expenses actually incurred, five per cent. on amounts under $1,000, two and a half per cent. on sums between $1,000 and $5,000, and one per cent on all sums over $5,000. He is to give written notice of all meetings of creditors, after the first, and of all dividends payable by him in the discharge of his trust.

He is to keep a strict account of all claims presented, and of all proceedings by him as assignee. Three months after an adjudication of bankruptcy, or earlier, the Court, upon request of the assignee, is to call a general meeting of the creditors, to hear the report of the assignee, which shall be a full schedule, with vouchers, of all receipts and payments. In case a dividend is ordered, the Register is required to prepare the list of creditors to receive it, and forward it, specifying the amount each is entitled to, to each creditor by mail. The assignee is to pay the creditors their quotas in such manner as the court may direct.

The like proceedings are to be held at the expiration of the next three months, or earlier, if practicable, and a third meeting of creditors be called by the Court, when a final dividend shall be declared, unless suits at law or other unavoidable delays may prevent.

Arrest Captured.—We learn that the assassin of Geo. V. Moody has been captured, and was brought by the military authorities to this city to-day. It will be remembered that Moody was murdered near Grand Gulf, at Port Gibson, in the house of Col. ——.—Vicksburg Advocate.

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FEMALES OF THE SOUTH!

Diseases peculiar to your sex, incident to all localities, called from the gentle breeze, that fans you with its perfumed breath, or snatched from some pedant dew-drop, are to you a constant and abiding trouble. Whether an inhabitant of city or country, hill or dale, palace or hovel, disease rankles and preys upon your vitals. Gloom and disgust are your constant companions. Your pale and ghastly countenance, your colorless cheeks, your lifeless eye, your tottering walk, your palpitating heart, your disordered brow, all tell of that disease which is gradually and steadily making inroads upon your declining system.

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Now bursts upon your vision, and the clouds of despair that hung as a heavy pall of gloom upon your brow can now be driven back, and the bright visions of health in all its grandeur are now offered you.

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The most certain and effectual cure for all forms of Diarrhœa, Nausea, and Vomiting, Cramps, Cholera Morbus, pain in the Stomach, summer complaint of children while teething, etc., it is exceedingly pleasant, cools and quiets the stomach, is not an alcoholic preparation, contains no alum, catechu, gum arabic, logwood, etc. It imparts tone to the already debilitated stomach and bowels, and will never cause it to be without a bottle. It never fails to cure.

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The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens.

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for CASH, on the 23d day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office, in the city of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, to-wit:

OWNERS NAME.	WHOSE SURVEY.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX.
Sallie Bass,	Ball's	26		4000	20 00
"	Ragsdale's	60	1 to 3	1800	9 00
F. Bass,	Bass'	(25 acres not laid off into lots)		1200	6 00
"	"	1	2	300	1 00
"	"	1	3	300	1 00
"	"	1	1 to 4	300	1 00
"	"	10	2 & 3	300	1 00
"	"	8	1 to 4	300	1 00
"	"	3	1 to 4	300	1 00
"	"	13	1 to 4	600	3 00
"	"	13	1 to 2	300	1 00
"	"	11	1 to 2	300	1 00
"	"	5	1 to 2	1200	6 00
Estate H. Bird,	McLemore's		35	400	2 00
"	M. & O. R. R.		13	200	1 00
H. E. Barnes,	Ragsdale's	52		250	1 25
"	"	57		200	1 00
"	"		House	200	1 00
R H Breckinridge,	"		"	200	1 00
Wm. Barber, fm.,	"	31	1 to 18	200	1 50
Bryson & Emanuel,	Ball's	9	8	100	50
"	"		9	150	75
Curry,	M. & O. R. R.	70	1&2	1600	5 00
Matt Calvert,	Ragsdale's		House	400	2 00
S A Cullen	"	94	11&12	1300	7 50
Mary A. Cox,	"	8	8, 9&10	300	1 50
A Calvert,	Ball's	8	6&11	300	1 50
"	"	33	13	150	75
Es't W F Crumpton,	"		95	3800	19 00
W H Cain, Sr.,	M. & O. R. R.	½ of	95	600	3 00
"	"		House	400	2 00
Mrs Clark,	"		11&12&14	1500	7 50
J H Clegg,	M. & O. R. R.	93	13&20	1800	9 00
Julia H Brinkman	Ragsdale's	70	7	300	1 50
Jno. Eldridge,	Ragsdale's		½ acres	1500	7 50
Es't Peter Enngel,	W H. Jackson,		1	1000	5 00
Es. "	Bass'		2	1000	5 00
"	"	2	2&3	1400	7 00
Froficstein & Ottenstein,	Ragsdale's			400	2 00
"	M. O. R. R.		14,15,16&17	3200	16 00
Wm Fox,	Ball's	23	7&8	100	50
M J N Filppen,	Linley's	103	10	1000	5 00
Wm Foy,	Ragsdale's		House	400	2 00
E F Green,	"	70	3&4	500	2 50
Charles Gray,	M. & O. R. R.		House	600	3 00
J C Higgins	"		36&37	600	3 00
Harkey & Rogers	Ragsdale's	43	17to 16	1200	6 00
Samuel Halsey,	do	102	20	2250	11 25
Horn, Stovall & Hooper,	"		house	100	50
T L Jackson,	"		do	1200	6 00
Jesse Johnson,	Ball's	36	7	100	50
Aaron Jones,	do	103	11	500	2 50
D F Jones,	Ball's	33	10	150	75
D. F. Jones,	McLemore's	1	4	600	3 00
W. C. Johnson,	Ball's	25		3000	15 00
Jones & Lisle,	M. & O. R. R.		89	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,	"		House	300	1 50
Wiley Jones,	"		"	600	3 00
Estate Chas Lang	Lang's (60 acres "unsurveyed")			13000	65 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,	1	3	1100	5 50
Rufus H Mitchel,	Ragsdale's	62	10	250	1 25
W H McRoy,	do			230	1 50
Mrs McDowell,	do			400	2 00
John Martin,	do		house	400	2 00
D Maynard,	Ball's	260×550 feet		2000	10 00
W Palmer,	M & O R R		38	500	2 50
M A Pullen,	do		34	700	3 50
W S Price,	do		133, 135, 137,		
			138, 140, 141,	1750	8 75
			142, 143		
Pierce & Edmondson,	do		134 and 136	600	3 00
Estate Jas Rodgers,	Ragsdale's	83	3, 4 and 7	750	3 75
R Y Rew,	do	house		1500	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ball's	22	8 and 9½	225	1 12
W R Richardson,	Ball's	34	13 to 16	1000	5 00
S T Smith,	Ball's	32	9	150	75
F Smideker,	M & O R R		9	250	1 25
W A Smith,	Lindley's	11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon	"	house		100	50
W L Sadler	"	do		900	4 50
Est. Hon. Snell,	McLemore's	4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R		13	250	1 25
"	Ball's	27		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,	"	house		500	2 50
T S Terry,	M & O R R		w½ of 10	100	50
W m Thames,	Ragsdale's	94	1, 2 & 8	1200	7 50
J M Tennell,	do	82		500	2 50
Threefoot & Warren,	do	99	14	1500	7 50
J W Tiner,	Ball's	16	7	750	3 75
Est. Chas Young,	Ragdale's	33	13 & 14	500	2 50
B B Wyndham	Ball's	30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
" Walker	M & O R R		131	1000	5 00
W H Wade,	do		40, 41	1250	6 25
Young & Brown,	"	house		1500	7 50
J W Young,	Bass'	3	1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Smith,	Lang's		134×300 feet	800	4 00
Mary Roberts,	Lindley's	12	2 & 4	200	1 00

Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. Where necessary, a more accurate description of the property advertised will be given on the day of sale.

JUNIUS MEANS, Assessor and Collector.

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Mail trains pass up at	8.17 P. M.
" " down at	9.30 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at	5.37 P. M.
" arrives at	6.30 A. M.
Freight train pass up at	6.10 P. M.
" " down	7.30 P. M.
" " "	8.35 A. M.
" " "	5.37 P. M.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leave	6.25 A. M.
" arrive	4.55 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves	6.50 A. M.
" arrives	6.45 P. M.
Freight trains arrive	11.15 A. M.
" "	2.3 P. M.
" depart	3.35 A. M.
" "	3.15 P. M.

Through trains East connect daily with the A. G. & N. R. R. trains going South, and with M. & O. R. R., Selma and Meridian R. R. at Meridian. Accommodation train West connects with A. G. & G. N. R. R. North and South. Accommodation train East connects with N. O. J. & G. N. R. R. South, Monday, Wednesdays, Fridays, and North, Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

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Gen. sup't.

Leave Grenada daily at 1.45 a. m. and 2.32 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6.45 a. m and 8.45 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points North.

Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 2 p. m. and 9.45 p. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. S. LYTLEMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

Starch Gloss, makes Old Linen look like new. 25 cents per box.

Imperial Blue, Best in the World. 10 cents per box.

Waters Magic Ointment.
for Sores, Burns, &c. 25 cents per box.

For sale by SMITH & ALFORD,
and J.NO. W. HARVEY.
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We have received a cotton stalk, on which there is a fully blown cotton flower, from the farm of Mr. W. H. Pankey, of this county. This speaks well for the "staple" in Lauderdale. All reports we get relative to crops, are encouraging—Cotton is growing rapidly, and corn promises an abundant yield.

A negro was arrested here the other day and lodged in jail, charged with having committed murder at Chester, South Carolina. The Sheriff of Chester, telegraphed that the necessary steps have been taken to secure his return to that place. He was recognized by Mr. Jones an engineer on the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

A number of important city ordinances will be found in to-day's paper. Read them, and govern yourself accordingly.

Seven hudjred and forty persons had registered yesterday, up to 12 o'clock. Of this number there were 457 blacks, and 283 whites.

We heard yesterday of a horrible tragedy that occurred at Enterprise, in Clarke County, on Tuesday. A man and his wife were killed outright with an axe, and their daughter dangerously wounded. The man who committed the deed, then killed himself and is not expected to recover.—We have no particulars and forbear giving names until something definite is ascertained.

Monday was observed as a festival by Masons throughout the United States—it being the anniversary of the birth of St. John the Baptist, one of the patron saints of the order. "St. John's Day" was duly celebrated by the Mystic Brotherhood, in the neighboring city of Shubuta.

SET LOVINGOOD'S YARNS.—We have received from the publisher's Messrs. Dick & Fitzgerald, New York, through Messrs. Putnam & Malone of Mobile, a copy of this amusing work. It is "schuck full" of humor and wit, and is just the thing to drive off the blues these sultry afternoons, when the mind naturally reverts to a depleted pocket, and the sad condition of our national affairs. To those who believe "'tis better to laugh than be sighing," we would say send down to Putnam & Malone, and get a copy of Set's yarns. A few passages might have been left out very well, but on the whole, we presume it is not any more defective than the great bulk of works now read by our people.

The original formula for the manufacture of the rare vegetable specific—Red Jacket Bitters, is rigidly adhered to. Its quality and proportions never vary—consequently its operation is uniform. Moreover, it does not deteriorate in any climate.

At a freedman's meeting in Greenville, Mississippi, a few days ago, William Murphy a sensible colored man defined his position in the following style: "I'se on de platform good for white or black: "I am in favor of all hands going to work and making plenty of cotton and keep less whiskey, and then all will go right. I tell you the South is the greatest country in the world. I now propose three cheers for the South."

BILLY WORRE—Lizzie Cady Stanton and Sue Anthony telegraph to the National State Convention: "Rise above mere parties; strike white male from your constitutions; make Kansas a genuine republic. Lead the nation and the world."

Correspondence from Ireland states positively that James Stephens had just paid a visit to Dublin, and returned to France after attempting to defend his country in a Fenian council in Dublin. There was no escape for the council. The letter states as a result of the Fenian movement, the United States will this year gain an abundant supply of the most valuable contraband labor from Ireland.

J. A. De Bouchel, F. Dubois, J. G. Backer and H. S. Dreyfus, partners in a livery stable business, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm will please call and settle their accounts with H. S. Dreyfus, who will continue the business at the old stand.

J. A. DE BOUCHEL,
F. DUBOIS,
J. G. BACKER,
H. S. DREYFUS.
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Letter from Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, June 18, 1867.

DEAR GAZETTE:—Do you have any warm weather in Meridian? If not, come up to Louisville! We almost melted the other day, but concluded it was the best to wait a little longer." Sunday we spent as usual, "going to Sunday School and Church.—In the afternoon we visited one of the most interesting schools, it has ever been our privilege to attend. There were over 300 scholars present, and the strictest order was observed in all the exercises. A better superintendent than Mr. Thos. Harvey we have never seen; nor a Sunday School more orderly and better conducted.

Being in search of provisions for our suffering poor, we determined to visit Cincinnati, and make a short tour back through Kentucky. Cincinnati has grown much since our visit before the war.—While we "decreased," like other parts of the North it "increased," at our expense, to some extent—but that is past now. We took a round or two through the business streets, and in the afternoon rode with friend to Spring Grove Cemetery, a beautiful place, beautifully laid out, with many splendid monuments and richly decorated "homes of the dead." On our route thither we passed by palatial residences of merchant princes, and wealthy contractors, made so, possibly, by the late war.—But we found philanthropists there; kind hearted people who feel sabstantially for the suffering South, and we hope to receive benefactions therefrom, ere many days.

A shower of rain was not unwelcome, and made a trip by rail from Covington to Lexington quite pleasant. We passed through old Bourbon, and other highly cultivated portions of the country, presenting almost the appearance of continuous gardens. Covington is a place of considerable importance now, and must contain 12,000 to 15,000 inhabitants. Lexington was a larger place than we expected to see. It has already about ten thousand inhabitants, and is increasing in population, wealth and importance. It must be a delightful place for a residence.

Of course we found Louisville where a great many good things were spread in abundance before a good many guests, for all of which a good price had to be paid. As none of those at which we happened to put up, advertise in the Gazette, it may be as well to write their names. You have advertisers among the merchants of Louisville, however, and some of these we called upon in a social sort of way, as they showed themselves to be liberal minded, social fellows.

The South-western Relief Commission of Louisville, gives us one hundred sacks of corn for the destitute of our region, while the Baptist Southern Relief Association, which has already forwarded 200 sacks, have sent 198 more, and propose furnishing further supplies. Our people should never forget the generous sympathy and substantial aid rendered by the citizens of Kentucky, to the devastated South. Some private firms of this city have done much outside of committees; among others, we mention Messrs. Jos. Morton & Co., and Messrs. J. B. Wilder & Co. We hope to report other contributions next week. D.

The Exemption Laws.

Here is a complete list of all the property which is now by the laws of Mississippi exempt from seizure and from sale under execution or attachment:

The tools of a mechanic necessary for carrying on his trade, and five hundred dollars worth of material used in his business;

The implements of a laborer necessary in his usual employment;

The books of a student required for the completion of his education;

The Wearing Apparel of every person;

The Libraries of all persons;

Saddles and Bridles suitable for the necessary use of the family;

The Instruments of surgeons and dentists used in their profession;

The Arms and accoutrements of each and every white person;

All Globes, Pictures and Scientific Apparatus, Books and Maps used by teachers of schools, academies and colleges and in families by the heads thereof;

One Sewing Machine for each family;

One Wagon and one Cart or Carry Log;

Every head of a family or person having a person and a house keeper reside in or any incorporated city, town or village;

$2000 worth of real and personal property, comprising household and kitchen and other buildings therewith connected, and such household and kitchen furniture as shall be selected by such or may select in lieu of the farm land and tenanting stock and implements, if by agreement between the parties, and also one year's provision for the family and forage for the stock so selected;

One year's supply of provisions necessary for the family and the hands employed on the farm and forage for the teams and stock of ever kind herein exempted.

The property above exempted, "upon the death of the husband, descends to the widow as the head of the family, during widowhood, and to the children as heads of household and children; and in the event of her marriage or death, descends in like manner to the children as heads of household and children; and in the event of her marriage or death, descends in like manner to the children as heads of household and children;" (See Acts 1856, page 387, section 3.)

The homestead of two hundred and twenty-one, 221, power and sufficient to grant to the head of the family to sell the real and personal estate belonging to his property so sold and conveyed, being free from the claim of creditors, and to invest the proceeds in other lands and personal property.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

AUGUSTA, June 22.—It is feared that the heavy and contiguous rains for the week will seriously injure the wheat and other crops. The rain has been general throughout the State of Georgia and South Carolina—in some places has been nothing done in cotton.

The number of voters registered at the precincts in the outskirts of the city reached 743, of which 580 were colored and 163 whites. Registration begins in the city Monday next.

CHARLESTON, June 22.—The Grand Jury to-day, after receiving a special charge from Judges Moses, indicted Trescot, and concerned in the late fatal duel, for murder. The trial is expected to occur next week.

The planters report that the incessant and heavy rains for the last five days have materially injured the cotton along the seaboard.

NEW YORK, June 22.—A special to the New York Post from Washington says that Gen. Sickles will probably not be removed, as requested.

PHILADELPHIA, P. L. June 22.—The President's trip is one continued ovation. No speeches are being made. He is the guest of the Governor, and was invited the Private Sec. Seward and Gen. Rosseau also share the honors.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—The proceedings in Surratt's case are mostly confined to details as to the attack on the Seward family. Nothing published or new in testimony developed. The defence again insisted upon recalling the prosecution witnesses for cross examination, claiming that two were corrupt and that two were indicted as felons. The Court again took matters under advisement, and adjourned.

The following order was issued to-day:

WAR DEPARTMENT, ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 20, 1867.—Whereas several commanders of Military Districts created by Acts of Congress have shown a misconception of powers expressed doubts as to the proper construction thereof, and in respect to some of their powers and duties have not fully complied and have applied to the Executive for information in relation thereto; and whereas the said Acts of Congress have been referred to the Attorney General for his opinion thereon, and the said opinion of the Attorney General have been fully and carefully considered by the President in conference with the heads of the respective Departments; the President accepts the following as a practical interpretation of the aforesaid Acts of Congress on the points therein presented, and directs the same to be transmitted to the respective Military Commanders for their information, in order that there may be uniformity in the execution of said acts—Here follows the 10 points of the Attorney General's summary adopted by the Cabinet, and telegraphed on the 20th inst.]

(Signed) E. D. TOWNSEND,
Asst. Adjt. General.

The following letter from Gen. Sickles, has been addressed to the Adjutant General:

"I have the honor to request that I may be relieved from command in the 5th district, and I respectfully demand a court of inquiry upon my official actions, that I may vindicate myself from the accusations of the Attorney General, published (it is presumed), with the approbation of the President. Congress having declared the so-called State Governments illegal, the opinion of the Attorney-General that military authority has not been established there prevents the execution of the reconstruction acts, and the murder of negroes to effect life, property or the rights of citizens, and murders all interests in these States with impunity."

SAVANNAH, GA., June 22.—A terrific storm has raged here since 5 o'clock this morning. Great damage to crops have been uprooted, and private property badly damaged. Several vessels were blown from their moorings, but mostly received only slight damage. The steamer Annies, is reported as having sustained considerable damage.

PESTH, June 21.—In the lower House of the Hungarian Diet M. Bernuth, demanded that the Government introduce the bills for the emancipation of the Jews from civil and political disabilities.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—The State Department has information through Consul-general Beckwith that the two hundred and twenty-four United States exhibitors at Paris, two hundred and sixty-two have received prizes, viz: Four grand medals, seventeen gold, sixty-two silver, one hundred and three bronze medals. Seventy-nine exhibitors received honorable mention.

NEW ORLEANS, June 21.—Queretaro dates of the 8th, San Luis dates of the 11th, and Montgomery dates of the 19th, have been received via Galveston.

It is reported that on the 8th Marquez learned of the sale of Queretaro by Lopez, he opened the documents left with him by Maximilian. Among them he found one in which he abdicated in favor of young Iturbide. Marquez immediately proclaimed Iturbide Emperor. He also arrested thirty Liberal Generals, who are held as hostages for Maximilian and companions.

No authoritative denial of the Emperor's proclamation has been received. It is still believed to be genuine. It is stated that Maximilian's counsel had been refused thirty days preparation for trial. It is stated that Maximilian had been sentenced—also, rumored that he had been executed, but nothing authentic.

Maximo Campo, had not been shot as stated, but was murdered while laying dangerously wounded in his bed.

Miramon and Mejia are still in prison at Queretaro.

By the last mail it is reported that Marquez had commenced executing the hostages—he had shot two, names not given.

The death of Mendez has been confirmed.

All the foreign prisoners are en route to Montgomery and Iturbide's 5,000—Austrians, Belgians and French.

FORTRESS MONROE, June 24.—The U. S. steamer Wyandotte arrived from Hampton Roads to-day with 40 odd cases of yellow fever. The epidemic developed after leaving Manhattanas. Jos. Cunningham died unmistakably of black vomit. Most of the cases are considered out of danger.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Several new postoffices have been opened in the South. The Department is perfecting the service as speedily as possible.

Dr. Jas. F. May, who removed the tumor from Booth's neck, and Dr. Merritt, who identified Booth's dead body on the monitor at the Navy Yard.

NEW YORK, June 24.—John Schmidt, 63 years old, cut his throat to-day after attempting to kill his former mistress.

BOSTON, June 24.—The city is decked in gala costume. The entire population appear determined on a grand holiday. Business is suspended. The inhabitants of the suburbs and thousands of people from hundreds of miles distant crowd the sidewalks, doorsteps and windows of the principal streets available point from which a view of the grand procession can be had. The President Johnson is to take part, can be obtained. The masonic procession will consist of nine thousand Masons.

AUGUSTA, June 24.—A party of convicts attempted to escape from the penitentiary at Milledgeville, on Sunday night. Several were wounded and the balance recaptured.

Gen. G. R. Giddings, late U. S. L. commanding post at Savannah, died suddenly at Macon, on Saturday. He was a son of Hon. J. R. Giddings of Ohio.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—H. Johnson, who killed Booth was to-day presented with a gold medal by Secretary Stanton for the heroic act.

Secretary Seward has received a letter from Napoleon, in which he says he has never seen such a crop prospect in France as at present. The harvest will be unusually early.

The Tribune says, Gen. Sheridan writes a letter to Gen. Grant which has all the directions of a great soldier.

Gen. Sickles writes a letter, addressed to Hon. Henry Wilson, chairman of the Military Committee of the United States Senate, which he signs D. E. Sickles, Major General commanding, setting forth the inadequacy of the appropriation for reconstruction, and concluding as we have the honor to suggest for your consideration the fact of your colleagues as well, that the interests of the public service require without delay, a further appropriation to execute the acts of Congress for the government of the rebel States.

This morning's Herald says: A corps of thirty stump orators have been turned loose upon the Southern States by the Union Congressional Republican Committee, twenty of whom are colored—fifteen speakers go charged with the strongest kind of republican logic—with instructions from the Congressional Committee and with the determination not to return even one of the smallest villages to escape the fate of the political advice. Reinforcements to this corps are being equipped and recruited daily, and another detachment of orators will wind their way southward in a few days.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Admiral Farragut, by telegram, has been invited the President and party on their return to an exhibition on the Hudson, down to New York harbor. Secretary Seward, for the President declined.

The great Summit Tunnel of the Sierras, on the California end of the Pacific road, is to be 1,600 feet long, had generally been considered as a locked upon three or four years' job; but, putting in practice the underground tactics their engineers had taught them, our California friends set to work at both ends, but sunk a shaft in the middle and worked both ways from that. The tunnel was commenced in September, and on the first of May had but 681 feet remaining to be taken out. This was distributed at the rate of sixty feet each week, which promises to have it completed in August—eleven months from the start.

The Louisville Courier, referring to the new trial recently granted to Gen. Buckner, says its effect will be to restore to that gentleman his property. This is the first case brought up under the Kentucky Amnesty act of last winter, which provides and prevents suits being brought against officers and soldiers of either army for any acts performed under military compulsion, or by color of military authority.

An exchange makes the following statement in reference to the property of Savannah: "Savannah has the second rank as a cotton port along the whole coast. She has surpassed Mobile the last season by nine thousand bales in receipts, and has received one hundred thousand bales more than Charleston."

A CHALLENGE.—Chauncey Burr has written a letter to Wendell Phillips, inviting him to a discussion of the surgeon's capacity for self-government. He says:

"I have very great pains, and with unfaltering devotion to the cause of truth, searched over the whole globe for an instance where the emancipation of a subjugated race under the power of negro slavery has not resulted in the ruin of both races."

The Montgomery Mail nominates Millard Fillmore and Franklin Pierce as candidates for the United States Senate from Alabama, in the event of "reconstruction."

Mrs. Gov. Eyre has received a bracelet of gold and diamonds from her husband's admirers.

Cows are pasturing in the burnt district of Charleston, S. C.

Mr. Richard Mason, of Natchez, died last Sunday, aged 57.

HD. QRS. 4TH MILITARY DISTRICT
Vicksburg, Miss., June 18th, 1867.

CIRCULAR.

General Orders No. 12. current series, from these Headquarters, relating to the sales of land under cultivation, and the stock and farming utensils used thereon, is not intended to apply to writs or process issued by the United States Courts, nor will it affect, in any manner, the directing any interference whatever with the proceedings of those Courts.

By command of Brevet Maj. Gen. Ord:
JOHN TYLER.
1st Lieut. 45d U. S. Infantry,
Acting Asst. Adj. General.
HUGH G. BURN,
1st Lieut. U. S. Infantry,
Abt-de-camp.

LOCAL MARKET.

Store Prices of Articles at Meridian, Miss.

CORRECTED BY A MERCHANT.
MERIDIAN GAZETTE OFFICE,
June 26, 1867.

AXES—Collins	$1 75 @—2 00
Reynolds	$ 2-00 @—
BACONS—Ky.	₱ yd. 40 @ 36
India	₱ yd. 35 @ —
BACON—Hams	₱ lb. 20 @ 18
Sides	₱ lb. 21½@ —
Country sds.	₱ lb. 15 @ —
West. cl.	₱ lb. 14 @ 15
" rib	₱ lb. 13 @ 14
Shoulders	₱ lb. 14½@ —
BEER—per bott.	₱ doz. 5 @ 6
Corn fed	₱ lb. 7 @ 8
BUTTER—Goshen	₱ lb. 50 @ —
Western	₱ lb. 40 @ —
BROOMS	₱ each 50 @ 75
BUCKETS	₱ each 50 @ 75
COTTON—Mid.	₱ lb. 21 @ 24
CASTINGS	₱ lb. 10 @ —
CORN	₱ bu. $1 70 @ 1 75
COFFEE	₱ lb. 28½@ 30
CHICKENS	₱ doz. $4 80 @ $5 00
EGGS	₱ doz. 25 @ 30
FLOUR—Ch. I.	₱ bbl $18 00 @ 19
Double ex.	₱ bbl. $16 00 @ —
Superfine I.	₱ bbl. $14 00 @ 15 00
LARD	₱ lb. 16 @ 18
MOLASSES—La.	₱ gal. 90 @ 1 25
Syrup	₱ gal. 1 75 @ —
MACKEREL	₱ bbl. 23 @ —
Kits	₱ bbl. $3 64 @ 4 00
NAILS	₱ lb. 10 @ 12½
OIL—Linseed	₱ gal. 2 25 @ —
PORK—on foot	₱ lb. 10 @ 12½
POWDER	₱ lb. 75 @ —
PUTTY	₱ lb. 25 @ —
RICE	₱ lb. 15 @ —
POTATOES—Irish	₱ bbl. 6 00 @ 8 00
Sweet	₱ bu. 75 @ 1 25
SALT	₱ sck $ 3 00 @ —
SUGAR—Crush	₱ lb. 25 @ —
Louisiana	₱ lb. 14 @ 18
Loaf	₱ lb. 20 @ —
Lump	₱ lb. 30 @ 28
Brown	₱ lb. 20 @ —
Dripp	₱ lb. 30 @ —
SOAP	₱ lb. 20 @ —
SHOT	₱ bag $ 1 60 @ 1 75
TOBACCO	₱ lb. 1 @ 1 50
WHISKEY	₱ gal. 3 @ 3 50

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will, in accordance with orders from Head Quarters 4th Military District, and subsequent orders and instructions promulgated, for the purpose of registering voters, hereinafter named, convene "to investigate the mere efficient government of the Rebel States."

Meridian,	Saturday,	June 15, '67,	remain 10 days,
Marion,	Monday,	July 1,	6 days,
Lauderdale,	Friday,	July 5,	6 days,
Enon,	Monday,	" 15,	3 days,
Daleville,	Saturday,	" 20,	3 days,
Bailey's,	Wednesday,	" 24,	3 days,
Hastings's,	Monday,	" 29,	3 days,
Collinsville,	Friday,	Aug. 2,	3 days,
Chunkeyville,	Monday,	" 5,	3 days,
Enon,	Friday,	" 9,	3 days,
Toomsuba,	Monday,	" 12,	3 days,
Columbia,	Friday,	" 16,	3 days,
Why Not,	Friday,	" 23,	3 days,
Archusa,	Monday,	" 26,	3 days,

Office hours from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 12 M., and from 4 P. M. to 7 P. M.

Citizens generally are respectfully requested to give publicity to this notice. All who are entitled under the act of Congress to vote, are asked to remember this opportunity to register. Employers of freedmen are requested to facilitate their attendance at the Board. The hands will require a day for registration, and it is desirable that all classes entitled to vote should be present at or in attendance at the places and times appointed.

W. H. CAMPBELL,
A. SLOAN,
JAS. M. SMALLY,
Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

City Ordinances.

[No. 32.]

An Ordinance prohibiting flight vehicles from riding upon the foot walks.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Meridian, That it shall not be lawful for any driver of any buggy, carriage, cart, or light carriage within the corporate limits, to leave the same loose or by itself, except in case of fastening the same to a post or hitching rail, or in case of being detained by necessary in the discharging of and receiving their loads.

Be it further ordained, That any person violating the provisions of this Ordinance, upon conviction, shall be fined in a sum not less than one nor more than twenty-five dollars.

Be it further ordained, That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

J. C. LLOYD, Clerk.

[No. 33.]

An ordinance to repeal an ordinance, entitled an ordinance to regulate the market, passed December 5th, 1866.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That all ordinances, entitled an ordinance to regulate the Market, passed August 6th, 1866, be annulled by striking out the second section of said ordinance.

Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
MAYOR.

J. C. Lloyd, Clerk.

[No. 34.]

An ordinance for the security of the city against fire, passed January 17, 1867.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That hereafter it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, to keep in the city limits any other inflammable materials; chimney, within that portion of town comprised within the following limits, to wit: between Front and Washington Avenue, east and west, and Sixth and Seventh streets, north and south.

Be it further ordained, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to run any stove pipe through walls or roofs, must extend beyond, or above said walls or roofs, at least three feet, and that all violations by any person or persons violating the provisions of this ordinance, upon conviction, shall be fined in a sum not less than five, nor more than fifty dollars.

Be it ordained, That this ordinance be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
MAYOR.

J. C. Lloyd, Clerk.

[No. 35.]

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled An ordinance in regard to Hotel Porters, passed February 25, 1867.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That ordinance No. 13, entitled An ordinance in regard to Hotel Porters, passed February 25, 1867, be and the same is hereby repealed, and hereafter it shall not be lawful for any porter to go nearer than twenty feet of any train of cars, until all passengers thereon shall have left the same.

Be it further ordained, That no hotel be allowed more than two porters to represent it at any one train.

Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

J. C. Lloyd, Clerk.

[No. 36.]

An ordinance adopting Robertson & Curtis's Survey, Map and plan of the city, passed March 2nd, 1867.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, That the Survey Map and plan of the City of Meridian, as shown by Messrs. Robertson & Curtis, of August 1st, 1865, be by this Board adopted, so far as regards Avenues, Streets, Alleys, and public squares of said city, except that Mississippi Street shall be established as an 80 feet street, and not 60 feet as shown by said map.

2nd. That this ordinance be in force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

J. C. Lloyd, Clerk.

[No. 37.]

An ordinance in regard to the selling of real estate for its taxes, passed May 7th, 1867.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Meridian, That land or real estate is sold for city its taxes, and there is no higher amount bid than the taxes for which the land is seized and sold, the Collector shall knock it off to the city, and so deed it.

Be it further ordained, That this ordinance be in force from and after its passage.

Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

J. C. Lloyd, Clerk.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

MERIDIAN, Miss., June 17, 1867.

In accordance with a Resolution passed by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Capt. Geo. Blewett, Col. Wm. Russell gentlemen are hereby appointed, and will constitute a Board of Health for this City, and that a Sanitary Committee be appointed, viz: Aldermen Hart, Smith and Bush, and Drs. Jno. R. Kirkland and Wm. H. Burton. In view of the approaching sickly season it is requested that all citizens keep their premises in a clean condition, and are advised to freely scatter lime and other disinfectants, as a preventative of disease.

The Board will visit the premises of citizens, and make such suggestions, as may in their opinion, conduce conducive to health.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

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OFFICE MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD CO.
MERIDIAN, Miss., June 18, 1867.

ON and after Sunday next, the 16th inst., the Accommodation Train leaving Mobile at 4.37 p. m., on Sunday, and leaving Meridian at 6.37 p. m. on same day, will be discontinued.

L. FLEMING,
Chief Engineer and Gen'l Sup't.
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

WOMAN'S INFLUENCE.—Man has no power to resist the silent eloquence with which sweet soft blandishments and sweeter smiles speak to the warm and generous heart. Her vocation is to do good, and her presence adds a halo of glory by gladdening the dejected, comforting the distressed and strewing flowers in the pathway of man. And shall we fail to respond to her wants? Then rouse and you will behold the misery depicted among the sickly females of your acquaintance. Go, go with lightning's speed and tell them to use English Female Bitters and be cured.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE.
United States Internal Revenue,
2d District of Mississippi,
BRANDON, June 10th, 1867.

To the Tax Payers of this District:

You are hereby notified that, agreeably to the 19th Section of the Revenue Laws, I will proceed to hear, at this office, all and any appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations made by the Assessor or Assistant Assessors in said District, returned in their annual lists on hand on Saturday the 22d, 23d, 24th and 25th days of June, 1867.

THOMAS S. WHITE,
Assessor 2d District of Miss.
June 11—wtd.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed by D. M. Barkley, on the 30th of May, 1867, to the undersigned, to secure a certain note due to Lewis A. Engelsby, of Meridian, and recorded in the office of the Probate Clerk in Lauderdale, Miss., in deed book M. pages 73 and 74, the undersigned as trustees, will on the first Monday in August next, 1867, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property in the city of Meridian, to wit: Lots no. 13 and 14 in square 52, in the city of Meridian, according to the Engelsby survey, and to which reference is made to the purchasers as trustees, conveying such title as is vested in them conditionally.—The title we believe to be perfect.

J. J. SHANNON,
D. M. BARKLEY.
Meridian, June 22d, 1867. 1tw.

DR. N. B. KENNEDY, THOS. H. KENNEDY,
Meridian, Miss. Sumner Co., Ala.

N. B. & T. H. KENNEDY.

Wholesale and Retail Druggists,

CORNER HALE AND SIDNEY STREETS,
MERIDIAN, MISS.

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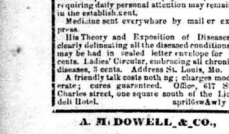

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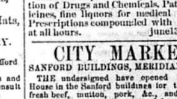

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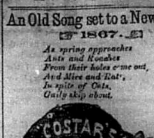

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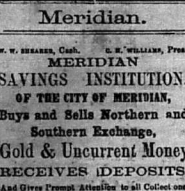

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Letter from Louisville, Ky.

LOUISVILLE, June 17, 1867.

DEAR GAZETTE:—The country between Lexington and Louisville, is also in a high state of cultivation. We saw many beautiful farms, with fields of rich clover and green blue grass, while here and there long rows of corn appeared, though scarcely over a foot high. But the prospects of a fair crop are favorable, and if rains do not come in sufficient profusion to engender rust the wheat will soon be ripe and full for harvest.

There are two railroads starting out from this point, the Louisville & Nashville and the Louisville, Frankfort & Lexington. Another is under contract to Cincinnati, and is to be in operation within two years. Not many years ago the population of this city was reckoned at 40,000, but now it is estimated at 125,000. Improvements are still in progress too, while property is at least nominally appreciating in value day by day. Rents are high; the kind that rented for $100 per annum before the war, now command $600 to $700, and some that brought only $300, now rent for $1,200, etc. This state of things can not always exist.

Traversing the principal streets are lines of city railroads, which are well patronized, and like similar institutions in other places, the stock pays well. Some of these days there will likely be cars running through our narrow avenues and irregular streets. Then a trip to the Fortest Cemetery will be not only pleasant, but quite a fashionable deed.

Who can tell the future of Meridian? With the railroads all completed that are to centre there, and the numerous factories put into operation that are contemplated, it is bound to be a point of great importance. The western buildings will then have given away to neat brick and massive edifices; and the shade trees will have attained reasonable proportions. No place is improving more rapidly; so the day looked forward to may not be so far distant as many imagine. A healthy location, good water, and an enterprising people, with the advantages of railroad communication possessed by Meridian, will certainly make it a large inland city.

But it is too bad to inflict you with such a long digression. To return to Louisville. Let us take a look at the new Court House; it is a splendid structure, and quite large, but it is unnecessary to give the dimensions, though it may be as well to remark that it is not a square. Suppose we walk in and take a view of that costly statute of Henry Clay, so recently erected there.

Education is held in high esteem. The public schools are said to be excellent, and the private schools are not behind them.—School books are published here by Jno. P. Morton & Co., and are not only used in the city schools, but generally now in our region. We met Prof. Towne to-day; he is preparing other books; but you advertise them. Your Col. Shannon is quite popular, and is often inquired after. Tell him that the position of the Gazette, politically, is conceded by thinking men here to be the wisest and best under the circumstances. There, "times up." D.

Dr. Harmon's Defense.

ENTERPRISE, June 27, 1867.

MESSRS. EDITORS OF THE GAZETTE:—Since my return home, your paper was placed in my hands, containing personal reflections upon myself, and I deem it proper and just, to claim a short reply to your strictures.

I confess that I was not a little surprised that you should condemn by wholesale the position which I assumed in a speech at Galva.

I have made it my special business for four or five months past, to inquire into and seek to relieve the destitution existing in this section of the State.

My stock-in-trade of observation has been altogether different from yours, as I do not suppose you have made it a specialty to hunt up and relieve the destitute.

You take offense, and pour out your condemnation upon me because I called for, and collected second hand clothing to relieve those, who from absolute want, are not able to purchase goods and clothing, representing me as indulging in exaggerated statements, which were false.

Now Sir, what are the real facts in the case. We have an immense list of registered families, being in Clarke, Jasper and Lauderdale counties, who for months past have been drawing second hand clothing and provisions from the Relief Committee at this place.

You seem to think it an insult to our people, and a disgrace to offer them such things, that there was no necessity for it.

For your information I will state, that *five or six large dry goods boxes of first class second hand clothing* (not worthless rags) have already been distributed to these destitute families, and what is sad indeed, we have not as yet been able, with all my efforts, to meet the increasing demands upon us for more of the same sort.

Besides this, thousands of pounds of meat, and bushels of corn have been distributed, and since I commenced this writing, numerous calls have been made for clothing and provisions, they having come six and ten miles from this place.

Now, if you will permit me to put this matter to a severe test, and open your columns without let or hindrance to the publication of certificates from those who have been relieved, and are now receiving relief in the Counties named, we can refer you to you in batches of twenty-five or fifty, until you shall cry out, hold! enough! and then we may satisfy you of existing want and destitution.

As you have, however, questioned my statements in the matter, I will now refer you to Col. James Wood, of Clarke county, and Judge G. W. Ryan, of Jasper county, for information in their neighborhoods, and the positive want and suffering.

I also refer you to Col. Watts, of Forest station, who plead with me to endeavor to county in our list, and spoke feelingly, on the subject.

I likewise refer you to Capt. T. Woodward, and Dr. D. W. Marsh, of this place.

Now, Mr. Editor, I refer you to all these gentlemen, old and reliable citizens, as you have discredited my statements.

I am responsible, and will stand by any speech that I have made in any place where I have solicited help, but I will not be answerable for any editorials that have appeared on this subject.

J. W. HARMON,
Agt. S. Relief.

Letter from Judge Ryan.

GREEN VALLEY, Jasper Co.)
Miss., June 24, 1867. (

Dear Gazette: I see in your paper of the 19th inst., a call urging upon your subscribers in the counties of Lauderdale, Clarke, Jasper and Newton, to send you the facts in reference to the want of provisions and clothing in those counties. You further state that you are really suffering for the necessaries of life, can obtain relief in the statement of their condition and call for it made known.

As I have been acting as a sub-agent in the northwest portion of Jasper county, in the distribution of a portion of the corn brought, or sent to Enterprise by Dr. Harmon, and have consequently some knowledge in this portion of the county, and from reliable information received from different portions of the county, I find that some parts of the county are in a more destitute condition even than this, for the reason that they live further from Enterprise, and have no facilities to get it home, even were it there for them. With the knowledge that I have in relation to this matter, I feel called upon as one of the subscribers of your valuable paper to make a full and clear statement of facts in relation to the destitute condition of many of the citizens of this county. I can think of no duty more painful to me than that of representing my neighborhood and friends in their true condition, as to their wants and necessities, (but duty before pleasure). It is useless to state to you Sir, the fact that the people in this part of the country but year, you are as well acquainted with the facts as I or any person can be. I will therefore simply state the fact that the people have not been able to procure provisions enough, therefore it has left those who had families and very little or stock in a deplorable condition and that is the case with many in this county.—Some having been able to obtain scanty allowances, have divided by the half—others by the third, and in a few cases, with those that have money and by that means have kept many from suffering, (that be I mean for bread stuff has been out of the question). Now, sir, just think of the number of widows, who were made so by the ruthless hand of war, left from one to a half dozen children, whose husband and father gave his life as well for them in his time, who never knew what it was to want for the necessaries of life. I say sir, that I for one, have been living upon a scanty allowance of dry bread and water and nothing else, and that too not only for one week but for months, and even months together. Some may conclude that this is an exaggerated statement, but I tell you it is not, I know it to be literally true, as only in one or two cases, but in many. I stated at the outset, that I was a sub-agent to distribute corn to the destitute. I was associated with Dr. Hiller, of the firm of Marsh & Hiller, at Enterprise, to establish him with the names of the destitute in my portion of the county, which I accordingly did. I then stated to him, that I would, small, has done a great deal of good. It is now gone, and there is no more at Enterprise for them. I was informed by Mr. Hiller a day or two ago, that probably there would be no more corn there. If this should be the case, and there comes no help from any other quarter, a vast amount of suffering is bound to follow. Crops are generally late in this part of the country, but look very promising, corn especially, but it will be at least two months before any hope can be obtained from the fields, and many poor widows have no fields to which to look to even then. Nothing can be done to alleviate the distresses of the suffering poor, it would be thankfully received, and doubly repaid by the prayers and tears of the bereaved widow and fatherless children, many of whom are not able to earn a living without help. As for clothing the most of them can make out if they can get cotton to spin, or could get spun thread they can clothe their children. Something to eat is what they want, and something to eat they must have, or extreme hunger must be the fate of many. May God help the distressed.

G. W. RYAN.

The potato bug is destroying the growing potato crop in some parts of Iowa and in Rock River region of Illinois.—The pestiferous insects swarm over the potato fields like locusts, and literally destroy the plants.

In St. Louis, a negro woman has commenced a suit against the Missouri S road Company for putting her out of the cars.

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BANKRUPT FORMS AND BLANKS.

We have received an official copy of the rules and orders, together with the forms and proceedings in Bankruptcy, as promulgated by the Supreme Court of the United States, and are now printing a large number of blank petitions in Bankruptcy.

The petition, with the necessary schedules makes twelve pages. They will be printed in good style, on the finest quality of cap paper, and in strict conformity to the law. We intend printing immediately all the blanks used in Bankrupt proceedings, and will furnish them to Attorneys and others on the most reasonable terms.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

REGISTRATION IN LOWNDES.—The Columbus Sentinel says registration in Lowndes, stands, whites 561, blacks 1818.

In Newton county, up to date, 315 whites, and 223 blacks have registered.

There is no genuine antagonism of interests or duties dividing the North and South at present. It is the remnant of passion and prejudice, engendered by the war, that is clogging reconstruction on both sides. Violent designs and selfish purposes have irritated many of our people, and they do not work as willingly for reconstruction as the good of the country demands. But when the great interests of the South are properly estimated, we think enough sober and calculating men will throw their influence into the contest to place the capital, energies and industry of the country upon such a footing as will command permanency, steadiness and assurances of reliable returns to the honorable and honest exertions of all classes in the various pursuits of life.

The residence of Col. R. C. Jordan, at Tibbee, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning about daylight. The fire broke out in the kitchen, which building, together with the store room and the residence, was destroyed. Loss between three and four thousand dollars. Origin—carelessness of some of the servants.

The fallacious letters of Gov. Perry, of South Carolina, fail to inflicate the time when we may look for the reaction which is to tumble radicalism from power, place the government in Democratic hands, and give to the South all the rights she enjoyed in former days, barring the right to hold negroes as property; nor do these letters advise us by what *hocus pocus* we are to retain the present military government, if the convention is now voted down and the States reconstructed, by an edict of Congress, ninety or one hundred days afterwards, on a strictly loyal basis—none voting save those prepared to gulp down the ironclad without any qualms of conscience. If Gov. Perry wishes his views carried out he had better begin by establishing elemosynary institutions all over the South. Guarantee the people something to eat and wear and they may be willing to endure the vexation and turmoil incident to the policy of "masterly inactivity."

Some of our friends are vacillating, not being able to decide whether 'tis best to register or not register—vote or not vote. For us the position and the path are plain. That which the war settled is irreversible, and we should cast no lingering looks behind. We must be winning laurels in the great work of reconstruction, bridging the cruel gulf that severs the sections, so as to be able to restore the country to prosperity. We should move straight forward on the road to restoration, under the law, looking neither to the right hand nor to the left. It is the true policy. Have a steadfast purpose, and put a stop to any further evil that radicalism may have rolled up to visit upon us in the future.

Our disfranchised citizens look to those still permitted to vote for relief. They expect them to go forward, every man, and become qualified to vote when the proper time comes. The best interests of the country, and the best interests of the leaders of the war who are proscribed on account of the influence they wielded in behalf of the Southern cause, appeal to us for assistance. This can only be done by putting yourself in a condition say who shall be elected, and who is deserving of a Constitution we

On a recent Sunday, some negro soldiers took possession of the seats in the Church on New Bourne, La., whereupon the Clergyman announced that the building was the property of the and left the building

Dr. Harmon Again.

We ask attention to the letter of Dr. Harmon, and also to the communication of Judge Ryan, in reference to the suffering in Jasper County.—We have no doubt there is considerable distress in this part of the State, and we think an appeal should be made to the Relief Societies of Cairo and other cities for corn and meat, and not for old shoes and cast away clothing, which are not wanted. Dr. Harmon says he is responsible for his speech, bitt not for the editorials of the Cairo Democrat. The Democrat based the article to which we referred on the authority of Dr. Harmon, and if it misrepresented him, should be called upon by Dr. H. to make the correction. Our people owe a debt of gratitude to the citizens of Cairo, Memphis, St. Louis, and those cities who have given from their abundance to relieve the distress of the South, but it is a plain duty that those who ask their charity, should not exaggerate or misrepresent the condition of our poor.

We felt mortified that such appeals had been made, as would be inferred from the article in the Democrat, and for that reason called attention to it.

We wish Dr. Harmon well in his efforts to obtain supplies for the destitute, but still insist that "old clothing" is not what the people need. Our columns will be open "without stint" to publish certificates of what he has done, or may hereafter do to help the needy. As he represents Lauderdale and Newton, as well as Clarke and Jasper, we would like especially to know what Lauderdale and Newton have received for their part of his acquisitions.

The World Moves.

The telegraph informed us the other day that the President had instructed Gen. Sheridan to extend the time of registration in Louisiana, until the first of August next, unless he had some "good reason to the contrary," and ordered him to report such reasons for confirmation. The President also declared, that, in *his* judgment, this extension of time was "necessary to" a full and fair registration, and that the time should be thus extended because the other district commanders will not get through before that time." In response to this dispatch, Gen. Sheridan telegraphs to Gen. Grant as follows:

My reasons for closing the registration in this city were because I had given the city two and a half months, and there were no more to register. I have given the State two and a half months, and registration will be exhausted by that time. I did not feel warranted in keeping up boards of registration at large expense to suit new issues coming in at the eleventh hour.

The registration will be completed in Louisiana at the time specified, unless I am ordered to carry out the law under Mr. Stanbery's interpretation, which practically, in registration, is opening a broad macademized road for perjury and fraud to travel on! I do not see why my registration should be dependent on the time when other district commanders get through. I have given the State two and a half months, and registration will be exhausted by that time. I did not feel warranted in keeping up boards of registration at large expense to suit new issues coming in at the eleventh hour.

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This dispatch, we see, has created a great sensation in Washington, and well it may. We are drifting rapidly from the old established lines of courtesy and respect, when a man like Sheridan can use the impertinence contained in the above dispatch, with perfect impunity. Ten years ago such a telegram would have cost him his commission.

The war proclaimed that the people of the United States should be one, and the Northern people will never rest until the question is settled to their satisfaction. The South is helpless, and cannot expect to make any formidable resistance. The country is to be reconstructed as the dominant party wish, entirely regardless of our ideas of "right."—Why oppose these measures when we know such resistance only adds to our poverty, perpetuates mean tyrannies, and elevates a class that will show us no quarter when they get in power. Let us stand together and accept the situation as we find it, and make the best of the unfortunate condition the God of war has left us in. Hurry up reconstruction to give your neighborhood peace, and enable you to till the soil and enjoy its bounteous products.

Sound Argument.

The Southern Opinion, edited by H. Rives Pollard, of Richmond, Va., one of the most talented and vigorous political writers of the South, in an article on the *duty of the South*, comes out squarely for reconstruction under the Military bill. In alluding to the distress occasioned by the war, the unsettled political condition of the country and the failure of the crops, Mr. Pollard says:

From these causes the stagnation which is the forerunner of approaching dissolution has palsied the South and now hangs like a black pall over our future. *A continuance of the present state of things will soon cause grass to grow in the principal streets of our great cities, our plantations will become jungles and wildernesses, our young men will fly from the blasted and desolated section and our trade and commerce will absolutely perish.* All observant, intelligent and reflecting men feel that if we remain out of the Union, as helpless, unrepresented, subjugated provinces much longer, our fate is irrevocably sealed.—Capital, the breath of life to the business man, now shuns the South as if it was an accursed leper, whose touch was death."

And again:

"Bitter and proscriptive as the military bill is, behind it stand that fiendish triumverate of the chosen agents of Satan, Stevens, Butler and Phillips, eager for confiscation and total disfranchisement of all who "participated in the rebellion." *The future holds out no better terms for us than those offered in the military bill, and we must accept those or worse will speedily follow.* We have not yet fallen to the lowest depth," for the sulphurous blasts of Stevens' hate reveal a hell of torture still held in reserve for us to which what we now endure seems, by comparison, a heaven.

"Promptly, with energy, and with a ceaseless vigilance which will send every white man to the polls, we must "accept the situation." Prosperity, security to life and property, the continual dominancy of the Caucasian race, all depend upon our doing quickly and thoroughly the work before us. We must kick from our path the bones of old parties, old prejudices, and all false ideas of dignity, and work to secure all that we can from the wreck and *debris* of what the civil war has left us.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY IN ENTERPRISE.

About 9 o'clock on the evening of the 24th inst., our quiet town was the theater of the most terrible tragedy that ever transpired in this portion of the State—Mr. Wooley and his wife were killed at their own house, and their daughter mortally wounded, while Mr. Johnson received from Wooley a pistol shot in the head, which the attending physician declares to be necessarily fatal. The heads of Wooley and his wife were chopped open with an ordinary chop ax, and the daughter has two or three terrible wounds on the head from the same instrument, and one on the shoulder, but while she still survives, her physician has no hopes of her recovery. Mr. Johnson has also two heavy bruises, which he alleges were given him with the same ax, before he seized it in the hands of Mr. Wooley.

A jury of inquest are investigating the matter but have not returned their verdict. If they do so before we go to press we shall lay it before our readers. In the mean time the facts of this horrible occurrence are substantially as follows: Wooley was a man of low character, but made a good soldier, and lost a leg at Gettysburg; but since the war has been reputed to be living by the prostitution of his daughter, who is young and pretty. Mr. Johnson, an old merchant of this place, is reported to have been her next friend, and for several days there have been rumors of secret understandings between Johnson and the Wooley family, which culminated last night in the tragedy we have chronicled. Johnson, on going into Wooley's house, was repulsed by the girl, who called her mother to her assistance. Johnson knocked Wooley down with his fist, and while down the pistol was fired by him at close range, which he received this wound, he seized the ax, and used it with the terrible effect described, and then ran for home, a distance of three quarters of a mile.

Since writing the above, the verdict of the jury has been returned and there appears to be some conflict, in the testimony. One reporter is preparing a detailed account of the whole affair, embodying all the evidence, which we shall publish next week, if not deemed too disgusting for the public eye.

LATER.—Wednesday, 10 o'clock.—Mr. Johnson died this morning at half past 8, and the young girl is in a very critical condition.—Enterprise Star.

We had a conversation to-day with Capt. Turner, of Enterprise, who was one of the jury of inquest held over the bodies of the victims of the late terrible tragedy in that place, and learn from him that Mr. Johnson, upon his death-bed, made the following statement:

I have not lived with my wife, "as man and wife," for nearly six years. About one year ago, I made a criminal act with Wooley and his wife to support the family, pay house rent, &c., and they giving their consent to a *liason* with their daughter, and I have lived with her in the house with Wooley and wife since that time, until about a week since, when Mr. Sherman induced the girl to leave me, and Wooley and the family moved to a house in West Enterprise. On the day of the difficulty, the girl wrote me a note to come over at night. I went as requested, thinking she desired to return to me, and not thinking of any difficulty, was unarmed.

I was met at the door by Wooley, who commenced abusing me, and struck me with an axe on the shoulder, which felled me to the floor. I recovered from the blow, and rose to take the axe from him, when I heard a voice inside the room say, "shoot the d—n son of b——," and immediately Wooley, or some one in the room fired, giving me my death wound.

I felt that I was killed, seized the axe, wrested it from Wooley, and with one blow split his skull. I then rushed in the room from whence the voice came, saying "shoot me," and it being dark, could not see who the parties were, and believing I had been sent for to be murdered, I struck right and left with the axe to weed out the ranche.

If I had known it was the old woman and the girl, I would not have killed them.

The girl was not killed instantly, but was unable to give any testimony. Upon being asked who was there at the time of the difficulty, she said Johnson and Charley.

A negro woman who was at the house, states that a man unknown to her ran out of the back door after the firing of the pistol. Her statement in the main corroborates the statement of Johnson.

The community sustain no loss by the death of the Wooley family. Mr. Johnson had been a leading business man of Enterprise for some time, but for the past few years has been drinking excessively, until finally selling in business, he has degenerated into a loafer, and lost the confidence of all who knew him. He was not one of the Sons of Andrews & Johnson, as we at first supposed, but was a native of Ohio, and has no relatives in this State.

Letter from Jasper County.

PAULDING, June 24, 1867.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—I am pleased to comply with the request made through your columns some time since, and enclosed you will find the number registered at the precincts in Jasper County, as far as we have gone:

PRECINCTS.	WHITES.	BLACKS.
Hickory Grove,	51	90
Buckley's,	29	79
Garlandsville,	83	157
Perry's Box,	39	82
	230	308

Whole number registered, 501.

The vote of Jasper, as well as I am informed, will be for a Convention. A doubt is expressed by some in respect to the white vote going in favor of a Convention, but I believe there is no ground for such a doubt. I have made some inquiry into this matter as the duties of my office would permit.

Your Friend,
FRANCIS E. ADAMS,
Registrar.

AN AFFLICTED FAMILY.—The Corinth (Miss.) News of last Saturday, furnishes the following melancholy record:

We learn that a frightful malady has appeared in the family of Mr. Andrew Allen, of the neighborhood of Kossuth. Some several weeks past his eldest son, after long and severe suffering from a wound received in the war, died; soon after a younger son was taken with a violent pain and fever in the head, and died in about twenty-four hours. In a few days thereafter another, still younger boy, was taken in the same way and about the same time died. While this child was a corpse, the eldest daughter, a young lady, was similarly afflicted, but medicine attention being instantly given, she is yet living and perhaps convalescent. But a younger sister, about fourteen years of age, was taken on Sunday evening last, and by the same hour the next day was a corpse.

STOPPED WORK.—The Boston Journal has the following:

More than a hundred thousand spindles, controlled in Providence and vicinity, have been stopped within the last ten days, and the probability is that the number will be considerably increased this week.

To which the Mobile Times affixes the following appropriate comment:

This profitable business will be carried on, regardless of expense, till one-half the Northern people, driven to desperation, will take Dan. Wade's advice, and set on the rich to divide their property with them.

Gen. Grant's Chief-of-staff, Gen. Rawlins, delivered a political address at Galena, Illinois, recently, which is supposed to embody the views of Gen. Grant himself. He endorsed the Military Bills of the 42nd Congress, and advised Reconstruction under them, and concluded by saying:

There has been a sacrifice of much blood and treasure. The necessary laws, seem burdensome, but what the South shall fully accept its situation there will be an end to those which they consider oppressive laws, and the attention of our statesmen may be given to the development of these vast resources which will liquidate our national debt.

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.
Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will in accordance with orders from Head Quarters 4th Military District, visit the several precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress providing for the more efficient government of the Rebel States":

Meridian,	Saturday, June 15,	67, remain	10 days.
Marion,	Friday, " 21,	"	5 days.
Lauderdale,	Friday, July 5,	"	8 days.
Lockhart,	Monday, " 15,	"	4 days.
Daleville,	Saturday, " 20,	"	3 days.
Martha's Bar,	Thursday, " 25,	"	3 days.
Huslings's S.,	Monday, " 29,	"	3 days.
Enterprise,	Friday, " 5,	"	3 days.
Chunkeyville,	Monday, " 8,	"	3 days.
Scott,	Friday, " 12,	"	3 days.
Toomsuba,	Monday, " 15,	"	2 days.
Alamucha,	Monday, " 19,	"	3 days.
Why Not,	Friday, " 23,	"	2 days.
Paulson,	Monday, " 29,	"	3 days.

Office Room from 8 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. and from 1 P. M. to 7.

Citizens generally are respectfully requested to give publicity to this notice. All who are entitled under the act of Congress to vote, are asked to embrace this opportunity to register. Employers of freedmen are requested to facilitate their attendance on the Board. The Board will endeavor to facilitate registration, and it is hoped that all persons entitled to vote should be present in their attendance at the places and times appointed.

W. M. CATHEY, }
A. SLOAN, } *Registers.*
D. A. SMALLEY, }
Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ST. JAMES HOTEL,
NEW ORLEANS.
Proprietors:
WM. A. HUBB.....of New Orleans.
W. F. CORBETT.....of Spottswood Hotel, Richmond.

☞ Telegraph and Railroad Offices in Rotunda of Hotel. H. B. Callum, Telegraph Operator.

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BLELOCK & CO.,
Wholesale Booksellers
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Dealers Supplied at Lowest Rates.
☞ Send your address for our Catalogues of School and Miscellaneous Books.
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—DEALERS IN—
DRY GOODS
AND
GROCERIES.
WOULD call the attention of the public to their goods, and an examination of their goods, soliciting a liberal share of patronage, and hoping to give general satisfaction, which if we do not do, we shall fail of our intentions. We do not promise to sell LOWER THAN ANY ONE ELSE, nor do we think we will sell higher, but call and see.
June 30 swly.

J. B. WILDER & CO.,
Wholesale Druggists,
No. 181 Main-Street.
LOUISVILLE, KY.

THE GREAT
SOUTHERN PREPARATIONS

Comprise a class of pure and select Family Medicines, prepares from pure Drugs, by a class of experienced Southern Physicians, specially for the diseases incident to a Southern locality.

They are not secret nor patent mixtures and are recommended to be used in lieu of those prepared by our Northern friends, who know but little about Southern treatment.

Ours is the only class of Family Medicines ever offered to the public which were prepared by the Medical Profession.

FEMALES OF THE SOUTH!

Diseases peculiar to your sex, incident to all localities, exiled from the north breeze, that fans you with its perfumed breath, or snatched from some pedant dew-drop, are to you a constant and chilling trouble. Whether an inhabitant of city or country, hill or dale, palace or hovel, disease rankles and preys upon your vitals. Gloom and dispair are your constant companions. Your pale and ghastly countenance, your colorless cheek, your lifeless eye, your tottering walk, your palpitating heart, your dejected brow, all tell of that disease which is gradually and steadily making inroads upon your declining system.

The Sunshine of Hope

Now bursts upon your vision and the clouds of dispair that hang as a heavy pall of gloom upon your minds, now be driven back, and the bright visions of health in all its grandeur are now offered you.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

English Female Bitters.

Is the only combination that actually and positively arouses and restores the womb to its natural healthy condition. It relieves all unnatural obstruction, relieves painful or suppressed Menstruation, cures Leucorrhœa or Whites, Falling of the Womb, Hysterics, Chlorisis, Palpitation, nervousness Swimming and Giddiness of the Head, Melancholy, Ulceration and Irritation of the Womb, Derangement of the Kidneys and Bladder, and all the diseases that are peculiar to the female sex—either Single old or young married or single. Send and get one bottle, it will do you good.

YOUR LIFE BLOOD

Must be changed, in order to be relieved of that troublesome class of diseases requiring pure blood.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

CONSTITUTIONAL MONARCH

Is recognized by the Medical Profession as the Best and most Certain Blood Purifier ever before the public, and why? Simply because it is composed of the best medicines for that purpose, viz: Stillingia, Yellow Dock, Sarsaparilla, Burdock, and Iodine of Potash. For Scrofula, Cutaneous, Skin Diseases, Gout, Rheumatism, Glandular Tumors and Swellings, old Ulcers and old Sores, Constitutional Derangements, etc., it acts like a charm.

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

Fluid Ext. Bearberry, Cubebs and Buchu,

A highly concentrated medical compound, expressly for affections of the Kidneys and Bladder, and in Incontinence, Frequent Desire to Urinate, Urinary Deposits, Thick or Milky Urine, Effects of early Dissipation, Excesses, Diabetes, Gravel, Stone, Pains in the Back, Gleet, Loss of Energy, Strangury, and all Urinary Disease requiring a quick and reliable Diuretic.

In all cases of a want of action on the part of the Kidneys and Bladder, Dwelling old or young, male or female, this compound can be relied on.

CHILLS AND FEVER

Can be so easily cured by using one package of Dromgoole & Co's Ague Cure Pills, which never fails to arouse the Liver, clears the Stomach, open the Bowels and relieve the most obstinate case of Chills. One package will cure a case of six months standing.

DROMGOOLE & CO.'S

RED DIARRHŒA REMEDY.

The most certain and effectual cure for all forms of Diarrhœa, Nausea, and Vomiting, Cramps, Colics, Pain in the Bowels, Stomach summer complaint of children while teething, etc. in in exceedingly pleasant, and quiets the stomach, it is not an alcoholic preparation, contains no kino, catechu, galls, tannin, logwood, etc. It imparts tone to the already debilitated stomach and bowels, and no family should be without a bottle. It never fails to cure.

PILLS! PILLS!!

Why is it you continue to suffer with Piles, when the remedy to cure you can be so easily obtained? Do not suffer another day, send immediately and get one box of Dromgoole & Co's Pile Salve and be cured. Internal or external piles, whether recent or long standing can be cured immediately.

Cannot Southern Physicians cure the Piles as well as any one else? Try our remedy then.

Those Who Do Not Think

Gray hairs honorable can have them restored to their original color without staining the skin or scalp. It does not dye the hair—but simply restores it to its former color—and at the same time prevents it from falling off, cleanses the scalp of all dandruff and scurf, imparts a beautiful gloss and causes as near restoring hair to the bald as any other preparation. It is Drumgoole & Co's Tonic Hair restorer. It is warranted.

The Great Southern Preparation as a class of Family Medicines should be used by every body.

E. J. DROMGOOLE & CO.,
Proprietors, Memphis, Tenn.

Wholesale Agents for all our goods, to whom orders may be sent:

I. C. DUBOSE & CO., Mobile Ala.
RAINS, SIMMONS & CO., Nashville, Tenn.
R. Y. R. CHADWICK, Ag't. Meridian.
SHAW & SADLER, Agts. Enterprise
Who will fill orders at manufacturers prices.

Red Jacket Bitters.

J. W. Turner's Art Palace.
Over Chandler, Lockard & Co's,
MERIDIAN, MISS.
HE begs to inform the citizens of Meridian and vicinity that he has received all the latest inventions of the

Photographic Art.

and is now prepared, at the shortest notice to give to those who will favor him with a visit, a first class picture, yet cheap.

He has refitted his Gallery in splendid style, with every convenience, and can accommodate with Pictures of any size, in any style, and guaranteed to give satisfaction. As perfection is one of the most important features in the Art, he begs to inform the public that he gives special attention to this branch, and feels confident of his ability to give satisfaction at all times.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens.

Ross & Wilson,
DEALERS IN
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CLOTHING, &c., &c.
Johnson Avenue
MERIDIAN, MISS.

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for Cash, on the 23d day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office, in the city of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, to-wit:

OWNER'S NAME.	WHOSE SURVEY.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX.
Sallie Bass,	Ball's	20		4000	20 00
"	Ragsdale's	63	1 to 8	1600	8 00
F. Bass,	Bass'	(25 acres not laid off into lots)		1200	6 00
"	"	1	2	200	1 00
"	"	2	1	200	1 00
"	"	10	2 & 3	200	1 00
"	"	8	1 to 4	200	1 00
"	"	3	1 to 4	200	1 00
"	"	13	1 to 4	600	3 00
"	"	12	1 to 2	200	1 00
"	"	11	1 to 2	200	1 00
Estate H. Bird,	McLemore's	5	1 to 2	1200	6 00
"	M. & O. R. R.		35	400	2 00
H. E. Barnes,	Ragsdale's	33	12	200	1 00
"	"	57	1	250	1 25
R H Breckinridge,	"		House	200	1 00
Wm. Barker, fm.	"			200	1 00
Bryson & Emanuel,	Ball's	31	1 to 18	300	1 50
"	"	9	8	300	1 50
Matt Calvert,	Ragsdale's	70	1&2	1000	5 00
S A Culley,	"		House	400	2 00
Mary A Cox,	"	64	11&12	1500	7 50
A Calvert,	Ball's	8	3, 9&10	300	1 50
"	"	32	6&11	300	1 50
Est. W F Crumpton,	"	23	12	150	75
W H Cain, Sr.,	M. & O. R. R.		95	3800	19 00
"	"	½ of	95	600	3 00
Mrs Clark,	"		House	400	2 00
J H Clegg,	M. & O. R. R.		113&114	1500	7 50
Julia H Brinkwater	Ragsdale's	62	12&20	1800	9 00
Jno. Ethridge,	Ragsdale's	70	7	300	1 50
Est. Peter Enegel,	W. H. Jackson,		½ acres	1500	7 50
"	Bass'	9	2	1000	5 00
"	"	2	2&3	1400	7 00
Frodestein & Ottenstein,	Ragsdale's			400	2 00
"	M. O. R. R.		14, 15, 16&17	2200	16 00
Wm Foy,	Ball's	32	7&8	100	50
B J N Flippen,	Linley's	10	3&4	1000	5 00
Wm Foy,	Ragsdale's		House	400	2 00
E P Green,	Ball's	70	3&4	500	2 50
Charles Gray,	M. & O. R. R.		House	600	3 00
J C Higgins	"		30&37	600	3 00
Herbert & Rogers	Ragsdale's	42	13 to 16	1200	6 00
Samuel Halsey,	do	102	20	2250	11 25
Horn, Stovall & Co.	Hooper,		house	100	50
T L Jackson,	do		do	1200	6 00
Jessee Johnson,	Ragsdale's	38	7	100	50
Aaron Jones,	do	103	11	500	2 50
Jones & Little,	M. & O. R. R.		89	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,	"		House	300	1 50
Wiley Jones,	"			600	3 00
Estate Chas Lang	Lang's	(60 acres "unsurveyed")		13000	65 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,	1	3	1100	5 50
Rufus H Mitchell,	Ragsdale's	62	10	250	1 25
W H McRoy,	do	do		300	1 50
Mrs McDowell,	do	do		400	2 00
John Martin,	do	house		200	1 00
D Maggard,	Ball's	250x550 feet		2000	10 00
W Palmer,	M & O R R		38	500	2 50
W S Price,	do		133, 135, 137, 138, 140, 141, 142, 143	1750	8 75
			134 and 136	600	3 00
Pierce & Edmondson,	do				
R Y Rew,	do		house	1800	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ball's		32 and 81/2	225	1 13
W R Richardson,	Ragdale's		54 13 to 16	1000	5 00
S T Smith,	Ball's		32 9	150	75
F Smielcker,	M & O R R		9	250	1 25
W A Smith,	Lindley's		11 1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon			house	100	50
W L Sadler			do	900	4 50
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's		4 1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R		13	250	1 25
"	Ball's		27	2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,	"		house	500	2 50
T S Terry,	M & O R R			100	50
T S Terry,	do		82	500	2 50
Threefoot & Warren,	do		99 14	1500	7 50
J W Tiner,	Ball's		7	750	3 75
Est. Chas. Vosburg,	Ragsdale's		33 13 & 14	600	3 00
B B Wyndham	Ball's		30 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
J Walker	M & O R R		121	1000	5 00
W H Wells,	do		40, 41	1250	6 25
Young & Brown,			house	1500	7 50
J W Young,	Bass'		3 1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Smith,	Lang's		134x300 feet	800	4 00
Mary Roberts,	Lindley's		12 3 & 4	200	1 00

Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. Where necessary, a more accurate description of the property advertised will be given on the day of sale.

JUNIUS MEARS, Assessor and Collector.

June 30, 1867—4ts.

HARDAWAY & CO.,
AGENTS.
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS,
CORNER WASHINGTON AND CLAY STREETS,
Vicksburg, Miss.
KEEP always on hand, a large and complete stock of Drugs and Medicines, such as Opium, Castor Oil, Spirits Turpentine, Ipecac, Rhubarb, Cream Tartar, Bi-carbonate Soda, Epsom Salts, Essential Oils, Select Powders, etc., and in fact all
DRUGS AND MEDICINES.
Embraced in the Pharmacopœia. Our Pharmaceutical Preparations are made in strict accordance with the revised Pharmacopia. Prescriptions attended to carefully.
FAMILY MEDICINES, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, WINDOW GLASS AND SASH of various sizes.
Liquors,
Liquors,
Pure Old Cognac Brandy, Extra Port Wine Choice Sherry Wine, Finest Old Madeira Wine, Old Holland Gin, Scheidam Schnapps Hostetter's Bitters, Plantation Bitters, Pure Old Bourbon Whisky—all of the best quality and specially selected for Medical use.
SPICES, LEXINGTON MUSTARD, PAINTS, OILS & COLORS,
White Lead, Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Coal Oil, Paints of all Colors, etc.
Our stock embraces everything coming within the Drug Business. Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction.
All orders intrusted to our care, filled with promptness and accuracy.
HARDAWAY & CO., Agents.
Washington Street.
F. H. PEPPER. N. FITZGERALD.

P. H. PEPPER & CO.
Established 1847.
DIRECT IMPORTERS OF DRY GOODS.
Corner of St. Francis and Joachim Streets,
MOBILE, ALA.
Have constantly for sale much
THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTED STOCK OF DRY GOODS
ever offered in this Market.
THESE GOODS HAVE BEEN IMPORTED DIRECT
from the Manufacturers of Europe and America, and will be sold as Cheap as by any other House on this Continent.

☞ P. H. Lavender of Greensboro, Ala., is with the above house, and will be pleased to serve his friends. swlyn.

R. M. ROSS.....R. R. WILSON.

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at . . . . . 8.17 P. M.
" " down at . . . . . 5.10 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at . 5.37 P. M.
" " arrives . . . . . 9.30 A. M.
Freight train pass up at. . . . . 6.10 P. M.
" " " down " . . . . . 7.30 P. M.
" " " up " . . . . . 7.35 A. M.
" " " down " . . . . . 5.37 P. M.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leave . . . . . 8.35 A. M.
" " arrive . . . . . 4.50 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves . . . . . 6.30 A. M.
" " arrives . . . . . 4.05 P. M.
Freight trains arrive . . . . . 11.15 A. M.
" " " . . . . . 2.2 P. M.
" " depart . . . . . 3.35 P. M.
" " " . . . . . 8.15 P. M.

Freight trains East connect daily with Passenger G. N. R. R. trains going North M. & O. R. R. Selma and R. R. at Meridian. Accommodation Train West connects with N. O. & N. R. R. North and South. Accommodation train East connects with N. O. & G. N. R. R. South. Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and North, Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

E. F. RAWORTH,
Gen. sup't.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passenger for Memphis, and all points North, makes quick time and sure connections by taking morning trains on Southern Railroad, leaving Jackson, Miss., with trains on N. O., J. & G. R. Railroad; at Canton with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

NOTICE.

Leave Grenada daily at 9.45 a. m. and 8.25 p.m. arriving at Memphis at 6.45 a. m and 5.45 p. m. making sure connections with trains for Cairo, Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points north.

NOTICE.

Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 3.30 p. m. and 1.30 a. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. R. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

Starch Gloss, makes Old Linen look like new. 25 cents per cake.

Imperial Blue, Best in the World. 10 cents per box.

Waters Magic Ointment, for Sores, Burns, &c. 25 cents per box.

For sale by SMITH & ALFORD, and KNO. W. HARVEY.
may30w&sw1m.

By an overalright in our market reports great injustice has been done our merchants in the price of corn. Corn has been selling at from $1.25 to $1.35, and not $1 70, as appeared in our last quotations.

The examination exercises of Rev. J. B. Hamb-mb's school commences to-morrow morning.

Meridian is to be a permanent military post. Maj. Norton has arrived with two companies of regulars, and informs us he will commence the erection of barracks at once. The Major is an excellent officer, and a clever gentlemen, and since troops are to be here, we return thanks to Gen. Ord for sending him here.

Our friends will find among our new advertisements that of Bullock & Co., of New Orleans, among the best known and most enterprising book sellers and publishers of the South. They have for sale, besides the new publications of the day, a complete stock of stationery and books of every description which they offer for the most reasonable prices. Our readers who visit New Orleans should not fail to give them a call.

We call special attention to the advertisement of the St. James Hotel, New Orleans, which appears in this issue. The St. James Hotel has been a favorite resort of Mississippians who visit the Crescent City, and though there has been recently a change of proprietors, a visit to the St. James last week satisfies us that it has lost none of its attractions for the public.

Maj. Hurt, of No. 5 New Orleans, and Mr. Corkery, so well known as the proprietor of the Spottswood Hotel, Richmond, Va., are the present proprietors and will fully sustain the reputation of the house. Captain Herndon as book keeper and Messrs. Ogg and Bogan, as clerks, know how to make their guests comfortable.

A telegraph office is in the Hotel presided over by our young friend, M. H. Callum, one of the cleverest gentlemen in the world and who has been for some time connected with the Sec. Service. Mr. Callum was a telegraph operator for the army of Gen. Lee during the war, and in that capacity rendered efficient service.

We hope our friends who visit the city and desire telegraph facilities will call on Mr. Callum.

The original formula for the manufacture of the rare vegetable specific—Red Jacket Bitters, is rigidly adhered to. Its quality and proportions never vary—consequently its operation is uniform. Moreover, it does not deteriorate in any climate.

In answer to enquiries, we are requested by the law firm of Evans & Ford, to state that Judge Evans, of that firm, will spend most or all of his time at the firm's office in Meridian, during the sitting of the Bankrupt Court; and that the firm are prepared to transact any business connected with proceedings in Bankruptcy. 29-2w

Our readers will find among our new Meridian advertisements, that of J. J. Nicholson & Co., who have opened a dry goods store at the place recently occupied by Sanford & Bro. They have on hand a well selected stock of dry goods and groceries, which they will sell on reasonable terms. Read their advertisement and give them a call.

A meeting of the members of the bar of Meridian, was held a few days since, at which it was agreed that fifty dollars would be the lowest fee for obtaining a discharge under the Bankrupt Law. In Rankin throughout the fee has been fixed at

Through the agency of the party in power, we are to be restored to the Union, no matter what efforts the anti-convention party may make to the contrary. Let none be deceived, and lulled into masterly inactivity by dreams of a northern re-action. The party now holding the reins of government is determined to put us back in the Union, and those who go with

Bankruptcy.

In accordance with the rules adopted by the Supreme Court for the proceedings in Bankruptcy, Judge Hill has made an order designating the time and places in this Congressional District, at which the Register in Bankruptcy will attend for the purpose of disposing of petitions and other business. The places designated are Meridian, Jackson and Vicksburg. Col. Geo. McKee, who is the Register for this District, will attend Meridian the first week in each month, beside the second week, and Vicksburg the third week. The additional time will be given to whatever place the business requires. As there has not been sufficient time to have any cases ready for next week, the first business transacted by this Court in the District will be during the first week in August.

We have received a couple of numbers of the Brazil Emigration Reporter, published at Rio de Janeiro, by Rev. W. C. Emmerson, late of this place. The paper is devoted to commerce, agriculture and emigration. There is much in it of interest to those contemplating a removal to that far off country, and in our next issue we may give them the benefit of a few extracts.

Mr. T. S. Williams, the General Superintendent of the New Orleans & Jackson Railroad, announces that on and after July 10th, the local fare will be seven cents per mile. A discount of two cents per mile will be allowed parties purchasing tickets before entering the cars. The ticket office will be opened at the several stations half an hour before the departure of trains.

Letter from Louisville, Ky.

LOUISVILLE, June 21, 1867.

LOUISVILLE June 21st, 1867.

DEAR GAZETTE:—For a few days past the weather has been very hot, but the recent shower of rain having materially cooled the atmosphe re. As a consequence the streets are thronged with ladies, much to the edification of shop-keepers, so to speak, if not to their profit. Otherwise the city is rather dull. Nothing of interest during the presence of the Great Cross, and the various exhibitions occurring.

The people of Kentucky have been foremost in efforts to supply the needy of the South with bread. Their labors have been as extended as they have been generous and though most of their contributions have been to Georgia, be assure it was supposed that the most suffering was there, but the reports received have been forwarded to our State. But few applications have been made from Mississippi, and little publicity has been given to the needy condition of our poor widows and their children. It is a pity that we did not make known the suffering since, that Meridian one week by week thronged by persons without means seeking food for their families, and often returning to the excited crowds at barracks handed. Why, we were asked the other day, did you all not let this thing be known before? Simply that we supposed, when large donations from the noble hearted Kentuckians have been distributed generously and given relief.

We insist that the true policy is to help people until corn begins to harden, and then assistance will not be required another year. The Northern States and the State are more than willing still to aid their substance. For the sympathy for the suffering South is deep rooted in the hearts of her sons and daughters, though few of them are making expenses. Even in the Northern States there are many who are forwarding funds even

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Davis to be Killed if found on United States Soil.

A Washington correspondent of the Erie (Penn.) Dispatch writes as follows, which he says he can testify to:

When it was found that Davis was to go on bail, a matter which every one here looks upon as an actual discharge, the excitement among the veteran soldiers knew no bounds. The result had been published days before, and, half expecting it, a meeting was privately called, at which some sixty discharged soldiers were present, who bound themselves sacredly together under the name of "Andersonville League," every member subscribing to a solemn oath that if justice failed its duty they would take justice in their own hands.

This brotherhood no man was qualified to enter but who had suffered either from wounds or imprisonment in the rebel pens during the war. It now extends to New York, Philadelphia and Boston. While the bail was being arranged by the court at Richmond on the day set for the trial, a paper was handed in to Davis' council, Charles O'Conor, of New York, warning him of the existence of such a league, and naming two men in the court room as members.

These men were seized as soon as they left the room, on a mock charge, and taken to jail, and were not released until a week after, when Davis was in New York. It will be remembered that Davis arrived in New York during the night; that he kept secluded as much as possible while at the New York hotel, no one being admitted but those who were personally known to some of the parties; that he was suddenly removed from the hotel to Brooklyn, where he remained until his departure; that he left New York alone and in disguise for Montreal, his party and family following only when he telegraphed there of his safe arrival. When it is understood that the brotherhood were upon his track, and that he was conscious of it, this strange conduct is easily accounted for. According to the oath, as long as he remains upon foreign ground he is safe; so it is nardly probable that he will again set foot upon the soil of the United States, at least until he feels easier in mind than at present.

WRITING FOR THE PRESS.—Bayard Taylor's first "Random Letter" from Europe, is dated at Gotha, Germany, and was printed in the Tribune of Friday last. In speaking of writing for the public eye, he truly remarks: "We all know how much superior in frankness, ease, and fresh and racy life is any private correspondence to that which is specially written for publication. In the latter case, one always has a sense of invisible eyes peering over his shoulder, and his thoughts take, unconsciously, a more conventional form. Every correspondent, I imagine, feels this restriction, and the dashing, rollicking air which some writers assume, in a spirit of reasonable, threatens to degenerate into a different conventionality. The true middle ground he's been discovered by a few lucky individuals (we all know our friend of the "Easy Chair") but their success, alas! is not a matter for imitation. How shall I hope, marching over ground which has been beaten dry and hard by thousands of feet, to escape falling into decorous dulness on the one hand, or tinkling triviality on the other?"

GENERAL SWAYNE.—The Ohio Statesman, speaking of Gen'l Swayne, says: "Old and respected citizens, elected to office to care for the interests of a great city, are turned out at the whim or pleasure of this egotistical stripling in epaulettes. In this city where this man Swayne is well known as they rightly appreciated, and where he could not be elected to the lowest office, men wonder at the impotency of an administration that selects such a man for high position."

There is good sense and sound advice in the following from the National Intelligencer:

"We are glad to see the 'Southern Opinion' taking a practical course. It is necessary that all the friends of constitutional government, North and South, should regard things as they are, and not as they ought to be.—More damage has been done to the South and to the friends of the South by the intemperance of a few intemperate writers than by any other means. Every intemperate paragraph from the Southern journals is copied far and wide in the North as an evidence of Southern temper and Southern opinion. What we want now is calm, temperate argument, and a statement of facts that will convince the people of the North without prejudice or passion.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—We learn that Mr. David C. Rush, one of the most thorough going and respectable planters of this county, with two negro men, was returning his mill-dam on Buttahatchie River, on Tuesday, when all parties were drowned. How the fatal accident occurred, is not known, as none live to tell the story. It is surmised, however, that the boat was capsized, and no helping hand being near, all three went down together.—Columbus Sentinel.

The Congressional Republican Committee have engaged the Rev. John V. Given, colored speaker of Charleston, S. C., to canvass the South and address the people.

While the Woman's Rights Convention was in session in Albany, a horse car was crowded. There entered a severe looking female. An old gent rose to give her a seat. "Do you one of these woman righters?" he asked. "I be," replied the ancient. "You believe a woman should have all the rights of a man, do you?" "Yes, sir, I do," was the emphatic answer. Thereupon said the man,

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R. Y. REW,
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BANKRUPT FORMS AND BLANKS.

We have received an official copy of the rules and orders, together with the forms and proceedings in Bankruptcy, as promulgated by the Supreme Court of the United States, and are now printing a large number of blank petitions in Bankruptcy.

The petition, with the necessary schedules makes twelve pages. They will be printed in good style, on the finest quality of cap paper, and in strict conformity to the law. We intend printing immediately all the blanks used in Bankrupt proceedings, and will furnish them to Attorneys and others on the most reasonable terms.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

The Herald and Mississippian, with some other anti-reconstruction papers, refer to the former politics of those with whom they differ in opinion on reconstruction, as if it were a crime, or at least matter of personal obloquy, to have been a secessionist. For instance, the Editor of the Gazette is termed an "ex-fire-eating, ex-secession democrat," and so called as if in the sight of the Herald and Mississippian, it were matter of reproach. If it is any comfort to Col. Yerger, though unable to perceive its relevancy or importance in discussing the issues now before the country, we admit voting for *secession*. We have also good authority for stating that our course then was approved by Col. E. M. Yerger, of the Herald and Mississippian, who was likewise a "fire eating" *accessionist*, and in 1860 both spoke and wrote in favor of that measure.

As he has alluded to this subject, we wish to know of our friend, whether he *now* thinks his course in 1860 was *right* or *wrong?*

Perpetual servitude awaits the Southern people if they fail to organize under the Military bill. Congress will disfranchise the whites and give an inferior people the right to rule. Delays are dangerous. Men must act promptly. The shifting scenes of anarchy will sweep us from the polls entirely unless we take the bull by the horns and by our energy, vigilance and united efforts, organize under the bill, claiming all its rights and privileges and conforming to all its demands.

It is, says an exchange, in the power of the law-abiding people of the State to control their local and State Government, and no prejudices or weak indulgence in fancied independence, will excuse our people if they do not. Register! Register!! The honored dead; their widowed women and orphan children—all you hold dear—tell you to fulfill this sacred duty.

The present action of our people will impress itself upon the unwritten future of the next quarter of a century for good or evil. We are passing through an eventful crisis. Every man should reflect well before he votes against a Convention—for to defeat the Convention is to disfranchise the white people of the South and give the country to the freedmen.

We are not permited to wait in passive obedience the course of events. The coercion of Congress forces us to vote for or against a Convention.—Every man must decide for himself the policy he will pursue. Our advice is vote for a Convention and get in the Union at once. We cannot look for right while the present party is in power, and it will hold the reins of government as long as we remain unrepresented. Once in the Union with all the rights of sovereign States, if at all, radicalism will be at an end. Right will be might once more and the country's prospects speedily and greatly brighten.

Thos. L. Bevill, late of the Freedmen's Bureau, has been appointed sheriff of Sumter county, Alabama, in place of H. L. Bonnett, resigned.

Gov. Patton has offered a reward of $4000 for the arrest of John O. Orrick, charged with the murder of Alexander Webb, colored.

The City Council of Charleston, S. C., has ordered that all bar-rooms, except those attached to hotels, shall be closed on and after July 1st.

They will be likely to have dry times down there.

A CINCINNATI Democrat puts Cousins. The Cincinnati Commercial a few days ago nominated Richard Smith, the responsible editor of its rival, the Gazette, for Congress in that District. The proposition was favorably received, and it is likely that it will be adopted.

Rankin Wheeling into Line.

We publish to-day an important letter from Richard Cooper, Esq., of Brandon, on the subject of reconstruction. We are glad to see that the friends of restoration are checking the extravagant representations of the Republican, and hope they will push the good work forward until the whole county is united in favor of action. The Clarion in alluding to Mr. Cooper's letter says: The statement that there are not fifty white voters in the county in favor of Reconstruction, is shown to be absurd when it is known that the policy of re-establishing peace with its accompaniment of a revival of prosperity in the land, by accepting the terms now offered is favored by such substantial men of the county as Mr. Cooper himself, Hons. W. C. Harper, T. J. Catchings, and Cols. Jayne, Shelby, and others, whose names are familiar to the people, as men who have served them faithfully and honorably in the field and in civil positions of trust and responsibility.

It will be seen that a meeting is called by Mr. Cooper and others at Brandon, on Monday next the 8th inst., to devise measures for the successful prosecution of the canvass in that county in behalf of Reconstruction. We are assured that in due time, the friends of a Convention will bring out candidates who will discuss before the people calmly and dispassionately, the issues involved, so that every man who has a vote, may cast it understandingly, and with a full knowledge of the vast interests at stake.

A republic is defined to be "a State in which the exercise of the sovereign power is lodged in representatives elected by the people." The love of such a government begotten by a long period of prosperity and happiness is the common sentiment of the whole country. The war was not against this government, for the adopted Constitution of the Confederate States was strictly republican. The sacrifices we made were offered at the shrine of republican liberty and but attest and measure the attachment of our people to this cherished form of government. It was only because they apprehended an invasion of their rights under such a government that they took up arms, and whether in the judgment of the world they had sufficient cause for resorting to war, or whether they had not, it cannot be doubted that they were inspired by considerations of the utmost political importance to dare and to do through all the long night of the sanguinary struggle. The war and its consequences, has partially shattered, this long system of fundamental rules and principles, and shaken the faith of many in our ability to rescue it again from the clutches of lying newspapers and unprincipled politicians. That there is just ground for such a belief cannot be denied, but at the same time we must hazard the opinion that though the political heavens are dark and threatening, the will of the people will yet be executed. To accomplish this we must get out of the present state of suspense and political disability with all the evils we suffer. And that can only be done by a voice in the government that will enable us to assist in shaping its laws. Let us not give up because we failed to vindicate ourselves against what we conceived to be abuses by a dominant and fanatical majority. Things go by turns now-a-days, and if we push on, become part and parcel of the government again, as prescribed by the present law, right and justice will eventually prevail, the juggernaut of organized opinion crushing out the present dominant party, thus leaving the government in the hands of those who will return the power to the "representatives elected by the people."

A Voice from Neshoba.

We publish the proceedings of a meeting in Neshoba county, held at the Court House, in which strong ground is taken for reconstruction. We recognise among the names of gentlemen who took part in the meeting, many that have heretofore been honored and trusted by the patriotic citizens of that country. We have no doubt the sentiments of the meeting will be endorsed at the convention election by a heavy majority.

Truths About Brazil.

Jno. H. Evans, Esq., who has just returned from Brazil, sends us the following letter which we commend to the attention of those having the Brazil fever:

DESOTO, Miss., July 26, 1867.

EDITOR GAZETTE: The undersigned, a returned emigrant from Brazil, comes to make known through your journal, to the people of the Southern country, that the emigration movement to Brazil is a delusion and is getting up for speculations. That as yet there has been only one side of it presented to the people. I am prepared to represent the other side, and I challenge contradiction. I further make known to the people that the Brazil agent at New York, whose name is Gaston, is a fraud and a scoundrel, and ought to be hissed out of the country. This is saying a good deal, and I mean just what I say.

JOHN H. EVANS.

Destitution in Jasper County.

We have received a communication from Dr. Harmon, with several certificates in reference to the destitution in Jasper county, too late for publication to-day, but which will have due attention in our next. It appears from the information of persons we know to be reliable, that in two neighborhoods in Jasper county, there are a number of families, widows and orphans, who for several weeks have had neither bread nor meat, but are actually subsisting on *vegetables* and unless speedy relief is obtained will *starve*. One of these neighborhoods is near Paulding, the other near Buckley's store, in Jasper county.

We refer to these cases with the hope that the Relief Societies of Cairo and St. Louis may contribute to the aid of these suffering people. We would suggest that corn or other articles that can be obtained for their assistance, be sent to Enterprise, directed to Geo. W. Ryan and Ben. Thigpen. Mr. Ryan has been acting in the capacity of agent, distributing supplies in his neighborhood, and Mr. Thigpen is Probate Judge of the county, well acquainted with the destitute, and both gentlemen will give this matter prompt attention.

Rules and General Orders

Of the United States District Court for Proceedings in Bankruptcy in the Southern District of the State of Mississippi Made at the June Term of the United States District Court at Jackson.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI.

Be it remembered that, at a regular Term of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Mississippi, begun and held at the Court room in the city of Jackson in said District, on the fourth Monday, being the 24th day of June, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and in the 91st year of American Independence, before the Hon. Robert A. Hill, District Judge of Mississippi, then and there presiding, the following rules and orders were adopted and entered on the minutes of said court, viz:

RULE 1ST.

For the purpose of acting upon the matters arising under the cases referred to him, the Register in Bankruptcy for the 4th Congressional District shall sit at Meridian for one week, commencing on the first Monday in each of the months of January, March, May, July, September and November, in every year; and at Jackson, for the weeks, commencing on the second Monday in each of the months of January, May, July, September and November, in every year; and at Vicksburg for two weeks, commencing on the 2nd Monday in each of the months of February, April, June, August, October and December, in every year.

And, for the like purpose, the Register for the Fifth Congressional District, shall sit at Waynesboro for one week, commencing on the 1st Monday in each of the months of January, March, May, July, September and November, in every year; and at Brookhaven for the weeks commencing on the 2nd Monday in each of the months of January, March, May, July, September and November, in every year; and at Natchez for two weeks, commencing on the 2nd Monday in each of the months of February, April, August, October and December, in every year.

Ordered by the Court that publication and notices in Bankruptcy admiralty and for other purposes, made in proceedings in this court, when not otherwise ordered in causes arising in the following counties, to wit: Tishomingo, Tippah, Itawamba, Lee, Pontotoc, Calhoun, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Covington, Davis, Clarke, Greene, Hancock, Jackson, Jasper, Kemper, Lowndes, Lauderdale, Leake, Lafayette, Marshall, Monroe, Neshoba, Newton, Noxubee, Oktibbeha, Perry, Rankin, Scott, Smith, Wayne and Winston, be made in the Meridian Chronicle, a newspaper now published in the city of Meridian, and that all other such publications be made in the Republican, a newspaper now published in the city of Vicksburg.

RULE 2D.

For the purpose of expediting proceedings in Bankruptcy, it is ordered by the Court, that so soon as the same can be done, after a petition with accompanying schedules in voluntary Bankruptcy shall have been filed, the Clerk of the Court shall make out copies thereof and shall endorse thereon, the day and hour upon which the original was filed, which copies shall be certified under the seal of the Court, and deliver or send the same to the Register of the Congressional District in which the petitioner shall reside, together with the order of reference in general rules number 4.

That said Registers shall at their next sittings thereafter to be had for the sub district in which said petitioner shall reside, proceed to make such orders and cause such proceedings to be had as are required by law, and the general orders adopted and promulgated by the Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

RULE 3D.

The Registers of the several Districts shall attend at the following times and places for the transaction of such business in Bankruptcy as may be referred to them by Rule No. 2, or by special orders, to-wit:

Joseph W. Field, Register of the third Congressional District, for the counties of Leake, Neshoba and Kemper, at the town of Philadelphia, on the 4th Monday in each month, and at such other places during said week as he may appoint.

George C. Mellen, Register for the 4th Congressional District, shall attend at some suitable place in the city of Meridian, on the 1st Monday in each month, and continue for one week, if business so long requires, for the counties of Lauderdale, Clarke, Jasper, Newton and Smith.

In the Chancery Court room at some other suitable place in the city of Jackson, on the second Monday of each month, and continue for one week, if business so long requires, for the counties of Rankin, Hinds, Madison, Holmes and Yazoo.

At some suitable place in the city of Vicksburg, on the third Monday of each month, and continue for one week, should business so long requires, for the counties of Washington, Issaquena and Warren, and such petitions as the petitioners may by writing request, may be referred for the county of Yazoo.

L. W. Perce, Register for the 5th Congressional District, shall at some suitable place in the town of Waynesboro, on the first Monday in alternate months, commencing with the month of August, and continue one week, should the business so long require, for the counties of Wayne, Davis, Greene and Perry.

At Mississippi City, at some suitable place therein, on the first Monday in alternate months, commencing with the month of July, and continue for one week, should business so long requires, for the counties of Jackson, Harrison and Harrison.

At some suitable place in the town of Brookhaven, commencing on the second Monday in each month, for the counties of Copiah, Simpson, Marion, Lawrence, Pike, Covington, Amite and Franklin, and continue for one week, should business so long require.

At some suitable place in the city of Natchez, on the 3d Monday in each month, and continue for one week, should business so long requite, for the counties of Wilkinson, Adams, Jefferson and Claiborne.

It is further ordered, that should the business for either of the sub Districts aforesaid, be more than can be disposed of during the time allotted to each, the aforesaid Registers respectively shall occupy so much of the remainder of the time as the same may require, unless occupied by business upon special order of reference.

RULE 4TH.

It is ordered by the Court that until otherwise ordered, all copies received by the Clerk, Register, Assignee, or other officers of this court, in proceedings in Bankruptcy, be deposited in the First National Bank of Jackson, to be drawn therefrom as directed by law, and the general rules in Bankruptcy.

In Bankruptcy and Admiralty, Special Terms.

To facilitate proceedings in Bankruptcy and Admiralty, it is ordered by the court that a special term of this court be held at the court house in the city of Vicksburg, on the 3rd Monday in October next, to which term process in admiralty or in Bankruptcy, arising in the counties of Washington, Issaquena, Warren, Yazoo, Claiborne, Jefferson, Adams, and Wilkinson, may be returnable at said term, and other causes in Bankruptcy pending in this court, may be heard after ten days notice to the adverse party or counsel and to the clerk of this court. It is further ordered that a special term of this court be held at some suitable place in the city of Meridian, on the first Monday in October next, to which process in admiralty, for this District, and in Bankruptcy for the counties of Kemper, Neshoba, Leake, Scott, Newton, Lauderdale, Clarke, Jasper, Smith, Davis, Wayne, Green, Perry, and Jackson, may be returnable, and at which any other causes in Bankruptcy or Admiralty, may be heard upon ten days notice being given to the adverse party, or his counsel, and to the clerk of this court.

It is further ordered that a special term of this court be held in the city of Jackson on the first Monday in November next for the adjudication of any business in Admiralty, Bankruptcy or other business in this court not otherwise disposed of.

CERTIFICATE.

In testimony, that the foregoing pages contain a true and complete transcript of the rules and orders therein stated, as the same remains of record in our said court, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of our said court at Jackson, this 28th day of June, A. D. 1867.

G. T. SWANN,
Clerk.

A Union Republican paper, at Atlanta, Ga., thus speaks of the Radical platforms lately put forth in the Southern States:

Negroes are not only to be exempted from all property tax, but from all poll tax also. Meantime, that respectable and worthy class of white men who live by their daily labor, and who are able to purchase a homestead for their families, are to be taxed as heretofore—taxed to support the education of the children of this newly-installed negro aristocracy; taxed upon their meagre salaries; taxed upon their household and kitchen furniture; taxed upon the coffee they drink, the tobacco they chew, the clothes they wear, upon the patent medicines they use, upon the bills they pay; taxed upon their own heads, and even upon the very spoons their children eat with.

"Can poor white men support a party pledged to measures which make them hewers of wood and drawers of water to the black race? Can the black man trust the sincerity of men able, under such circumstances, to make such orders and cause such proceedings to be had as are required by law, and the general orders adopted and promulgated by the Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

CROPS IN ARKANSAS.—The Fayetteville Record, after complaining of an abundance of water, and more grass than the law allows, says:

The corn crop turns out splendidly, which is a consolation; cotton is not so good, yet sufficient will be made to buy store fixins and sugar and coffee for the family.

The Arkansas papers complain, in glowing terms, of an order issued by Maj. Gen. Ord, forbidding the payment of bills for printing executed under contract with or by orders from, the Legislature of that State. The proprietors of the Little Rock Gazette, who are State Printers, are seriously affected by this order.

The crop reports from the interior of Tennessee are generally favorable. Fully two-thirds of the land in cultivation in that State is devoted to corn and small grains. The best crops have been gathered, with a fair yield, in Eastern Arkansas, among the Red River bottoms. Cotton is also growing well in the southern portion of Arkansas, and promises to the overflow.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DIARRHŒA.

THIS dreadful summer complaint is now upon us, and oh! how many thousands it carries to an untimely grave every year? Beware mothers, how you neglect that slight Diarrhœa in your family; nip it in the bud. Send immediately and procure one bottle of

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For your family, so that you can give it when necessary. For infants at the breast, and the bowel complaint of children while teething, it acts like a charm. All forms of Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, nausea and vomiting, cramps, pains in the stomach and bowels, are immediately cured by its use.

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It is so pleasant, so cooling and so prompt, that all praise it.

During the prevalence of Cholera in Memphis, during last summer, it was extensively used by the masses, and prescribed by many Physicians, with the happiest results, for all the first stages of Cholera. All cases of

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Mucus Diarrhœa, pains and straining of the bowels, should not fail to use a few doses of

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Whose wives are suffering with constant pain and suffering each month, whose menstruation is too much or too little, or painful, or irregular, who is suffering with falling of the womb with leucorrhœa or Whites, should not fail to carry home one bottle of

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Which will cure all those complaints and restore them to health and buoyancy again.

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Whose very countenance, sets, color and walk, indicate disease, can be so easily restored to health by using the "English Female Bitters."

It touches the pale cheek with the crimson blush of nature, adds joy and brightness to the dejected and melancholy, gives brilliancy to the eye and intellect, imparts beauty and charms to fair retiring girlhood, and counteracts in old age.

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For old and young, married and single.

WHAT'S THE MATTER, OLD MAN?

Can't you get your kidneys to act free enough? Are you troubled with gravel, or any kind of deposits? Do you pass bloody urine occasionally? Are you annoyed with too frequent inclination to pass your water? Is your urine thick or milky? Have you a pain in the small of the back? Are you nervous, melancholy, or alarmed in your dreams, from the effects of habits of dissipation or indiscretion? Do you require a diuretic, or a medicine which will immediately arouse and restore your kidneys and bladder to a healthy action? If so, procure one bottle of

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And be restored to health and manhood again. Large bottles will cost you only one dollar.

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Should be kept in good condition, before fail, thereby warding off and preventing Chills and Fever, Bilious Fever, Dumb Chills, &c., and nothing is so effectual as

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Which never fails to cure all cases of Chills, Bilious Fever, Intermittent Fever, Neuralgia, &c., for which it is used. It never effects the head or ears, acts upon the liver and bowels, cleanses the stomach, can be given to infants, and is a permanent cure. Go and consult your druggist about it. It is no secret, no patent, no illiterate mixture, but is the result of much experience in the Southern country.

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Blotches and Spotches on the face, humors in the blood, Glandular Swellings, Tumors, Pimples, Itch, Scaldhead, Tetter, broken down constitutions, Impure conditions of the Blood, can be speedily cured by using

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Who will fill orders at manufacturers prices. July 6w2m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of sundry executions in my hands, signed W. H. Cain, &c., I will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the court house door, at Meridian, on the first Monday of August next, all the right, title and interest of the said W. H. Cain, Sr., in and to the following described property, to-wit: the S. ½ of lot 97—Mobile & Ohio Railroad survey, city of Meridian. Being 33 feet front on Lee's Avenue, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, to satisfy said executions and costs. Sale to take place between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.

JOSEPH HARKINS, Sheriff.
By Junius Means, Deputy.
July 4, 1867—tds.

J. J. NICHOLSON & CO.,

On Sydney Street, between Lee and Johnson Avenues.

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DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES.

WOULD call the attention of the public to their large and well selected stock of dry goods, which they offer at a small advance on cost, and hoping to give them a call, and to merit a share of their patronage. We do not promise to sell cheaper than any one else, but we do say that we will sell as low as the lowest, and we will not be undersold by any one. Call and see us. July 4, 1867—tf.

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for Cash, on the 22d day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office, in the city of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, to-wit:

OWNERS NAMES.	WHOSE SURVEY.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX.
Sallie Bass,	Ball's	29		4000	20 00
"	Ragsdale's	97	1 to 9	1800	8 00
F. Bass,	Bass'	(25 acres not laid off into lots)		1200	6 00
"	"	1	7	200	1 00
"	"	2	1	200	1 00
"	"	10	2 & 3	800	1 00
"	"	8	1 to 4	200	1 00
"	"	8	1 to 4	200	1 00
"	"	16	1 to 8	400	2 00
"	"	21	1 to 2	200	1 00
"	"	71	1 to 3	300	1 50
Estate H. Bird,	McLemore's	5	1 to 3	1200	6 00
"	M. & O. R. R.			400	2 00
H. R. Barnes,	Ragsdale's	23	13	2000	10 00
"	"	67	1	250	1 25
R H Breckinridge,	"		House	200	1 00
Wm. Barber, Jun.,	"		"	200	1 00
Bryson & Emanuel,	Ball's	31	1 to 16	300	1 50
"	"	9	8	100	50
Matt Calvert,	Ragsdale's	70	1&2	1000	5 00
S A Cullen	"		House	400	2 00
Mary A. Cox,	"	94	11&12	1500	7 50
A Calvert,	Ball's	8	5, 9&10	300	1 50
"	"	32	6&11	300	1 50
"	"	32	13	150	75
W H Cain, Sr.,	M. & O. R. R.		95	3800	19 00
"	"		½ of 95	500	2 50
Mrs Clark,	"		House	400	2 00
J H Clegg,	M. & O. R. R.		113&114	1500	7 50
Julia H Drinkwater	Ragsdale's	86	10&20	1800	9 00
Jno. Ethridge,	Ragsdale's	70	7	200	1 00
Est'r Peter Ringel,	W. H. Jackson,		½ acres	1500	7 50
" "	Bass'	9	2	1000	5 00
" "	"	2	2&3	1400	7 00
Frodicstein & Ottenstein,	Ragsdale's M. O. R. R.		14, 15, 16&17	400	2 00
Wm Foy,	Ball's	32	7&8	3200	16 00
B J N Filppen,	Linley's	10	5&6	100	50
Wm Foy,	Ragsdale's		House	1000	5 00
Jones & Little,	M. & O. R. R.		89	400	2 00
W. H. Jones,	"		House	600	3 00
Wiley Jones,	"		"	300	1 50
Estate Clem Lang	Lang's (60 acres "unsurveyed")			600	2 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,	1	3	12000	60 00
Ruffin H Mitchel,	Ragsdale's	62	10	1700	8 50
W H McGee,	do	68		250	1 25
Mrs McDowell,	do	do		300	1 50
John Martin,	do	house		400	2 00
D Maggard,	Ball's	200&250 feet		400	2 00
W Palmer,	M & O R R		38	500	2 50
W S Price,	do		123, 135, 137,		
			139, 140, 141,	1750	8 75
			142, 143		
Pierce & Edmondson,	do		134 and 136	600	3 00
R Y Rew,	do	house		1800	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ball's	32	8 and 8½	225	1 12
W R Richardson,	Ragsdale's	84	13 to 16	1000	5 00
S T Smith,	Ball's	33	9	150	75
F Smideker,	M & O R R		9	250	1 25
W A Smith,	Lindley's	11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon	"	house		100	50
W L Sadler	"	do		800	4 00
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's	4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R		13	250	1 25
"	Ball's	37		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,	McLemore's	house		500	2 50
T S Terry,	M & O R R		½ of 10	300	50
J M Trussell,	do	23	4	2000	10 00
Threefoot & Warren,	do	99	14	1500	7 50
J W Tiner,	Ball's	16	7	750	3 75
Est. Chas. Vosburg,	Ragsdale's	33	13 & 14	500	2 50
B B Wyndham	Ball's	30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
" Walker	M & O R R		131	1000	5 00
W H Webb,	do		4th, 41	250	1 25
Young & Brown,	"	house		1500	7 50
J W Young,	Bass'	2	1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Smith,	Lang's		134&200 feet	800	4 00
Marry Roberts,	Lindley's	12	3 & 4	200	1 00

Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. Where necessary, a more accurate description of the property advertised will be given on the day of sale. JUNIUS MEANS, Assessor and Collector.

June 20, 1867—tds.

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White Lead, Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Coal Oil, Paints of all Colors, etc.

Our stock embraces everything coming within the Drug Business. Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction.

All orders intrusted to our care, filled with promptness and accuracy.

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MERIDIAN, MISS.

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Railroad Directory.

...and Ohio Railroad.

...pass upat .....8.17 P. M.
...down .....5.10 A. M.
...lation train leaves at 6.30 A. M.
...arrives .....6.10 A. M.
...rain pass up at .....6.20 P. M.
...down .....7.25 P. M.
...down .....12.05 M.

...ss and Meridian Railroad.

...r train leaves .....9.05 A. M.
...arrives at .....04.55 P. M.

...Alabama and Great Southern Railroad.

...nger train leaves .....9.30 A. M.
...arrives .....4.06 P. M.
...ht trains arrive .....11.15 P. M.
...2.15 P. M.
...depart .....9.35 A. M.
...3.15 P. M.

...rains East connect daily at Meridian.
...G. N. R. R. trains going
...th at M. & G. R. R. Selma and
...ast at Meridian.

...ain West connects with N. O. J.
...R. R. North and South. Accom-
...dation train East connects with N. O.
...& G. N. R. R. South. Mondays, Wednes-
...days, Fridays, and North, Sundays, Tues-
...days and Thursdays.

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Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

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GOING NORTH.

Leave Grenada daily at 10.45 a. m. and 2.25 p. m. & arrive at Memphis at 6.05 p. m and 9.45 p. m. making connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for points north.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 5 p. m. and 1.30 a. m., making close connections with trains on Jackson Railroad.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
P. DAILEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

Starch Gloss, makes Old Linen look like new. 25 cents per cake.

Imperial Blue, Best in the World. 10 cents per box.

Watters Magic Ointment, for Sores, Burns, &c. 25 cents per box.

For sale by SMITH & ALFORD, and JNO. W. HARVEY.
may30wdsw1m.

By an oversight in our market reports great injustice has been done our merchants in the price of corn. Corn has been selling at from $1 30 to $1 35, and not $1 70, as appeared in our last quotations.

The examination exercises of Rev. J. B. Hamberlin's school commences to-morrow morning.

Meridian is to be a permanent military post. Maj. Norton has arrived with two companies of regulars, and informs us he will commence the erection of barracks at once. The Major is an excellent officer, and a clever gentlemen, and since troops are here, we return him our thanks to Gen. Ord for sending him here.

Our friends will find among our new advertisements that of Bielock & Co., of New Orleans, among the best known and most enterprising book sellers and publishers of the South. They are now adding to their already large publications of one day, a complete stock of stationery and books of every description which they offer for the most reasonable prices. Our readers who visit New Orleans should not fail to give them a call.

We call especial attention to the advertisement of the St. James Hotel, New Orleans, which appears in this issue. The St. James Hotel has been a favorite resort of Mississippians who visit the Crescent City, and though there has been recently a change of proprietors, a visit to the St. James last week satisfies us that it has lost one of its attractions for the public.

Maj. Hurl, of New Orleans, and Mr. Parkery, so well known as the proprietor of the Spotswood Hotel, Richmond, Va., are the present proprietors and will fully sustain the reputation of the house. Captain Heraden as book keeper and Messrs. Ogg and Bogian as clerks, know how to make their guests comfortable.

A telegraph office in the St. James Hotel presided over by our young friend, Mr. H. Callum, one of the cleverest gentlemen in the world and who has been for some time connected with the St. James. Mr. Callum was a telegraph operator for the army of Gen. Lee during the war, and in that capacity rendered efficient service.

We hope our friends who visit the city and desire telegraph facilities will call on Mr. Callum.

The original formula for the manufacture of the rare vegetable specific—Hop Jacket Bitters, is rigidly adhered to, its quality and proportions never vary—consequently its operation is uniform. Moreover, it does not deteriorate in any climate.

In answer to enquiries, we are requested by the law firm of Evans & Ford, to state that Judge Evans, of that firm, will spend most of his time, at the firm's office in Meridian, during the sitting of the Bankrupt Court; and that the firm are prepared to transact any business connected with proceedings in Bankruptcy.
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Our readers will find among our new Meridian advertisements, that of J. J. Nicholson & Co., who have opened a dry goods store at the place recently occupied by Sanford & Bro. They have on hand a well selected stock of dry goods and groceries, which they will sell on reasonable terms. Read their advertisement and give them a call.

A meeting of the members of the bar of Meridian, was held a few days since, at which it was agreed that fifty *dollars* would be the lowest fee for obtaining a *discharge* under the Bankrupt law, in North Mississippi, for the law has been fixed at one hundred dollars.

REGISTRATION AT MERIDIAN.—The total number of persons registered at Meridian is 3261; whites 2651, blacks 610.

In Clarke co., 54,775 whites and 61,210 blacks and registered 4,000 whites and 2,000 blacks.

Bankruptcy.

In accordance with the rules adopted by the Supreme Court for the proceedings in Bankruptcy, Judge Ryan has made an order designating the time and place at which Congressional District at which the Register in Bankruptcy will attend for the purpose of disposing of petition and other business. The place designated are Meridian, Jackson and Vicksburg. Col. Geo. McKee, who is the Register for this District, will attend Meridian the first week in each month, Jackson the second week, and Vicksburg the third week. The additional time will be given whatever business may demand it. As there has not been sufficient time to have any cases ready for next week, the first business transacted for this part of the District will be during the first week in August.

We have received a copie of numbers of the Brazil Emigration Reporter, published at Rio de Janeiro, by Rev. Ballingerton Fite of this place. The paper is devoted to commerce, agriculture and emigration. There is much left of interest to those contemplating a removal to that far off country, and in our next issue we may give them the benefit of some extracts.

Mr. T. S. Williams, the General Superintendent of the New Orleans & Jackson Railroad, announces that on and after July 10th, the local fare will be seven cents per mile. A discount of two cents, as a consequence the fashionable thoroughfares are crowded with ladies, much to the satisfaction of the conductors, who are paid according to their profits. Otherwise the city is rather dull,—or withstanding the presence of the Convention and the various exhibitions occurring.

The people of Kentucky have been foremost in efforts to supply the needy of the South. Several cargoes of flour and corn have been so extended as they have been generous; and though most of their contributions have been to Georgia, because it was supposed that the most suffering was there, many benefactions have been forwarded to our State. But few applications have been made from Mississippi, and little publicity has been given to the needy condition of our poor widows and their children. It is a pity that we did not make known the fact long since, that Meridian was work by the freedmen, who have left their homes seeking food for their families, and often returning to their cheerless homes empty handed. Why, we were asked the other day, did you not tell us? We did not be known before! Simply for the reason, we replied, that our merchants had supplied this destitution and freedmen had gone beyond their reach. It has been suggested by some that vegetables are now coming in and the danger of starvation is past. This last season from the South, from localities, it must be supposed, where large donations from the noble hearted Kentuckians have been distributed generously and given relief.

We insist that the true policy is to help people until corn begins to bear, and then assistance will not be required under what we have mentioned. The benevolence of this State are ready, but a thing still to divide upon—that is, the destitution of the suffering South is deep rooted in the hearts of her sons and daughters, although few of them are making expenditures. Even in the Northern States there are many who are forwarding funds to purchase supplies for our unfortunate people.

The "South Western Relief Commission" of Louisville, has not yet turned a deaf ear to any cry, as far as we have heard. We applied for corn and a load or two was at once granted for our region—while an application from Macon for Kemper county was literally responded to and a car load was since been ordered to our place for Neshoba. This last was consequent upon a letter received and announcing from there the destitution. If other suffering counties will address Saml A. Miller, Esq. Secretary of the commission here, they will receive something, if advices reach him before its labors are brought to a close.

The responsible element we made, by invitation, before the "Ladies South-ern Relief Association," of the sum of $200 was voted to be invested in corn for our people. A lady handed in the list of additional but declined to let her name be known. It could not but touch a Southern heart to witness the generous feeling by these devoted ladies for our misfortunes and our suffering poor. They spend their time cheerfully and labor faithfully to raise funds to aid in the benevolent work of relieving the destitute and friendless. Mrs. Eliza Fields, the whole souled President, is not unknown in Mississippi. But this organization has determined to wind up, and direct its remaining means towards providing for what might be termed refugee homes from starvation's domains.

If the "Kentucky Baptist Southern Relief Association" should succeed its operations are a little more of the destitution in our State is appalling, it is to be feared that much suffering will ensue, and possibly the growing crops be yet abandoned. Let us hope for the best, and trust that the President's Bureau will be able to prevent absolute starvation, if nothing more. D.

Through the agency of the party in power, we are to be restored to the Union, no matter what efforts the anti-convention party may make to the contrary. Let none be deceived, and lulled into masterly inactivity by dreams of a northern re-action. The party now holding the reins of government is determined to put us back in the Union, and those who go with the anti-convention bulk, will walk up when, perhaps, we are bound by more than military thongs and visions of faded glory are tertaring their distracted vision.

The Colfax Chronicle announces Wednesday, as the day on which the Grant Parish Democratic Executive Committee will meet to appoint delegates to the State Convention.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The Court of Claims has rendered judgment against the United States in fourteen cotton claims, involving $110,000, under the law of restitution to loyal owners, and holds twelve under advisement.

In the former case, the court was occupied to-day in hearing evidence regarding the death of Booth, whose diary was produced. Colonel Conger was on the stand, and testified that it was in the same condition as when he saw it five weeks ago, before the Judiciary Committee, and as when taken from Booth.

BOSTON, June 25.—The President and suite stopped at the State House to-day.

The President, in company with Secretary Seward, Postmaster General Randall, Surgeon Norris, Col. W. G. Moore and others of the party, were escorted to the capitol by several members of the governor's staff, and a committee of municipal authorities. Thousands of persons of both sexes were in the streets of the scene. Loud and repeated huzzas by the multitude were given for the Chief Magistrate of the Republic. The President in the course of the day immediately afterwards received similar honors. He acknowledged the compliment, bowing with uncovered heads.

Soon after the company had entered the Hall, Gov. Bullock introduced the distinguished visitor. He said:

"MR. PRESIDENT:—We regard the visit of the President of the United States as an augury of the harmony, prosperity and stability of our Union. [Applause.] The President spoken of in the past as the ruler of a whole country by becoming himself an exemplar promising mutual acquaintance, mutual interests, and which overlying the one in political interest. It is in the cause of the general welfare, with a loyal pride, that I take great satisfaction in welcoming you to the Capital of Massachusetts." [Applause, in which all the spectators joined.]

The President said:

"Governor,—I did not intend making an address upon this occasion, but I cannot refrain from a single remark: If we were all brought together and made known to each other, and could see and understand each other better, the differences which operate unfavorably in keeping the Union, would, and which are for the part imaginary, would disappear. [Applause.]

"The superficial and slight say our prejudices would then be removed. The State would stand in close harmony with the States of the Union. That is the cause said our nation is too large to hold together. So I will take up your remarks in proposition and say it is too large to divide. The whole cannot get along without the parts, nor the parts without the whole. [Renewed applause.] We should be one united, happy and prosperous people. [Applause.] I am glad to meet those I represent. I thank the people, through you, for this manifestation of their kind regard. [Great applause.]

NEW ORLEANS, June 25.—A dispatch from Galveston says an Austrian passed through that city to-day en route North, representing himself as an officer of Maximilian. He stated that the Emperor had been pardoned, on condition of his leaving the country as soon as the ports of Vera Cruz were reopened for his departure.

The Times this morning, in an article commenting on several of Sheridan's telegram to Gen. Grant, says it contains gross inaccuries of fact and errors of law and logic. It says if the country takes the gauge of this remarkable document be sanctioned by any considerable portion of the American people or the Constitution be better be consigned at once to the flames and the country be delivered over to anarchy and chaos.

RICHMOND, June 25.—Registration in this city, as reported to-night, amounted to 1,003; whites, 1,280. In the country it stands: colored, 383; whites, 93.

NEW YORK, June 26.—The Ironclad Dunderberg, recently purchased by France sprung a leak a few days since. She was towed into dock, but it was found impossible to raise her. New appliances are in progress.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The State Department has advices of the total wreck of the steamship Sacramento off Madras. No lives were lost.

Quite few members of the Judiciary Committee are present. They have adjourned until to-morrow.

Nothing startling has been developed in the Surratt case.

General Grant was on the stand, testifying in regard to having seen Jacob Thompson at Vicksburg. There was a sharp colloquy between the counsel regarding Thompson. The prosecution declined saying whether Thompson was connected with the conspiracy, but wished to show the connection between him and the prisoner in many matters.

Mrs. Mary Benson was on the stand.—She stated that she had been to Canada, and that she got her own and her husband's expenses and twenty dollars per day during their presence there.

The prosecution announced that it would close the evidence in two or three days.

Collector Kellogg, of New Orleans, telegraphs to the Secretary of the Treasury denying the report of yellow fever there.

Secretary Wells addressed a letter to Secretary Stanton regarding the application from Gen. Sickles for a steamer to carry out reconstruction. He says that the Department of course would not feel justified in such funds for such a purpose; besides, it has neither the officers nor men for such a vessel.

Speculations regarding Gen. Grant's answer to Gen. Sheridan, are unworthy of the least credit. The matter is kept a profound secret here.

Hon. H. C. Peck, Consul General for Hayti, is dead.

The President is expected here Friday.

PORTLAND, Me., June 26.—The Democratic convention has nominated Eben F. Pillsbury for Governor.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—The Presidential train left at 8:30. Thousands were at the railway depot and gave him repeated cheers on his passing.

CHARLESTON, June 26.—The jury in the case of Boag and others, tried for the murder of Dr. Dibble, a recent case of the Confederate, deliberation, recorded a verdict of not "guilty." The prisoners were discharged.

Judge Moses has issued an order prescribing for the next jury panel to being composed in conformity to Radical Orders. Gen. Sickles declaring the right of all citizens, without distinction of color, to serve on juries.

NEW YORK, June 26.—The monitor Dunderberg has been raised, and repairs completed.

Advices per steamer Persia, state that the council of the English Reform League has issued an address to the European workingmen, denouncing wars and the maintenance of large armies.

Burmah is still threatened with famine.

MEMPHIS, June 26.—Jeremiah Hall was found hanging near Hernando, Tenn., a paper on his person said that he was hung by the outraged people for horse stealing.

SAVANNAH, June 26.—Registration commenced in this city to-day. 53 white, and 151 colored persons have been registered. Two hundred and fifty whites and 1,000 Presidential party are here. They were met by the staff of Gov. English and the Mayor and City Council, and escorted.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The President is answering Gov. English, said: "Every body is familiar with my views and I refer what my views are in reference to the first principles of government. My acts before the people of the country are consistent and will be to what will be my future course."

The Japanese North American is ashore at South Point. The passengers and crew were saved. The vessel is a total wreck.

The United States steamer Wyandotte, with a party of scientific gentlemen on board, left Charleston harbor this morning for Florida.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WOMAN'S INFLUENCE.—Man has no power to resist the silent eloquence with which woman's soft blandishments and sweeter smiles speak to the warm and generous heart. Her vocation is to do good, and her presence adds a halo of glory by gladdening the dejected, comforting the distressed and cheering the path of pilgrimage of man. And shall we fail to respond to her wants? Look around you and behold the misery depicted among the sickly females of your acquaintance. Go, go with lightning's speed and tell them to use English Female Bitters and be cured.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
MERIDIAN, Miss., June 25, 1867.

In accordance with a Resolution, passed by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Sept. 4th, 1866, the following named gentlemen are hereby appointed, and will constitute a Board of Health for this City, and will serve during the ensuing months, viz: Aldermen Hart, Smith and Rush, and Drs. Jno. R. Kirkland and Wm. H. Burton.

In pursuance of the approval vested in them, it is requested that all citizens keep their premises in a clean condition, and are advised to freely sprinkle lime and other disinfectants, as a preventative of disease.

The Board will visit the premises of citizens, and make such suggestions, as may be in their opinion, conducive to health.

R. L. HENDERSON,
June23-3t. Mayor.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed by D. M. Hardwicy, on the 20th of May, 1867, to secure the payment of a certain note, due to Jno. R. Kennedy, Bridges, Melfield, and recorded in the office of the Probate Clerk of Lauderdale County, Miss., in deed book No. 3, folio 73 and 74, the undersigned as trustees, will on the first Monday in August next, 1867, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 P. M. sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described lots in the city of Meridian, to-wit: Lots No. 13 and 14, Square 12, in the city of Meridian, according to the Republican survey, and make a deed of the same to the purchasers as trustees, conveying such title as is vested in us trustees only. The title we believe to be good.

J. J. SHANNON.
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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Davis to be Killed if found on United States Soil.

A Washington correspondent of the Erie (Penn.) Dispatch writes as follows, which he says he can testify to:

When it was found that Davis was to go on bail, a matter which every one here looks upon as an actual discharge, the excitement among the veteran soldiers knew no bounds. The result had been published days before, and, half expecting it, a meeting was privately called, at which some sixty discharged soldiers were present, who bound themselves sacredly together under the name of "Andersonville League," every member subscribing to a solemn oath that if justice failed its duty they would take justice in their own hands.

This brotherhood no man was qualified to enter but who had suffered either from wounds or imprisonment in the rebel pens during the war. It now extends to New York, Philadelphia and Boston. While the bail was being arranged by the court at Richmond on the day set for the trial, a paper was handed in to Davis' council, Charles O'Conor, of New York, warning him of the existence of such a league, and naming two men in the court room as members.

These men were seized as soon as they left the room, on a mock charge, and taken to jail, and were not released until a week after, when Davis was in New York. It will be remembered that Davis arrived in New York during the night; that he kept concealed as much as possible while at the New York hotel, no one being admitted but those who were personally known to some of the parties; that he was suddenly removed from the hotel to Brooklyn, where he remained until his departure; that he left New York alone and in disguise for Montreal, his party and family following only when he supposed there of his safe arrival. When it is understood that the brotherhood were upon his track, and that he was conscious of it, this strange conduct is easily accounted for. According to the oath, as long as he remains upon foreign ground he is safe; so it is hardly probable that he will again set foot upon the soil of the United States, at least until he feels easier in mind than at present.

WRITING FOR THE PRESS.—Bayard Taylor's first "Random Letter" from Europe, is dated at Gotha, Germany, and was printed in the Tribune of Friday last. In speaking of writing for the public eye, he truly remarks: "We all know how much superior in frankness, ease, and fresh and racy life is any private correspondence to that which is specially written for publication. In the latter case, one always has a sense of invisible eyes peering over his shoulder, and his thoughts take, unconsciously, a more conventional form. Every correspondent, I imagine, feels this restriction, and the dashing, rollicking air which some writers assume, in a spirit of resistance, threatens to degenerate into a different conventionality. The true middle ground has been discovered by a few lucky individuals (we all know our friend of the 'Easy Chair!") but their success, alas! is not a matter for imitation. How shall I hope, marching over ground which has been beaten dry and hard by thousands of feet, to escape felling into decorous dulness on the one hand, or tinkling triviality on the other?"

GENERAL SWAYNE.—The Ohio Statesman, speaking of Gen'l Swayne, says: "Old and respected citizens elected to office to care for the interests of a great city, are turned out at the whim or pleasure of this egotistical strip-ling in epaulettes. In this city where this man Swayne is well known and rightly appreciated, and where he could not be elected to the lowest office, men wonder at the impotency of an administration that selects such a man for high position."

There is good sense and sound advice in the following from the National Intelligencer:

"We are glad to see the 'Southern Opinion' taking a practical course. It is necessary that all the friends of constitutional government, North and South, should regard things as they are, and not as they ought to be.—More damage has been done to the South and to the friends of the South by the intemperance of a few intemperate writers than by any other means. Every intemperate paragraph from the Southern journals is copied far and wide in the North as an evidence of Southern temper and Southern opinion. What we want now is calm, temperate argument, and a statement of facts that will convince the people of the North without prejudice or passion.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—We learn that Mr. David C. Rush, one of the most thorough going and respectable planters of this county, with two negro men, was repairing his mill-dam on Buttahatchie River, on Tuesday, when all parties were drowned. How the fatal accident occurred, is not known, as none live to tell the story. It is supposed, however, that the boat was capsized, and no helping hand being near, all three went down together.—Columbus Sentinel.

The Congressional Republican Committee have engaged the Rev. John V. Given, colored speaker of Charleston, S. C., to canvass the South and address the people.

While the Woman's Rights Convention was in session in Albany, a horse car was crowded. When he entered a seat were seeking female. An old gent rose to give her a seat. "No you can of these women rights!" he cried. "I have applied the account. "You believe a woman should have all the rights of a man, do you?" "Yes, sir, I do, was the emphatic answer. "Then, madam, if you stand up and enjoy them like a man!"

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They have been engaged in mercantile business to this county for many years, and believing that they understand the wants of the people, flatter themselves that they have selected a stock full, complete and varied, that it cannot fail to give satisfaction.
Having established themselves at this centre of trade, they hope to see their old friends and to make new ones.
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P. V. REW,
Secretary.

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LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will in accordance with orders from Head Quarters 4th District, Vicksburg, Miss., visit the precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress "to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States":

Meridian,	Saturday, June 15, 67, remain 10 days.		
Marion,	Monday,	" 17,	" 5 days.
Lauderdale,	Friday,	July 5,	" 6 days.
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Daleville,	Saturday,	" 20,	" 3 days.
Martin's Ben,	Thursday,	" 25,	" 3 days.
Rushings's S. M.	Monday,	" 29,	" 3 days.
Enterprise,	Thursday,	Aug. 1,	" 3 days.
Chunkeyville,	Monday,	" 5,	" 3 days.
Shubuta,	Friday,	" 9,	" 3 days.
Toomsuba,	Monday,	" 12,	" 3 days.
Alamutcha,	Monday,	" 19,	" 3 days.
Why Not,	Friday,	" 23,	" 3 days.
Archusa,	Monday,	" 26,	" 3 days.

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Citizens generally are respectfully requested to give publicity to this notice. All who are entitled under the act of Congress to vote are asked to remember this opportunity to register. Employers of freedmen are requested to facilitate their attendance on the Board. The Board will endeavor to facilitate registration, and it is desirable that all classes entitled to vote should be present for their attendance at the places and times appointed.

WM. KATHEY, }
A. SLOAN, } *Registrars.*
A. SMALLY, }
Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

Important Decision in the United States Courts at Oxford, June Term, 1867.

L. NORDLINGER vs. C. M. VAIDEN.

This is an action by plaintiff against defendant for the amount alleged to be due upon a promissory note executed on the 5th day of December, 1860, by defendant to plaintiff, by which he promised, sixty days after date to pay to plaintiff the sum of fourteen thousand and five hundred dollars. The declaration is in the usual form, to which the defendant plead several pleas, the first of which is the only one now under consideration, the second and third pleas being the same in substance.

This plea alleges that the note sued on, was given to secure the purchase money for certain salt works and appurtenances, purchased by defendant from plaintiff, upon the same day that said note was executed; that said contract was reduced to writing and signed by plaintiff, in which it was stipulated that plaintiff sold to defendant the property mentioned, for the sum of eighteen thousand dollars, to be paid within sixty days thereafter in Confederate treasury notes; provided, that if a certain portion of the property described, should be ascertained not belong to the plaintiff, then the purchase price should be reduced to fifteen thousand dollars; that such was ascertained to be the fact, and the price was so reduced; five hundred dollars in Confederate notes being then paid, and the note sued on executed for the remainder, the understanding being that the same was to be paid in Confederate treasury notes, as agreed upon in said written contract; that said contract and agreement was to pay in an issue made expressly to aid the belligerent power then waging war against the United States, and in rebellion against the authority thereof, and was a contract in aid of the rebellion and therefore illegal, against public policy, and void.

To this plea the plaintiff replied, that the note sued on was not payable in Confederate treasury notes. To this replication the defendant demurred, and for cause states the following:

First: Because the said replication neither admits or denies the allegations and contract stated in said plea.

Second. That said replication is otherwise insufficient, uncertain, &c.

It is manifest that if the plea is a good defence to the action, the replication is bad, for the reason that it neither admits nor denies the contract as stated, which brings the Court at once to consider the sufficiency of the plea.

It is insisted by plaintiff's counsel, that the note sued on, and the contract as stated in the plea, not referring the one to the other, parol evidence is admissible to connect them. This position is too untenable to require more than a passing notice. In Sec 233, 1st Greenleaf's Evidence, it is held, that "while the controversy is between the original parties or their representatives, all their contemporaneous writings, relating to the same subject matter, are admissible in evidence," with numerous authorities there cited. In Parsons on Contracts (vol. 2, page 2,) it is held, that if there are contemporaneous writings between the same parties, so far in relation to the subject matter that they may be deemed as part and parcel of the same contract, although not referred to in it, they may be read in connection with it.

It is not usual to state in a promissory note or bill, for what consideration the note or bill was given. Nothing is more common in defence to such instruments, than to show by parol testimony what the consideration was, that it has failed, was illegal, or that the contract upon the part of the promisee has not been performed.

Taking and construing the two instruments together as set out in the pleadings, it is manifest that the note was executed to secure the payment of the purchase money, as stated in the contract of purchase in which it is stated that upon a certain contingency the price was to be fifteen thousand dollars. This plea alleges that upon the closing of the contract the sum of five hundred dollars was paid, and the same steel or was executed for the residue, these two sums making the amount of fifteen thousand dollars. This, upon reference to the contract, it will be seen, was to be paid in Confederate treasury notes. At this time these treasury notes, as compared with specie, were only worth about four cents in the dollar. From this it cannot be inferred that any fraud was in the forms of the contract could have been agreed upon; so that construing the two instruments together, I can come to but one conclusion, and that is, that the instrument stated in the plea, contains the terms of the contract, and the note, the promises on the part of the defendant to pay, sixty days thereafter, in Confederate treasury notes, the sum of fourteen thousand five hundred dollars, the balance then unpaid.

But it is urgently insisted by the plaintiff's counsel that the salt works, &c., being the consideration for which the note was given, which, not being tainted with any illegality, is unaffected by the illegality of the funds in which the payment was agreed to be made. Upon examination, this position will be found equally untenable, with the first, the illegality, if any such existed, commenced with the inception of the contract. The first paper evidencing the contract was executed by the plaintiff, who is now invoking the aid of this Court for its enforcement, and in it he agrees to take, in payment, the issue of the so-called Confederate States. If, in so doing, he violated the laws or polity of the United States, the Courts of this Government, whose laws and public policy were thus violated, surely cannot be invoked for the enforcement of such a contract; and this brings the Court to the question of the main question in this cause, which is, can such a contract be enforced? which, so far as I am informed, is the first time any of the Courts of the United States, superior or inferior, have been called upon for the adjudication of this question, notwithstanding the State Courts have given numerous and conflicting decisions thereon.

These decisions having no binding authority upon this Court, can only be considered as argumentative and persuasive, and no authority having been produced by which this Court can be bound, I am left to draw my conclusions, more from general principles, than any other source. With a desire to obtain all the light on the important question involved, the Court solicited from the able counsel who argued the question on both sides, the fullest argument and reference to authorities, and is of opinion the field has been fully explored, and from a deliberate and careful consideration of all that has been produced, with a sole desire of arriving at a correct conclusion, now states the following as the result:

The Constitution of the United States was adopted, not by the States in their sovereign capacity, but by the people as the Sovereign Power, acting through their delegates, chosen by them in convention assembled. True, the assent of the States were implied from their calling on the people to assemble in convention and ratify or reject the instrument thus submitted to them; the people were at perfect liberty to accept or reject it, and their act was final. It required not the confirmance of, and could not be negatived by the State Governments. The Constitution when thus adopted, was a complete obligation and bound the State Sovereignties. "The Government of the Union is a Government of the people; it emanates from them; its powers are granted by them; and are to be exercised on them, and for their benefit."

This was the doctrine declared by the Supreme Court of the United States in the opinion of Chief Justice Marshall in the case of McCulloch v. The State of Maryland et. al. (4 Wheaton, 316,) which has never been overruled. It therefore follows, that no State or number of States forming a portion of the Union, thus formed, had any right or authority under the Constitution thereof to withdraw their allegiance therefrom, without the consent of the other States forming that Union, and any attempt so to do was an act of rebellion against the Constitution and laws of the Government of the United States. And all acts done by the people of such States, assuming to act either in a State or Confederate capacity, having as the object and purpose thereof the overthrow of, and resistance to, the authority of the United States therein, must be deemed by this and all other Courts of the Union, as illegal, and against the policy of the Government of the United States, and, as a consequence, void.

With all due deference to the opinions of the others, I must say that it is strange that any one acquainted with the history of the events which transpired in the United States, and especially in the insurrectionary States, since the first of the year 1861, should come to the conclusion that the issues by the so-called Confederate States, commonly known as Confederate money, were issued for any other purpose that to aid the most gigantic, prolonged and persistent effort to throw off and oppose the Government and laws of the United States, ever made against any Government, and which failed of success.

Call this combination and organization by what name you please, Confederate States, States in rebellion, or belligerent power, it is a well established fact that within a very short period after its commencement, the issues of what was then known as money, and which is regarded as one of the very sinews of war, within the control of this Power, became exhausted. Indeed, if the history of that time is true, many of the most ardent supporters of this Power, placed their money beyond its reach, either in specie hid in recesses at home, or within the vaults of some bank or other secure place abroad. Those charged with furnishing a substitute for this indispensible means of carrying on the war, devised the issues in question. It was this and kindred issues, issued by the different States in the Confederation, that enabled the belligerents to keep up the contest until the close. The result and consequences of which are now seen and felt by millions of all classes inhabiting this one of the most favored lands upon which the sun casts his rays, and who, but for the efforts thus sustained, would today have been the most happy and prosperous people on the globe.

Believing that this Court, at least, must consider these issues in themselves as illegal and contrary to public policy, they cannot inquire as to how far contracts in which they were agreed to be taken as payment, made between citizens as in their private dealings, are to be effected thereby. The general rule is, that in a corrupt fountain never sends forth a pure stream, nor does an evil tree bring forth good fruit. It is difficult to conceive how a party dealing with that which is illegal, and at the same time knowing its illegality, can exhonorate himself from its effects.

The argument to take these issues in payment, was giving to them credit. Without credit, voluntarily given, or coercively exacted, they would have been harmless.

I have been unable to come to any other conclusion than this, that all acts done which tended to aid the effort to oppose and overthrow the Government and authority of the United States, of which the contract stated in the plea was one, must be, by this Court, considered as illegal, against public policy, and void.

It has been insisted that although the so-called Confederate Government fell short of establishing a de facto Government, it was nevertheless such belligerent power as to afford to the citizens under its control, and subject to its power, all the rights and exemptions of citizens within a de facto Government, and that such being the case, the issues so made and the transactions passed thereon, should be upheld and enforced. Admitting this to be true, so far as it related to events during its continuance, or to exemptions now from punishment or liability for acts done during said time, yet no authority has been shown, and I presume none can be found, in which contracts made or rights acquired under a mere *de facto* Government have subsequently been respected or enforced, unless recognized by the political department of the Government, succeeding such *de facto* Government. No such recognition has been made by the political department of this Government in relation to those or any other issue or acts done in aid of the rebellion, and it is not probable that it ever will be, and if not, as it will be, left as they were at the close of the contest on all those subjects. True it is, that under the Cromwell usurpation, rights acquired thereunder were upheld; but upon investigation, it will be found that this was sanctioned by the political department of the Government succeeding the usurpation.

The foregoing being the conclusions to which I have come upon the questions presented, it follows as a consequence, the pleas in question must be held good, the replications thereto bad.

It is therefore ordered by the Court, that the demurrer, which is asked by plaintiff's counsel to be applied to the pleas, as such, be overruled, and as to the replications, be sustained, with leave to plead over within thirty days.

ROBERT A. HILL, Judge.

The workshops on the east side of the Nashville railroad burned Saturday night. Loss $80,000, with $25,000 insurance.

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BANKRUPT FORMS AND BLANKS.

We have received an official copy of the rules and orders, together with the forms and proceedings in Bankruptcy, as promulgated by the Supreme Court of the United States, and are now printing a large number of blank petitions in Bankruptcy.

The petition, with the necessary schedules makes twelve pages. They will be printed in good style, on the finest quality of cap paper, and in strict conformity to the law. We intend printing immediately all the blanks used in Bankrupt proceedings, and will furnish them to Attorneys and others on the most reasonable terms.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

Important Military Orders.

The Clarion in noticing the orders recently issued by Gen. Ord, says:

We publish for information two important orders, which have recently emanated from Military Headquarters.

By Order No. 15, civil officers are forbidden to collect the tax levied upon freedwomen and minor freedmen under the 6th section of the act of November, 1865. This section as we published some days ago, was repealed by the Legislature, Feb. 13, 1867, in view of its manifestly discriminating character; but in some of the counties, sheriff's were still proceeding to collect it on the ground that the repealing statute had reference to the assessments of the pressent year and not of the past—a construction which we do not think is warranted by the law itself, or the intention of its framers.

The same Order forbids the infliction of the penalty of hiring for nonpayment of taxes against freedmen, also applied to white persons. It is proper to say that whatever may have been the object of the Legislature, in the practical working of the law, the act itself makes no distinction of race or color. It is our opinion that the wisest course for the District Commander would have been to postpone the collection of this tax against indigent persons until after the present crop is gathered, say the 1st of December. To enforce the law against delinquents and take them from their crops at this busy and critical season in cultivating, would deprive the State of a vast deal of important labor, and secure to it the collection of a comparatively trifling sum.

Order No. 16, is designed to prevent the practice of an evil which we have endeavored to guard the people against; and to secure to the freedmen correct information concerning the legislation of Congress investing them with the privilege of suffrage. Gen. Ord instructs the Agents of the Bureau, to visit the interior, and impart to the negroes, information of their obligations and rights under these laws, which is the interest of both races and of our section, and ought to be, and we trust will be, freelygiven by the people among whom they are living.

The Waco (Texas) Spectator thus alludes to the speech of Capt. Chas. A. Jennings, formerly of this place, who was selected as orator on the occasion of the commencement exercises of the Waco University:

"He was followed by Capt. Jennings, whose address was characterized by an eloquence that commanded the profound attention of the entire audience. We have seldom listened to such a speech. Capt. Jennings by this distinguished effort, has shown conclusively that his diligent researches have not been confined entirely to Blackstone and Coke, but that he has also explored the wide fields of classical literature, with which his mind is so well fertilized."

Some Mississippi editors talk about "the white man's party" and voting down the Convention to secure white men's rights, with a zeal and avidity that would lend the uninformed to believe we could do and dare without being checked by Congress. This talk about the "white man's party" is all very fine, but it will never put Mississippi in the Union, or secure us the control of the State. The question is shall we vote with the negro or shall he vote with out us? Building up a white man's party when so many of our citizens are disfranchised, is simply handing the State over to freedmen and "mean whites."

The Military Commission at Vicksburg, has found George Chandler and Wm. Fears, of Yazoo county, guilty of horse stealing. They go to Dry Tortugas for five years.

Dr. J. W. Harmon and the Relief Question.

We entertain no personal feeling of unkindness toward Dr. Harmon; we desire to do him the fullest justice, and in our next issue will publish several letters we have received from him, besides numerous certificates which we find to be in Dr. H.'s handwriting, in reference to the destitution in the vicinity of Enterprise.

We have at no time denied that there was destitution and distress in the country. We feel grateful to those who have labored to relieve it, and nothing but a sense of duty, as well to the people at home as our friends in the West, impelled us to notice the article in the Cairo Democrat. If Dr. Harmon had been *misunderstood* or *misrepresented* by the Democrat, he could have made the explanation, and we would gladly have published it. We charged Dr. Harmon on the authority of that paper, with making certain representations about the people of Clarke, Lauderdale, Newton and Jasper. In reply he attempts to shift the blame on his friend of the Democrat, and in his letter of June 27th, says:

"I am responsible, and will stand by any speech that I have made in any place, where I have solicited help, but I will not be answerable for any editorials that have appeared on this subject."

This dodging will not do, Dr., the public expected you to state plainly whether or no the article in the Democrat *was published on the authority of your statements?*

For the information of those who have not read the article, we republish it, and ask the unprejudiced reader if it is not calculated to convey the impression that "nakedness and starvation" prevailed generally among the people of the counties named. That is the plain import and meaning of the following extract:

"The people of Clarke, Jasper, Lauderdale and Newton counties, Mississippi, whom he represents are in a pitable condition of destitution. They are without clothing to conceal their nakedness, and are barely kept alive by the bread of charity. He is here therefore to obtain provisions, money, or any kind of old cast-off clothing. Old dresses, coats, pantaloons, shirts, boots, or shoes, no difference how badly worn, will be received by these nearly naked people with feelings of the deepest gratitude."

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There is no doubt of the shooting of Maximilian. He was executed, as before stated, on the 19th ult., and his fate was shared by his two principal chieftains in the field, Miramon and Mejia. The date of the fall of the City of Mexico is now said to be on the 21st ult.

Horton, the Military Mayor of Mobile, has, at the request of two or three of the colored aristocracy, promptly removed eighteen white laborers from the street and horse and cart force of the corporation for the purpose of putting eighteen "cullud persons" in their places.

We printed the other day from the Clarion, a paragraph to the effect that postmasters before the war were not required to take an oath to "support the Constitution of the United States!" The Clarion of a later date announces that it was mistaken, and that postmasters were required to swear to support the Constitution. Persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

The Female Academy at Livingston, Alabama, was struck by lightning on Tuesday last. No one was hurt, though one of the classes was reciting in the room at the time.

The Johnson and Wooley Tragedy.

We find in the last number of the Enterprise Star fuller details of this shocking affair. A reporter for that paper who visited Wooley's house as soon as the killing was known, gives the following account:

I went in company with several gentlemen to Mr. Wooley's house at about 10 o'clock, on Monday evening, June 24th. On entering the house from the front door, I saw first, Mr. Wooley, lying dead in the hall, his head having the appearance of being beaten with some heavy instrument, and bleeding profusely. Mrs. Wooley was in the hall beyond Mr. Wooley, her head broken and bleeding, her head and shoulders supported by the wall. Casey Wooley was in the room to the right (or on the North side of the hall,) laying just opposite the door that leads into the room from the hall where Mr. and Mrs. Wooley were lying, her head broken and bleeding.—She was alive, moved and moaned as if in great pain. She was able after a few moments to speak and raise her head, part of her body resting on her elbows.

I confess this to have been the most horrible sight I ever witnessed. I was attended by those circumstances which served to render it so. The attitudes of the dead bodies—Wooley lying straight, his head thrown back as if in death by a spasm, his mouth open, blood in a large pool around his head, Mrs. Wooley with her head and shoulders held up by the wall, her chin tucked under, in her night clothes, blood in puddles about her and still flowing from the gaping wounds in her skull. Casey lying on her face bleeding and moaning. All seen by a dim light, the darkness profound, and, as yet no clue to the cause or author of the bloody deed. It seemed as if some terrible demon of revenge was loose in our midst, whom none could see, but say or all might meet and feel in a moment.

The following is the coroner's inquest held over the dead body of Johnson:

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, }
COUNTY OF CLARK. }

We, the undersigned, summoned, sworn, and charged to make inquest over the body of William Johnson, find, upon our oaths, on the evidence before us, that the said William Johnson died on the morning of the 25th inst., from the effects of a pistol shot in the bowels, which he received at the house of one H. A. Wooley, on the night of the 24th inst in said county and State. While much of the evidence would indicate a conspiracy to murder Mr. Johnson, and that some other person was present besides the family of Wooley and Mrs. Weaver and her children, we find from all the evidence that the fatal shot was given Mr. Johnson by H. A. Wooley.

Given under our hands this (28th) day of June, A. D. 1867.

Signed G. C. CHANDLER, Foreman.
G. W. HOLDEN,
C. KRAMER,
SAMUEL PUTNAM,
JAMES M. BOYD.
A. G LEVY.

The statement of Johson's dying declaration copied in this paper from the Mobile Times in reference to Mr. Sherman, was erroneous. He had nothing to do with the parties and is placed right in the Times of July 2d.

The following is a correct statement of Johnson's declaration made a short time previous to his death:

On Saturday I received a note from Casey asking me to come over and see her last night. In the same note she informed me that she had been married at 8 o'clock on last Monday morning, a week ago yesterday. I answered her note, stating I would come if agreeable to her. I did go over last night. When I got to the gate Wooley's little dog came out barking at me. Wooley came forward towards me, and said: "There you are again, you damned rascal." I answered him, "You are a damned rascal, yourself." He asked me what I came there for. I told him "that I came to see Casey, and meant no harm." He said I couldn't see her, and immediately struck me with the axe, and in a second afterwards shot me. I grabbed him, jerked the axe from him and knocked him down with it. Just before I was shot I heard some one—a man's voice, I thought—say "shoot the d—— son of a b——." Whoever this was ran off, going out by the back way. I feel confident that it was a white man. Mrs. Weaver. When I was shot I thought it was a plan concocted to murder me, and when I got the axe I knocked with it on all sides of the room, at any one in whom I thought was that I struck. There was no light in the house and I do not know who or how many persons were there. I do not recollect seeing any person there except Mr. Wooley, his wife and their daughter Casey. I have no idea who it was that ran out of the back way after crying out to "shoot the d—— son of a b——." I have no recollection of going into either of the rooms; I know only what I was told when I recovered. I think the pistol now shown me by J. W. Winn (it being the pistol found near Wooley's body) is mine; I had one like it with me at Wooley's but it was not loaded; when I left I came out of the front gate, and came immediately home. I did not run until I found I was bleeding profusely.

Signed, J. W. JOHNSON.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th June, A. D., 1867.
JAMES W. WINN, J. P.

E. S. Perryman, who shot O. L. Hall, in Mobile, about the 21st of May last, was tried Wednesday. In less than five minutes the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty."

Mr. D. J. Files, who got up the "Kelly riot" in Mobile, is to be tried by a Military commission.

ANNEXATION.—From the N. O. Bulletin we learn there has been a nice bit of diplomacy going on between Uncle Sam and Benito Juarez, which is likely to result in the annexation of a considerable slice of Mexican territory to the United States. Since the recent troubles in Mexico, it seems that Juarez obtained the loan of 45,000,000, from the U. S. Government, for which he mortgaged the territory of New Mexican States, Tamaulipas and San Luis Potosi.

Mrs. Mary Gilmore, of Springfield, Mass., a widow sixty-five years old, cut a frightful gash in her abdomen, on Saturday, and completely detached her bowels from her body, notwithstanding which, she lived over forty hours, and made a will.

From the Cairo Democrat, June 8th.

Another Call for Relief.

NAKEDNESS AND STARVATION.

Dr. J. W. Harmon, representing the Enterprise and East Mississippi Relief Society, is now in the city. He holds a commission to act, signed by Gov. Humphreys of Mississippi, and stamped with the seal of the State.

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General Orders, }
No. 15. }

It appears that a poll tax, authorized to be imposed on freedmen by the County Boards of Police in the State of Mississippi, under section VI. of the Act of the Legislature, approved November 24th, 1865, entitled "an Act to amend the vagrant laws," is still levied and collected, and this act, so far as it discriminates against freedmen, being manifestly contrary to the Act of Congress, passed 9th April 13th, 1866, commonly called the Civil Rights Bill, therefore, all officers are hereby forbidden to levy or collect any tax imposed upon freedmen or negroes as a class, or that is not equally laid upon all persons without distinction of race or color, and such officers are likewise prohibited in the case of freedmen and negroes, from inflicting or executing any fine or penalty, such as hiring to labor for nonpayment of taxes, or recognizing as proofs of evidence which penalty or evidence is not actually executed upon and applied to white men under similar circumstances.—All civil officers will be held to strict accountability for failing to comply with the instructions herein promulgated. Post commanders and officers of the Bureau, of Refugees Freedmen and Abandoned Lands in this District, will report any violation of the foregoing order which may come to their knowledge.

By command of Brevet Major General Ord.

O. D. GREENE,
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Official: JNO. TYLER,
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Act'g. Ass't. Adj't. Gen'l.

HEADQ'RS FOURTH MILITARY DISTRICT,
Mississippi and Arkansas,
VICKSBURG, MISS., June 29th, 1867.

General Orders, }
No. 16. }

As a mistaken idea on the subject of registering and voting may be spread or arise among the freedmen in this District, which, if not corrected, would tend to prevent them from registering and voting, Sub-District Commanders will direct the Agents of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands to visit every important plantation within their reach, and instruct the freedmen upon these points. They and registrars will inform freedmen that the registration, where their names have to be entered and an oath taken, is not for the purpose of imposing any tax, or holding them to any military or other service, but simply to enable them to share equally with the white men in the privilege of choosing who shall hold office in the County, State and United States wherein they reside, and that unless they register, they may be deprived of this privilege.

Whenever freedmen are interferred with, threatened, or deprived of any advantage, place or hire, on account of their registering, or showing a wish to register, they will be informed that it is their duty to report such interference or deprivation, so that the party offending may be dealt with according to law. Registrars and officers of the Army throughout the District, will report all such offenders to the Assistant Adjutant General at these Headquarters, with the names of the witnesses, dates and places given carefully, so that the offence may be punished.

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Josh Billings on Gongs.

Josh Billings relateth his first experience with thogong thusly:

"I never can eradicate hull from mi memory the sound of the first gong I ever herd. I was setting on the front step ov a tavern in the sitty of Bufferio pensively smokin. The sun was going to bed, and the hevins for an hour was blushing at the performance. The Ery Kanal, with its golden waters, was on its way to Albany, and I was pursuin the line botes a floatin by, and thinkin or Italy (wher I used to liv) and her gondoliers and gullus wimmin. Mi entire sole was, as it were, in a swet.—I seemed to kilmes. I felt grate, I natcherly grew. There are things in this life tu big tu be trifled with; there are times when a man brakes luce from hisself when he sees spirits, when he can almost tush the mune, and feels as tho he kud fill both hands with the stars of hevin, and almost aware he was a bank president. That's what ailed me. But the korse or tru luv never did run smoth (this is Shakespeare's opinyun too,) just as I was duing my best to dummer, dummer, spat, bang, heller, crash, roar, ram, dummer, dummer, whack, rip, rare, rally, dummer, dummer, dummer, I was struk with a tremenjus jim, struck in the center ov the sidewalk, with anuther I kleared the gutter, and with anuther I stood in the middle ov the street, snortin like an Indian pony at a band ov hawsik. I gazed in wild despare at the tavern stand, mi hart swelled up so big as a outdoor sausage, mi teeth was as luce as a string ov bedes. I that all ov the crockery in the tavern had fell down. I thot of Sennemore, the ole Gabriel and his horn. I was jest on the plut of saying something else when the landlord came out in front stapo ov the tavern holdin by a string the bottom ov a old bass kittle. He looked me gravly with his hand, I went sloth, and sloth up to him, he looked me over, he said it was a purty day. I sed the same thing, he said purty good whisky. I sed the same thing, he said purty good whisky. I sed the same thing, he said purty good whisky

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 2.33 P. M.
" " down ..... 6.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.30 P. M.
" " arrives ..... 9.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11.35 " " Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 3.05 " " Okolona 5.53 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Okolona 10.10 P. M. Corinth 1.30 A. M. Humboldt 3.20 " " Columbus, Ky. 10.5 " " Distance, 473 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

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Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 6.35 A. M.
" " arrives ..... 4.55 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" " arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 8.10 A. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.35 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 3.30 and leaves at 3.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, make quick time and sure connections by taking trains on Southern Railroad, leaving daily at Jackson, Miss., with trains on N. O., J. & G. R. Railroad; at Canton with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad; and at Grenada with trains of the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Grenada daily at 10.5 a. m. and 2.52 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6.45 a. m. and 6.45 p. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 2.30 a. m. and 2.40 p. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

Louisville Railroad for all points North.

A. R. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

FOR SALE

At this office, Petitions in Bankruptcy, with the accompanying Schedules.

WANTED.

TO purchase a good milk cow, for which a liberal price will be paid.

Enquire at this office. 2-w

During a recent visit to Enterprise, we stopped at the Enterprise Hotel, kept by our friend Capt. W. C. Turner, and found it a kept a pleasant and accommodating place. Our friends, who visit the flourishing city of Enterprise, will find the Hotel equal to any in this part of the State, and well deserve their patronage.

Attention is invited to the Calhoun Institute, for young ladies. This school is located at Macon, in Noxubee County, and is similar to the University of Virginia in mode of instruction and industries. The fact that it has been seventeen years under the management of Prof. Polindexter, is a sure guarantee of the popularity of the institution.

DIARRHŒA.—Why will our friends permit the various members of their family to suffer with Diarrhœa, Nausea and Vomiting, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Cholera Infantum and the Bowel Complaint among children, when a pleasant and effectual scientific preparation can be had that will give immediate relief? No family should be without a bottle. Thousands of bottles were sold during the cholera season last summer, in Memphis, with the happiest results. We allude to Dromgoole & Co's Red Diarrhœa Remedy, which we cheerfully recommend.

In answer to enquiries, we are requested by the law firm of Evans & Ford, to state that Judge Evans, of that firm, will spend most or all of his time, at the firm's office in Meridian, during the sitting of the Bankrupt Court; and that the firm are prepared to transact any business connected with proceedings in Bankruptcy.

Those who suffer from Liver Complaints may rely upon the Red Jacket Bitters, because they derive from its anti-bilious properties, immediate and certain relief when all the usual prescribed remedies have proved useless.

A gentleman just down from Kemper, speaks in glowing terms of the "crop prospects" there, and in that part of Lauderdale through which he travelled. The recent heavy rains have not done any material injury.

Private advices from Vicksburg announce that the cholera is on the increase in that city. The work of cleaning backyards and filthy resorts should be pushed forward vigorously by our municipal authorities. "An ounce of preventative is worth a pound of cure."

A fair but frail woman, who came here recently from Vicksburg, swallowed twelve grains of morphine Saturday afternoon, and came very near retiring from this mundane sphere. She is now, we understand, in a fair way to recover.

We call attention to the house and lot in Hickory, offered for sale by J. L. Matthews. The place is a very desirable one.

We mentioned recently that a negro named Belton Cline, had been arrested here, charged with having committed murder in Chester, South Carolina. Gov. Orr writes Mayor Henderson, that "Belton is charged, and no doubt truthfully, with having been engaged in two of the most atrocious murders which have occurred in any civilized country;" and he desires him to be securely kept until he can send an agent to have him brought back to South Carolina for trial—first at Chester, where he killed Mr. Walker, and if necessary, then at Newberry, where he killed Mr. Lane. Both of these murders were for money. Belton is securely ironed and will no doubt be on hand when Gov. Orr's agent arrives. Belton is a native of Chester, and an neighbor of the Walkers and Mortlocks.

Mission Free School.

The undersigned desires gratefully to acknowledge the following donations for the Episcopal Free School:

Mr. Lewis L. Ragsdale, Lot 12, Block 59; Dr. J. W. McLane, 4,333 feet lumber, Greer and Dial, 1,536 feet of lumber; John Baldwin & Co., two thousand shingles; Lloyd, White & Co., one thousand shingles; H. Y. Townsend, one thousand shingles; R. F. Coleman, twenty-five pounds nails; Capt. Ford, $5 00; Mr. James R. Dickey, $5 00; Mr. Shed, Free goods; Mr. Williamson, labor and teams in hauling.

Some contributions have also been made from a distance, and others promised. Five thousand shingles, 133 pounds nails, and sashes for window still needed. A subscription paper will be found at the drug store of Mr. R. Y. R. Chadwick, and citizens are respectfully invited to contribute. This enterprise must elicit the aid and sympathy of all good men.

It will advance the interests of our city. There are no Free Schools nearer than Columbus and Vicksburg.

A number of carpenters have signified their intention to assist in the erection of the building free of cost. This is noble generosity on their part, and is gratefully confessed as such.

God bless those who aid His poor.

Respectfully,

H. C. HARRIS.

Council Proceedings.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Meridian, Miss., July 6, 1867.

A regular meeting of the Board was held.

Present—R. L. Henderson Mayor, and Messrs. Ramsey, Hart, and Smith, Aldermen.

Proceedings of two meetings in June, read and approved.

Reports of committees being called for, the Committee on Guard House, asked further time, which was granted.

On motion, Messrs. Ramsey and Hart were appointed as a special Committee to draft a tax ordinance for the fiscal year, commencing July 1st, 1867, and report at a meeting to be called the ensuing week.

An election was held to fill a vacancy in the Police Force, occasioned by the resignation of A. Smith, and J. S. Carver, elected.

Received a petition from the citizens of the city, praying that the Board fix the price of dryage at 50 cents per load, and prohibit dryage from hauling for less.—Not granted because the Board has not the power to interfere.

A report from the Board of Health was received.

Report of Treasurer shows the city to be entirely without funds.

On motion, the Mayor was authorized to contract for the continuance of the city printing.

The following accounts were examined and ordered paid:

Bartlett, Sturges & Co., sundries per order Mayor.....	$25 95
Rosenbaum & Co., sundries for May—'67 office.....	7 00
Lloyd, White & Co., sundries to date.....	36 24
Jno. Baskins & Co., sundries for city.....	1 00
Wm. Clopton's bill, blacksmithing.....	2 75
Dr. Burton's attendance on pauper.....	113 00
Duncan & Hart, 6 cts for city uncle.....	3
D. Brann & Co., prescription for Mrs. Andrews.....	75
Hill, Henderson & Co., sundries to paupers.....	24 50
G. P. Shedd, recording cattle slaughtered.....	8 50
" Services as Marshal.....	40 00
A. B. Wagner, services as Sexton.....	21 00
Four policemen, $40 00 each.....	160 00

On motion, the Board adjourned.

Approved.

R. L. HENDERSON,
MAYOR.

J. Q. Lloyd, Clerk.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Meridian, Miss., July 8, 1867.

At the request of the military authorities of this Post, I do hereby call on all Retail Dealers in ardent or other intoxicating drinks, refrain from selling directly or indirectly, any intoxicating beverages to the enlisted soldiers. Nor will they sell in greater quantity than a drink to any person whom they suspect are purchasing for the soldiers. Wholesale dealers in the article are also requested to refrain directly or indirectly from selling to soldiers. As any infringement of this notice, will recall upon the heads of parties so doing, it is hoped that its provisions will be strictly observed.

R. L. HENDERSON,
MAYOR.

A collision occurred at Franklin, Tenn., on the 5th, between the Conservatives, whites, and blacks and Radicals of either color, during which Mr. Ed. Neal, a white man, was killed. Eight whites and eighteen blacks were wounded, three of the latter mortally. Cause—politics. An investigation will be necessary to fix the responsibility for the murderous affair.

The movements of the citizens of Natchez towards building a branch railroad to connect with the Jackson railroad, seems to be gaining ground. According to the Democrat of the 2d, the committee appointed at the meeting last week has been organized and will issue an address in the course of two or three days.

The Chicago Times in an editorial complaining of the failure of the city authorities to tunnel the river, gives its attachment as to the plan of establishing across the river an iron tubular bridge whose upper surface shall be on a level with the bottom of the river.

It appears from the following incidents, that Gen. Ord, who commands in the State of Mississippi, has some regard for civil authority:

On a recent occasion, a number of citizens of Madison county, in that State, petitioned Gen. Ord to send a cavalry force to capture a gang of horse thieves that were troubling the people. The General sent the cavalry force as was requested, with orders to report to the sheriff of the county and submit to his authority. It is evident from this, that Gen. Ord believes in authority and is to respect.

The Auditor of this State publishes the following list of lands that will be sold during the years 1867-8-9 and 70, for taxes:

1867.....	3,000
1868.....	3,000
1869.....	3,000
1870.....	3,000
Total.....	12,000

Certificates and Letters from Dr. Harmon.

ENTERPRISE, July 2, 1867.

MR. J. J. SHERMAN—

SIR—I send you only a small batch of certificates at the present writing, but will follow them by a great many more, reaching forth the facts of great destitution existing in various parts of the country.

I have been able to see but very few up to this time, but during the week, we anticipate quite an influx of the destitute who have been receiving food and clothing for the past five months.

I greatly fear that your strictures will leave the effect to cut off supplies from a large class of destitute who have been depending upon our efforts to keep them from actual suffering.

Yours truly,

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Now, my brother, can these families get a portion of the corn? If you will have it donated to them I will receipt you for it and see that they get it.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

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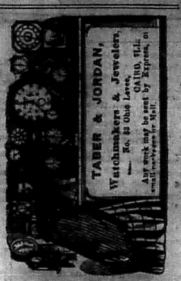

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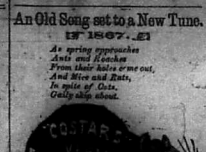

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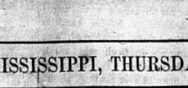

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Appeal of Baron Magnus to prevent the Execution of Maximilian.

To His Excellency, Sebastian Lerdo de Tejada:

Having arrived at Queretaro to-day, I learned the three prisoners condemned on the 14th, died morally on Sunday last, and all the world considers it so, for all their preparations for death having been made, they expected, every instant, during a whole hour, to be carried to the place in which they should receive death, before the order to suspend the execution could be communicated to them by means of the telegraph.

The humane of our age do not allow that, after having suffered that terrible agony, they should be made to die a second time.

In the name, then, of humanity and of heaven, I conjure you that you order that their lives be not taken; and I again repeat to you that I am certain that my sovereign, H. M., the King of Prussia and all the monarchs of Europe, united by the bonds of blood with the prince prisoner, namely: his brother, the emperor of Austria; his cousin, the queen of the British empire; his brother-in-law, the king of the Belgians, as well as his cousins, the queen of Spain and the kings of Italy and Sweeden, will readily agree to give to his excellency, Don Benito Juarez, full security that none of the three prisoners will ever again stand on Mexican territory.

A. V. MAGNUS.

JUAREZ REPLY.

SAN LUIS POTOSI,
June 18, 1867—10:05, P. M.

To A. V. Magnus, etc. Queretaro:

I am sorry to say to you in answer to the telegram you have been pleased to direct to me to-night, that as I expressed to you the day before yesterday in this city, the president of the republic does not believe it possible to grant the pardon of the Archduke Maximilian, for the gravest considerations of justice, and, of the necessity of assuring the peace of the republic. I am, baron, your respectful and obedient servant,

LERDO DE TEJADA.

ESCOBEDO'S OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

Telegram from Queretaro to San Luis Potosi, June 10th, 1867:

Citizen Minister of War:

On this 14th inst., at eleven o'clock at night, the council of war condemned Maximilian of Hapsburg, Miguel Miramon and Thomas Mejia, to suffer the death penal'y.

The sentence having been confirmed by this headquarters, on the 15th, the 16th June was named for the execution, which was suspended until today, by order of the supreme government. It is now seven in the morning, at which hour the aforesaid Maximilian, Miramon and Mejia have been shot.

Please communicate to the citizen president of the republic.

M. ESCOBEDO.

We took a trip to Meridian the other day and found, from all accounts, that crops are promising in every direction. There was a fine rain at Meridian last Monday. We heard at our return, that there had been too much rain in the prairies—in some places they had been almost flooded. Maj. Norton is again stationed at Meridian. There are several companies there, including some cavalry, all white troops. Meridian is improving—several new houses are going up, and the people seem determined to go ahead, notwithstanding the dull summer. At Lauderdale we called at the Orphans' Home. It is getting on very well, under Prof. Granberry. Our friends Griffin & Callum, are holding forth, and expect to have an excellent supply of goods for the fall trade. Dr. John F. Kennedy is doing business there, mostly in the drug line, and practicing medicine; the Doctor is an accomplished gentleman.—Kemper Flag.

Our Position—A Convention.

As the readers of the Chronicle have doubtless noticed, we, for a time, have preserved perfect silence on the question of reconstruction; although upon the passage of the Sherman bill, we took a decided position in favor of organizing under its provisions in preference to remaining subject to a military despotic rule. We took this course, not that we endorse the measure, but believing that to accept the position as presented, was the only means left the people of the South, whereby they might escape the further iniquitous and oppressive legislation which the fanatical majority in Congress, in our humble opinion, would be not only ready, but eager to foist upon us, should we refuse to comply with the requisitions of the bill. Although we had taken this position, our great abhorrence of many of the features of the bill, and particularly that of negro suffrage, induced us to pause and await future developments.—Micawber-like, for something to turn up. The injunction bill, filed in the Supreme Court by our able and talented jurist and fellow citizen, Judge Sharkey, (while we could not, with our obtuseness of perception, see that any relief could possibly come from that source,) was looked to by many as a panacea for all our political troubles; and our entire confidence in the legal ability and far-sightedness of that Nestor of jurisprudence added, as he was, by the full consent of the nation, encouraged us to wait and hope. The result of this matter is familiar to all. The bill was dismissed almost without hearing. Again, a number of the members of the press and other gentlemen of distinction, in whose mature judgment we had the utmost confidence, opposed the measure with a zeal that could not be mistaken; consequently we felt it to be our duty, as an exponent of the best interests of the country, to wait, perchance some one of the number might propose something tangible by which the people of Mississippi and the South generally can be extricated from the awful dilemma. We have read and re-read the arguments of gentlemen of the press, very many of whom exhibit marked ability and energy in their opposition to the measure—we have carefully read the elucidations of Judge Harris, Mr. Potter, and many other gentlemen of distinction of our own State, as well as those of Governor Perry, of South Carolina, the King of Prussia and all the monarchs of Europe, united by the bonds of blood with the prince prisoner, namely: his brother, the emperor of Austria; his cousin, the queen of the British empire; his brother-in-law, the king of the Belgians, as well as his cousins, the queen of Spain and the kings of Italy and Sweeden, will readily agree to give to his excellency, Don Benito Juarez, full security that none of the three prisoners will ever again stand on Mexican territory.

We have failed to find a single one, however, that proposes a tangible remedy for the present deplorable condition of affairs. Says one, we will preserve our honor (?) Our opinion is that what honor the South didn't forfeit, in a political point of view, by the act of secession was lost upon the surrender of the Confederate armies. Says another, we will, by defeating the convention, also put down negro suffrage. Would to God it were true. No man would oppose a convention with more zeal than we. But our opinion is that the opposite—complete negro domination—would be the result. Upon a failure to organize under the military bill, the next Congress will terrificate the South, the franchise every man that ever took any part in the rebellion, and pass another reconstruction law which will be carried out by the negroes and what few whites who are or may be in our midst, thus giving the negro the entire control of the whole country. This is the gist of the main arguments offered by those who oppose a convention. They profess that they can neither live under despotic military rule for an indefinite time, than to forfeit their manhood (?) and honor (?) by organizing under this bill. We can but admire their 'pluck' but must condemn their judgment.

While we cannot see any prospect of bettering our condition by resistance, we do not believe that by organizing under the bill, peace and quiet will be restored to our unhappy country. We are satisfied that if we pursue this course our senators and representatives will be received into Congress, the military withdrawn from our midst, law and order restored, and ere long the States of the South will resume their original political rights as sovereign States in the Union, and by industry and perseverance, our people will become prosperous and happy. Holding these opinions, after due deliberation, we shall advocate the calling of a convention and complying with the several requisitions of the military bill.—Kosciusko Chronicle.

The Louisville Courier has seen a letter just received from Hon. John C. Breckinridge. The letter was received from Paris, and states that he is tired of the hubbub of the Exposition, and contemplated leaving for Switzerland. He will sail for Canada in September with his family. He sends his best wishes to all his friends.

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Dr. Harmon and the Cairo Democrat.

Since our last issue we have seen Dr. Harmon, and Messrs. Marsh and Hiller, of the Enterprise Relief Society, and besides personal statements from these gentlemen, have received the following note from Dr. H. touching the article in the Cairo Democrat. We had obtained from a number of the most respectable citizens of this county, certificates proving that the editorial of the Democrat conveyed an *erroneous impression* as to the people of our county, but Dr. Harmon's letter renders their publication unnecessary.

We are satisfied Dr. Harmon's efforts, and the Relief Society at Enterprise have done much to feed and clothe the poor of that part of the State, and that there is still much distress there deserving the aid of the charitable. What we objected to was the extravagance of the Democrat's editorial, and the stress which was put on "old boots and shoes, worn out clothing," &c., when'ft every one knew bread and meat were the articles the poor most needed.

From a late number of the Democrat, we see that paper very stupidly construes what we wrote as an insult to the people of Cairo, and takes occasion to give Meridian a lecture on Tournaments. We can assure the editor of the Democrat that he wholly misconceived our meaning, and that his strictures on Meridian are undeserved.

ENTERPRISE, July 9th, 1867.

MR. J. J. SHANNON:

Editor Gazette—I conceive that the article in the Cairo Democrat referring to my efforts to aid the destitute in Clarke, Jasper, Newton and Lauderdale counties, Mississippi, intended only to embrace the destitute, the class which it was my business to represent before them. Of course I did not go to represent the well fed, and well dressed portion of our people. I was the agent of a benevolent committee asking alms for those to whom alms were needful. I based my speeches and all my efforts upon a set of ideas originating in and belonging to this class exclusively. I did not take upon myself a general representative agency and therefore all I said finds its explanation in this key-note.

These doubtless were the ideas of the editor of the Cairo Democrat when he wrote the article referred to. It was not, it certainly in all reason, could not have been his intention to represent all our people,—every man, woman, and child, or even a majority of them as being so destitute as to need old carpets and worn out boots.

Common sense would suggest to every man that all could not be in this condition for if they were, grim and ghastly starvation would have eaten us up, soul and body, before I could have reached Cairo to ask for help. I think this will explain all misconception about the matter.

Yours, &c.,

J. W. HARMON.

Registration.

Covington County.—At seven precincts, 213 whites and 197 blacks.

Lee County.—At four precincts, 624 whites and 209 blacks.

Itawamba County.—At five precincts 273 whites and 38 blacks.

Tishomingo County.—Twelve precincts give 1700 whites and 322 blacks.

Carroll County. — Three precincts give 518 whites and 886 blacks.

Jefferson County.— Four precincts 225 whites and 511 blacks.

Copiah County.— Twelve precincts give 888 whites and 876 blacks.

Newton County. — Eight precincts give 758 whites, 501 blacks and 3 Indians.

Clarke County.—Whites 660, blacks 1076.

Hon. James M. Burton, of Lee county, in a letter to the North Mississippian says:

"I am in favor of holding a Convention and reorganizing under the Sherman bill; but do not consider myself as belonging to the "Republican Party," or any other party.

Capt. Burton was a member of the last legislature, and a faithful, efficient representative. We are glad to hear he is on the right track.

Admiral Charles Wilkes manages 1,200 acres of land on Long Island, and a correspondent says he has never seen a man who knew more about farming.

Our Commanders and the Will of Congress.

The Galveston News draws attention to an article in the N. Y. Times arguing that, although Congress did not want to violate the Constitution by taking away from the President the power to appoint the military commanders, it evidently intended to take away from him the power to control them—that they are absolute in their districts, and that any attempt on the part of the President to interfere with them will be very uncomfortable! Congress had no particular way of raising an excitement to cover a violation of the Constitution in taking away the President's appointing power; but an attempt of his to exercise the controlling power which necessarily follows, will bring him in conflict with the popularity of a military Commander, and thus the party hopes to compass another accumulation of party capital! The Times has a long article on the subject, admitting the force of the Attorney General's opinion, and the dangers and evils of military despotism, but justifies the worst that the commanders may do, or have done, by the simple plea of "the will of Congress." If, therefore, every white man be removed from office, and negroes be put in their places, the will of Congress "justifies it.' If, in addition to military commissions, the commanders recognize the courts of the State, and force them to try rebels for treason and order their execution without appeal, the "will of Congress" justifies it. If the military commanders promulgate an order requiring every man to leave the State within ten days, on penalty of being shot down wherever he may be found within its borders, there is no help because it is only carrying out the "will of Congress." The logic is that Congress has a will—that the military commanders are its inspired and infallible interpreters, and that, if they do not execute a man condemned to death by a military commission, without the approval of the President, they may do whatever else they please.

Still we find men every day who declare their preference for a military government—for tribunals in the place of civil courts, for a species of government indulged rather than allowed—a rule that ignores the jury and the civil statutes and places the lives and property of citizens in the hands of men wholly uneducated in law, and who are frequently governed more in their decisions by passion and prejudice than a desire to meet out justice to the unfortunate victims brought before them. This military rule which some of our citizens prefer on account of the conservative administration of Gen. Ord, is liable at any day to become as odious in Mississippi as in Louisiana or Alabama. It is a maxim that military courts are only convened to convict, and already we see that two citizens of Yazoo county have been sentenced to Dry Tortugas for five years, by a court of men educated more in slaughter than the complications of every day life. We cite the Yazoo case not that we think the horse thieves have been unfairly dealt with, but to show how the military are encroaching upon the rights of our courts. This preference for military governors will soon wear out; when men see the progress of jurisprudence checked and its place supplied by arbitrary demoralizing power; when high handed acts of outrage and tyranny are committed under the pretext of carrying out the "will of Congress," they will begin to reflect and ask themselves if it would not have been better to accept the Military Bill of 1867, and secure restoration and a perfect judicial power, than a permanent military government with all its narrow and arbitrary rules in direct opposition to the most essential principles of justice. Men should carefully consider the prospective situation before making up their minds to vote in such a way as to give us permanent military rulers and colored custodians of whatever law the "will of Congress" will permit to be executed in the future.

We publish elsewhere a sensible article from the Kosciusko Chronicle, upon the subject of reconstruction.—It will be seen that our Kosciusko friend has decided to advocate the calling of a Convention, and compliance with the requirements of the military bills.

The Brandon Republican declares that the "promise of a little pocket change, has induced a few secession leaders in this State to sell themselves to the Republican party." The Republican is never satisfied unless engaged in the harmless occupation of firing its feeble weapons at secessionists. As far as our information goes, the statement is gratuitous, and Frank knew it when he penned the paragraph.

The Dream of a Dreamer.

A late number of the Hernando Press, under the caption of "the handwriting on the wall," contains an article which sounds first rate on paper:

Nearly every election that has taken place in the North since the passage of the so-called Reconstruction Acts, has resulted in a Democratic triumph. The latest election news is to the effect that the Democrats of Belleville, Illinois, elected their entire ticket by 150 majority—a gain of 750 since last fall. In a judicial election in that State, a second grand division which gave 3,044 majority for the Radical ticket in November, now elects a Conservative Democrat for Judge by a majority of 4,000—a gain of 7,000.

Every day the power of the Radicals is waning; every day the Democracy are storming the Radical strongholds, and their flag will soon wave triumphantly from its citadel.

Such articles as the above are calculated to mislead the public. It is a significant fact, unpleasant as it may be, that the various elections that have taken place in the North since the passage of the Military bills, show increased strength in the Republican party, the very reverse of the statements of the Press. It is true a Democratic Governor was elected in Connecticut by a small majority, but the Legislature is decidedly Republican and even that State can scarcely be called democratic. The Illinois election to which he refers placed more Republicans in office than were there before—18 out of 24 districts electing Radicals. In the election for members to the Constitutional Convention in New York, held in May, the State went largely Republican. In Cincinnati and all other large cities where elections have taken place since the passage of the Reconstruction acts, the Republican majorities have been *increased*. The municipal election in Belleville, Illinois, is not of sufficient importance to give us much comfort. Cairo, another town in Illinois, with 400 democratic majority, recently elected a Republican Mayor. There never was a greater delusion than for us to look for aid from a party that is in a helpless minority. The power of the radicals will never wane while we remain unrepresented and unreconstructed. It is what they call the "rebellious spi it" of the South that keeps the party up now and it will continue to keep Sumner & Co. in power until we get a voice in Congress and combat the heresies upon which Radicalism is subsisting. Vote for the Convention, get the States back in the Union and we may defeat the dominant party on an equality of taxation platform. There is no hope for the ascendency of the Democracy while the South remains out of the Union.

Murder at Gainesville Ala.

We find in the North Sumpter News, an account of the assassination of Mr. Robert Stratton, the miller at the Gainsville steam mill. He was murdered by an unknown assassin on Wednesday night. The editor of the News visited the scence of murder on Thursday morning at 7 o'clock, and thus describes it.

The body of Mr. Stratton was lying across the foot of the bed, face downward, the feet projecting over the bed on one side and the head resting near an open window on the other, in which position, doubtless, he was slain. The window was but little more than four feet, as a shoulder high to a man. It was at this window that the demon approached his sleeping victim, and placing the muzzle of his gun on the left side of his head, about three inches below his arm, (and so near that the powder burned his skin,) discharged the contents into his heart. At the post mortem examination five buckshots were found lodged near the pit of his stomach.

Robbery was undoubtedly one motive which led to the assassination, as it was found upon examination that trunks and clothing belonging to the deceased had been thoroughly overhauled, and a small sum of money which he was known to have had the evening before, was missing from his pocket-book.

Mr. Stratton was a bachelor, somewhat advanced in life, and lived alone in a small house lately erected near the mill. He was an honest, hard-working man and a useful citizen, and his place will be hard to fill. The poor have lost in him a sympathising friend, and all classes a man upon whose word they could implicitely rely. By all, his death is deeply deplored, and by none more than the Masonic Fraternity of which he was a worthy member. They, with many of our citizens met of the Order, attended the funeral and followed his remains to the grave.

No disdiscovery has yet been made as to who committed this attrocious muder.

CHOLERA IN VICKSBURG.—Quite a number of cases of cholera have occurred in Vicksburg, and it appears that the disease is on the increase.—During the week ending Monday last, the Sexton's report shows 28 deaths; 6 of which were from cholera and 4 cholera morbus.

NEGROES FOR THE INDIAN WAR.—A correspondent of the Memphis Ledger says the Radicals will soon commence drafting negroes for the Indian war, which it is expected will be carried on during the summer and fall.

By the death of her father, in Bath, England, the wife of Col. G. La Rhett of Macon, Georgia, has become heir to an estate of £20,000 sterling, which will be divided between herself, a brother and two sisters.

The Brandon Republican when unable to answer an article with argument, throws off a lot of twaddle about secessionists, democracy, &c., thus making up in froth and wind, what it lacks in sense. The course of the Republican is ever prating about the political antecedents of its cotemporaries, who happened to be democrats, is decidedly discourteous, and displays an illiberality unbecoming even a man who was a citizen in times of war, and is now a warrior when there is peace. We are not ashamed of our past political affiliations, but think writing about secession and secessionists, is a poor way to enlighten the people now, or solve the great prob.em agitating the country.

From the Brandon Republican:
BRANDON, MISS., June 29, 1867.
Editor Brandon Republican:

The undersigned, dissenting from your views as promulged weekly in the columns of the Republican, as to the proper course to be adopted by the people of the South, with the reference to reconstruction under the "Sherman military bill" and believing we should at once "accept the situation," call a Convention and reorganize as speedily as possible, and having no paper here reflecting our views, through which we could address the people of the count , we respectfully ask you to publish the following communicati n:

To the Voters of Rankin County.

Having carefully and cautiously examined the political situation, with a deliberation eminently demanded by the solemn and momentous question submitted for our decision, viz: Whether we will favor a Convention and a reconstruction of the Union upon the terms proposed in the Sherman Bill, or, by resistance aid in defeating a Convention and incur the consequences, be they what they may. We have determined to yield whatever influence we possess, or may exercise, in favor of a Convention, and a speedy restoration of the country to a condition of peace, good order, harmony and prosperity.

We sincerely believe that a compliance with and adherence to the provisions of the "Sherman Military Bill," as it is commonly called, will be conducive of the best interests of the South. And we unite in advising the voters of Rankin county, to vote for a Convention, and for the most intelligent and honorable men who may be candidates therefor.

We are fully pursuaded that if the present plan of reconstruction is rejected another enabling act will be passed by Congress, more objectionable and distrous to our hopes of perpetuating republican ins t utions in the South than the present plan can possibly be, and which will entail upon the country far greater evils than any we have yet endured or contemplated.

We regard with profound astonishment the oft repeated idea, that by registering the right of voting is forever secured, although the enfranchised may vote against the Congressional plan of reconstruction. The power which confers and limits this privilege, not being legislated or retrenched by constitutional restrictions, confers the franchise upon the colored man and the same power can, by a simple act or resolution, withhold that privilege from those on whom it is now conferred, and limit its exercise in the future exclusively to those who now vote for a Convention.

We think it better to "bear the ills we have than fly to those we know not of."

RICHARD COOPER,
W. B. SHELBY,
W. C. HARPER,
Jos. M. JAYNE,
T. J. CATCHINGS.

NEWSPAPER CHANGE.—The "Family Visitor," at Grenada, has ceased to exist. Mr. J. A. Signaigo, of Memphis, having become one of the proprietors, the paper will be known hereafter as 'The Sentinel.'

Policeman Schell, of Mobile, was shot a few days since while attempting to arrest some disorderlypersons. The wound is not dangerous.

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will, under the authority of an order from Head Quarters 4th Military District, visit the several precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress "to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States":

Meridian,	Saturday, June 15, '67,	remain	10 days.
Marion,	Friday, " 28, "	"	5 days.
Russellville,	Friday, July 5, "	"	6 days.
Lockhart,	Monday, " 15, "	"	4 days.
Enterprise,	Saturday, " 20, "	"	3 days.
Martin's Bot. Thursday,	" 25, "	"	2 days.
Shubuta's S. Monday,	" 29, "	"	3 days.
Sunnydena,	Friday, Aug. 2, "	"	2 days.
Chunkyville, Monday,	" 5, "	"	3 days.
Sageville,	Friday, " 9, "	"	2 days.
Toomsuba,	Monday, " 12, "	"	5 days.
Alamucha,	Monday, " 19, "	"	3 days.
Why Not,	Friday, " 23, "	"	2 days.
Antioch,	Monday, " 26, "	"	2 days.

Office hours from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 12 M., and from 4 P. M. to 7.

Citizens generally are respectfully requested to give publicity to this notice. All who are entitled under the act of Congress to vote, are asked to embrace this opportunity to register. Employers or freedmen are requested to facilitate their attendance on the Board. The Board will endeavor to facilitate registration, and it is desirable that all classes entitled to vote should be prompt in their attendance at the places and times appointed.

W. H. CATHEY,
A. SLOAN,
W. A. HALLY,
Registers.

Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

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WE have just opened a Fresh Lot of Confectionaries from the best of manufacturers, as it pelongs to our line of business. We manufacture the best of the great variety of candy, and we are determined to regulate our prices in accordance therewith, and to please our goods within the reach of all.
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We offer our Goods at prices as low as they can be had in the Mobile market.
Give us a call and learn as our articles and prices speak for themselves.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BANKRUPTCY.

We are prepared to file petitions and attend to obtaining discharges under the Bankrupt Law. We have all the necessary BLANKS and forms required.

Petitioners filed in the next two weeks, can be acted on by the Register at Meridian the first week in August.

SHANNON & GILLAGHER,
Attorneys at Law.

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House and three acres of land in the corporation of Hickory. The place is well watered and good orchards. The place is a very desirable one, and from a 500 foot on the railroad.

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THIS dreadful summer complaint is now upon us, and oh! how many thousands it carries to an untimely grave, every year! Beware mothers, how you neglect that slight Diarrhœa in your family; nip it in the bud. Send immediately and procure one bottle of

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For your family, so that you can give it when necessary. For infants at the breast, and the bowel complaint of children while teething, it acts like a charm. All forms of Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, nausea and vomiting, cramps, pains in the stomach and bowels, are immediately cured by its use.

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Mucus Diarrhœa, pains and straining of the bowels, should not fail to use a few doses of

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DROMGOOLE & CO'S
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Which will correct all those complaints and restore them to health and buoyancy again.

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For old and young, married and single.

WHAT'S THE MATTER, OLD MAN?

Can't you get your kidneys to act free enough? Are you troubled with gravel, or any kind of deposits? Do you pass bloody urine occasionally? Are you annoyed with too frequent inclination to pass your water? Is your urine thick or milky? Have you a pain in the small of the back? Are you troubled with melancholy, or alarmed in your dreams, from the effects of habits of dissipation or indiscretion? Do you trouble the doctor, or patronize a medicine which will immediately arouse and restore your kidneys and bladder to a healthy action? If so, procure one bottle of

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Should be kept in good condition, before fall, thereby warding off and preventing Chills and Fever, Bilious Fever, Dumb Chills, &c., and nothing is so effectual as

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Which never fails to cure all cases of Chills, Bilious Fever, Intermittent Fever, Neuralgia, &c., for which it is used. It never effects the head or ears, acts upon the liver and bowels, cleanses the stomach, can be given to infants, and is a permanent cure. Go and consult your druggist about it. It is no secret, no patent, no illiterate mixture, but is the result of much experience in the Southern country.

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TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for CASH, on the 23d day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office, in the city of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, to-wit:

OWNER'S NAME.	WHOSE SURVEY.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX.
Sallie Bass,	Ball's		20	3000	30 00
"	Ragsdale's		60	1600	8 00
L. Bass,	Bass'		(25 acres not laid off into lots)	1200	6 00
"	"		1	200	1 00
"	"		2	200	1 00
"	"		10	200	1 00
"	"		2 & 3	200	1 00
"	"		8	200	1 00
"	"		13	200	1 00
"	"		1 to 4	400	2 00
"	"		13	200	1 00
"	"		11 to 3	200	1 00
Estate H. Bird,	McLemore's		5	1200	6 00
"	M. & O. R. R.			400	2 00
H. E. Barnes,	Ragsdale's		33	200	1 00
"	"		57	1	2 00
R H Breckinridge,			House	200	1 00
Wm. Barber, fm.,			"	200	1 00
Bryson & Emanuel,	Ball's		31	1 to 18	200	1 50
"	"		9	8	100	50
Matt Calvert,	Ragsdale's		70	14½	1000	5 00
S A Cullen	"		House		400	2 00
Mary A Cox,	"		84	11&12	1500	7 50
A Calvert,	Ball's		8	8, 9&10	300	1 50
"	"		32	6&11	300	1 50
Est'e W F Crumpton,	"		22	13	150	75
W H Cain, Sr.,	M. & O. R. R.			95	3800	19 00
"	"			½ of 95	500	2 50
Mrs Clark,			House		400	2 00
J H Clegg,	M. & O. R. R.			113&114	1500	7 50
Julia H Drinkwater,	Ragsdale's		93	1&2d	1800	9 00
Jno. Ethridge,	Ragsdale's		70	7	300	1 50
Est'e Peter Engel,	W. H. Jackson,			½ acres	1500	7 50
"	Bass'		9	1000	5 00
"	"		2	2&3	1400	7 00
Profitestein & Ottenstein,	Ragsdale's M. O. R. R.				400	2 00
				14, 15, 16&17	3200	16 00
Wm Foy,	Ball's		32	7½	100	50
B J S Flippen,	Linley's		10	3&4	1000	5 00
Wm Foy,	Ragsdale's			House	400	2 00
E F Green,	"		70	3&4	500	2 50
Charles Gray,	M. & O. R. R.			House	600	3 00
J C Higgins	"			36&37	600	3 00
Harkey & Rogers	Ragsdale's		42	13 to 16	1200	6 00
Samuel Halsey,	do		102	20	2250	11 25
Horn, Stovall & Hooper,				house	100	50
T L Jackson,				do	1200	6 00
Jesse Johnson,	Ragsdale's		38	7	100	50
Aaron Jones,	do		103	11	500	2 50
Jones & Little,	M. & O. R. R.			89	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,	"			House	300	1 50
Wiley Jones,	"				600	3 00
Estate Clem't Lang	Lang's (60 acres "unsurveyed")				12000	60 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,		1	3	1100	5 50
Rufus H Mitchel,	Ragsdale's		62	10	250	1 25
W H McBoy,	do		do		300	1 50
Mrs McDowell,	do		do		400	2 00
John Martin,	do		house		400	2 00
D Maggard,	Ball's		250x550 feet		2000	10 00
W Palmer,	M & O R R			88	500	2 50
W S Price,	do			123, 135, 137,		
				138, 140, 141,	1750	8 75
				142, 143		
Pierce & Edmondson,	do			134 and 136	600	3 00
R Y Rew,	do		house		1500	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ball's		22	8 and 8½	225	1 12
W R Richardson,	Ragsdale's		54	12 to 16	1000	5 00
S T Smith,	Ball's		32	9	150	75
F Smickeer,	M & O R R			9	250	1 25
W A Smith,	Lindley's		11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon			house		100	50
W J Sadler			do		900	4 50
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's		4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R			13	250	1 25
	Ball's		27		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,			house		500	2 50
T S Terry,	M & O R R			w½ of 10	100	50
J M Trissell,	do		82	1	800	2 50
Threefoot & Warren,	do		99	14	1500	7 50
J W Tiner,	Ball's		16		750	3 75
Est. Chas. Vosburg,	Ragsdale's		33	13 & 14	500	2 50
B B Wyndham	Ball's		30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
" Wilker	M & O R R			131	1000	5 00
W H Weis,	do			40, 41	400	2 25
Young & Brown,			house		1500	7 50
W Young,	Bass'		8	1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Smith,	Lang's			134x300 feet	800	4 00
Mary Roberts,	Lindley's		13	3 & 4	200	1 00

Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. Where necessary, a more accurate description of the property advertised will be given on the day of sale.

June 20, 1867—tds.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

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Mail train pass up at ..... 8.17 P. M.
" " down at ..... 5.10 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 8.30 P. M.
" " arrives ..... 6.30 "
Freight train pass up at ..... 8.10 P. M.
" " down ..... 7.30 P. M.
" " ..... 5.37 A. M.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leave ..... 7.40 A. M.
" " arrive ..... 4.40 P. M.
Freight train leave ..... 4.00 A. M.
" " arrive ..... 2.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 6.50 A. M.
" " arrives ..... 4.05 P. M.
Freight trains arrive ..... 11.15 A. M.
" " depart ..... 2.3 P. M.
" " arrive ..... 5.35 A. M.
" " depart ..... 3.15 P. M.

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The wherewithal to interest those wishing to subscribe to a cheap newspaper, will be found under the head of club rates. We have revised and reduced our terms so as to put the Gazette within the reach of every one. We pledge it anew to keep it every way worthy of patronage—filled with varied and interesting reading—and devoted to the interest of our section. Let our friends in the East stir themselves in getting up clubs and extending the circulation of our paper.

THE TOURNAMENT TO-DAY.—Our citizens should not forget the grand tournament to-day, and the ball to-night. Extensive preparations have been made for the accommodation of all. Tilting commences precisely at two o'clock P. M.

We are gratified to state that Major St. Paul, of the Mobile Times, will be in our city to-day, and deliver an address at the Tournament.

We invite attention to the card of Smith & Parsons, Vicksburg, and to the fact that they are now offering for sale three thousand sacks of corn, just received from St. Louis, by barge. There is no better firm in Vicksburg than Smiths & Parsons, and they sell at prices that defy competition.—They are agents for the Mississippi Valley Transportation Company at St. Louis, and receive weekly large shipments of corn, flour, &c., thus offering superior inducements to merchants. Our young friend, J. J. Hood, formerly of Scott County, is with this house, and will be glad to serve his friends. Besides, J. A. Jones, of this city, well known to our merchants, is in their employment, and will be pleased to see his many friends from this section, when they visit the Hill City. may30-6t

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LOUISVILLE, June 10.—Superfine flour dull at 9 to 10. New potatoes $2.25 per Bacon, shoulders 9¼; clear sides 12½@12¾; for packed.

CINCINNATI, June 10.—Flour steady, moderate jobbing demand. Corn dull, at 73 to 74 cents. Whisky firm. Pork steady, at 22 00@.. Ovrl. dull. Shoulder 9; clear sides 13¾. Lard 12¾.

NEW ORLEANS, June 10.—Cotton sales 850 bales, dull, easier, low middlings, 24@24½. Receipts, 1220. Exports 3,000 bales. Sugar and molasses, no quotations. Flour extremely dull, superfine, 10 50 to 11; choice extra 11¾ to 12. Corn dull, yellow mixed 1 10@1 17, no white in market. Oats dull, 65@70. Prime hay 1 25. Bacon quiet, steady; shoulders 9¾@10, clear 13@13½. Lard dull, held at 13¾. Mess pork, 22. Gold, 1 36½. Sterling 47 to 51. New York sight ½ to ¾ premium.

The John Mercer is making arrangements to carry women as compositors.

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters.

The undersigned "Board of Registration" for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, will, at the following times and places, viz: Beat No. 1, Marion District, visit the several precincts as hereinafter designated, for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, passed March 23, 1867, to wit:

Meridian	Saturday, June 15,	1 day.
Marion	Monday, " 17,	1 day.
Lauderdale	Tuesday, " 18,	1 day.
Lockhart	Monday, " 24,	1 day.
Enterprise	Tuesday, " 25,	1 day.
Martin's Bee	Thursday, " 27,	1 day.
Pleasant Hill	Friday, " 28,	1 day.
Russellville	Saturday, " 29,	1 day.
Russellville	Monday, July 1,	1 day.
Collinsville	Tuesday, " 2,	1 day.
Collinsville	Wednesday, " 3,	1 day.
Collinsville	Thursday, " 4,	1 day.
Collinsville	Friday, " 5,	1 day.
Collinsville	Saturday, " 6,	1 day.
Collinsville	Monday, " 8,	1 day.
Collinsville	Tuesday, " 9,	1 day.
Collinsville	Wednesday, " 10,	1 day.
Collinsville	Thursday, " 11,	1 day.
Collinsville	Friday, " 12,	1 day.
Collinsville	Saturday, " 13,	1 day.
Collinsville	Monday, " 15,	1 day.
Collinsville	Tuesday, " 16,	1 day.
Collinsville	Wednesday, " 17,	1 day.
Collinsville	Thursday, " 18,	1 day.
Collinsville	Friday, " 19,	1 day.
Collinsville	Saturday, " 20,	1 day.
Collinsville	Monday, " 22,	1 day.
Collinsville	Tuesday, " 23,	1 day.
Collinsville	Wednesday, " 24,	1 day.
Collinsville	Thursday, " 25,	1 day.
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Who 'll bring to me
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If such a one
Dwell 'neath the sun,
And don't mind leaving friends behind her,
Write the author of this
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By informing him where she may find her.

Governor Fletcher, of Missouri, has offered a reward of $300 for the arrest of the twelve or fourteen scoundrels who robbed the Richmond Bank and killed the Mayor and two citizens of that place, on the 22d ult.

Albert Pike of the Memphis Appeal, has an unusual command of language. Here is one of his impressive sentences: "Bankruptcy, foreign war, internal hatreds, a hell of fire thinly crusted over, new dissensions, separations, strifes, new rivers of blood, repeated decimations, new lightnings of the red dissevered wrath of God, the corroding stains of innocent blood upon the soil, the insensible horrid lapse into the most hiddeous of despotism, all the Dantesque horrors of the infernal regions that the shades of dead nations, tortured, inhabit—all these stare upon them out of the grim silent darkness of the future days."

SERIOUS RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—A train on the Mississippi Central Railroad ran off the track near Duck Hill, Tuesday morning, in consequence of an open switch, and the engineer a Mr Percy, who formerly resided in this city, was instantly killed. The locomotive was badly broken, and several cars were damaged. Mr Percy left a helpless family to mourn his loss.—Memphis Bulletin.

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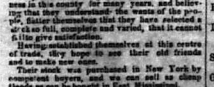

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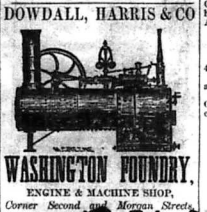

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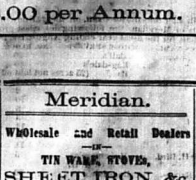

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Speeches of Gov. A. G. Brown and Hon. Walker Brooke, at Terry Barbecue.

We find in the Clarion a sketch of the speeches made by these Gentlemen at Terry, on the 4th of July, which, as part of the history of the times, we republish.

Gov. A. G Brown in response to the call to preside over the meeting, proceeded in a speech of some length and great power, to explain the object of the meeting and to describe the issues which are before the people. He said that the object of the meeting was to arrive at a proper understanding and to cultivate a feeling of reciprocal kindness and good will between the whites and blacks, who were people of a common country, and whose destinies, for weal or woe, must be a common one. He argued that their interests were identical and that a blow leveled at the prosperity of the one could not fail to reach the other. He had spent thirty years in the public service of the State. He was called a "proscribed rebel," he could hold no office if every man in the State were to vote for him. His locks were whitening for the grave. In the ordinary course of human events, the longer portion of his life had been spent; and the days that remained to him must, under the inexorable law of nature, be short in comparison with those that had passed. God was his judge. In any counsel which he had been prompted, or could be prompted, to give to his fellow citizens who had oftentimes intrusted him with their confidence he could have no motive but their welfare to subserve.

He said that he who, whether from the North or the South, stirred up strife between the whites and blacks, was the enemy of both. The colored people had been told that the war was waged in order to give liberty to the blacks. The history of the causes of the struggle disproves the assertion. The South did not go to war to enslave them nor the North to set them free. The object of the South ern people was to establish an independent government of their own, the object of the Northern people was, as they expressed it, "to maintain the Constitution the laws and the Union." Mr. Lincoln after the war commenced issued a proclamation guaranteeing slavery to the Southern States if they would return to the Union; but the right of self-government, the paramount aim of those States, his proposition was not accepted. The war progressed. The slaves were finally declared free as a military necessity—the armies of the Union advanced, and they were eventually emancipated as a result of the war not antici pated by either section when it commenced. It was the overruling of events by the finger of God, to whose interposition you, my colored friends, are indebted for your freedom. (Loud applause and cries of "that's so"). He quoted historical facts to show that at one time slavery existed in all the States, (save Vermont,) of the Union; and by reference to a book prepared by a Northern author, which he held in his hand, many examples to show that in the North when slavery was an institution of the North, were not treated with the kindness which had been shown them in the South. The States of Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania and Connecticut, were especially referred to. In one instance a negro girl had been burned alive for arson. In New York by law a "Common Whipper" was appointed for slaves; and negroes who owned slaves were not permitted to free them unless they gave bond that they would not become a charge upon the State. Now, if the black man should, by the rule of antagonism to the people of the South because slavery was once an institution of this section, the same rule would array them in hostility to the Northern section. The institution of slavery had been common to them both.

The people of the South are now free through the controlling dispensation of the Almighty. They are entitled to equality of privilege with the white people as long (as law; and he would spurn a man who would deprive them of the rights in this particular. The government of the South invested them with the privilege of voting—the responsibilities and nature of which the Governor explained at some length. In reference to social equality, about which some persons had expressed great concern, there was no danger of that. No law had been framed, or could be framed, to interfere with or control the social relations of any people. In the matter of voting, he urged the colored men when they feel that they do not understand the question to be decided to take counsel of those in whom they can place their trust; whose love of justice would respect their rights, have been displayed by their acts. Above all don't trust the man who thrusts himself into your house in the dark hour of night, or takes you away off in hidden places to whisper something in your ear which nobody else must hear. That man means mischief.

In reference to the question of Reconstruction, he stated that our duty, as well as best interests were clear. The Government of the United States had acquired the power, if it did not possess the right, to dictate the terms of the readmission of the State into the Union. There is no evading that fact. He would advise the holding of a Convention and the acceptance of the terms tendered by Congress without delay, or cavil. He does not approve these acts—would have framed them differently—but they have been passed by the supreme power of the Government, and that to reject or postpone their adoption would be to incur severer penalties than any we had yet experienced.

At the conclusion of Gov. Brown's address, to which marked attention was paid, he introduced Hon. Walker Brooke of Vicksburg, formerly a Senator from Mississippi in the United States Congress, who stated that he had come to meet the fellow citizens to take counsel with them in determining what is best to be done in the interest of our oppressed State—There was one party which was advocating the policy of stupidity and of holding its arms and leaving the ship of State to float down the current into the abyss of irremediable ruin and destruction. This was the party of Non-Action. There was another party. A party which says "let us be up and doing." Let us bring the ship back to moorings; and save what we can of her precious cargo. It was idle to denounce the hardships of the Military Reconstruction laws of Congress. They are the terms on which the Government has required the restoration of the State to the Union, and we could not, with safety, reject them. Congress offers peace; shall we accept or reject? He asked the Non-Actionists if they did not hold a Convention what would they do? Nothing; and thus you will force Congress to "give the screw another turn." The State will be organized and that speedily. If not upon the present terms, upon others that will be prescribed if these are rejected.

To his colored friends he would say that he was probably the first white citizen of the State who addressed their race after they become free. In answer to a call which was made on him by a committee of colored men in Vicksburg, he spoke to them at length, giving them such counsel as he believed would promote their best interests. As a friend of the race, he had admonished them to cultivate kind relations with the people among whom their destiny was cast.

To cultivate habits of industry, to obey the law, to improve their minds, and to fit themselves for the responsibilities which their changed condition had conferred. A man can be a *gentleman* whether he be white, black or an Indian; but to entitle himself to this application, he must be sober, virtuous, honest and industrious. If he wants character and wealth, they must be acquired by unceasing industry. There is plenty of land in Mississippi—cheap, and teaming with fertility. To become a very garden, it needs only the labor of man. It is within the reach of every one who will practice industry and economy. Put your labor can prosper only under the bright influences of peace. Let us have none who do not desire peace. In war, they were peace men. In peace they are for war.

Mr. Brooke said that he had nothing to say in a spirit of enmity against a incorrect and rightminded Northern man, but there are mere adventurers here from that section who are actuated by selfish pursuits, but whose object is to make money out of the colored people, and secure their own elevation to office. They were mischief makers. Their love for colored men is due to a desire to secure selfish ends. He instanced the case of an itinerant vender of bogus tickets in Vicksburg, which purported to give the holder the privilege to travel on railroads in any part of the country after thirty days and secure the paramount privileges—all for twenty-five cents each.—This scoundrel had obtained nearly an hundred dollars in this way from unsuspecting freedmen in a day, before he was fessed to be. He spoke of the causes of the war, one of which was the denial by the Northern people of the Southern people of their rights to take their blacks into the common Territories. The white people of the South claimed this privilege for the benefit of the white people. Negroes must not be permitted to occupy it, and pollute with their footsteps its virgin soil. War ensued from this and other causes. The North said to the South, surrender your arms and you shall be secured in the institution of slavery. The proposition was not accepted to. The war progressed, and the result was emancipation; now let both races, accepting this result, so act as to turn it to best account.

A Paris telegram of the 5th relating to Maximilian's execution says:

In the Senate and Corps Legislatif, to-day, speeches were made denouncing the execution as a crime against civilization. Orders have been sent out suspending from their functions all French officials in the Mexican Republic. All festivities in this city have closed, and preparations for the forthcoming fetes have been abandoned, out of respect for the memory of the ill fated Maximilian.

Gen. J. H. Stricker was shot on the 1st at Topeka by a well educated half-breed Indian, named Bushman, for an old grudge. Bushman was pursued and captured, after fifty buckshot had been lodged in his body. Both are in fair way for recovery.

At Louisville they are successfully using the "drive pump" this described by the Courier-Journal: "The process consists in driving a tube straight down into the earth until it strikes water. Then a pump is attached to the tube and up the water comes. There is no slipping and walking. The well is made when the tube is driven to the earth. The flow of the water closes the tube of earth."

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1st Business cards of five lines, or less, will be published one year for $15 00.

2d The same rates will be charged for advertisements in the Weekly.

3d A discount of one-third will be made for advertisements published in both papers.

Judge Hill writes us there was an error in the rules and general orders for proceedings in Bankruptcy in the Southern District of this State. The Register for this Congressional District will be in Meridian on the 1st Monday in each month, in Jackson the 2d Monday, and in Vicksburg the 3d Monday in each month, and not alternate months as was stated in Rule No. 1, published by us.

On the 3d inst. a prize fight came off at Plaquemine, La., which created lively times among the "fancy" of New Orleans. Three steamboats covered with people left that city for the ground selected for the "mill." The parties to the contest were Jim Turner and Tom King, and the stake $2,000. King came out victorious in fifty-seven rounds. Time, fifty-six minutes.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Quintard is lying ill of gastric fever at Rome, Ga.

The Sheriff of Tishomingo county, Mississippi, says there are $1,500 persons in that county who have failed to pay taxes, and if they do not come to time, he will put them to work on the roads.

W. G. CANNON, a photographer, was shot at Pulaski, Tenn., last Monday, by S. L. Richardson, and died Tuesday morning. Richardson was lodged in jail.

Gen. Thos. F. Meagher, acting Governor of Montana Territory, who was drowned at Virginia City, a few days since, will be remembered as one of the leaders with Smith O'Brien and John Mitchell, in the unsuccessful insurrection in Ireland in 1848. He was banished to Australia for that offence, but managed to make his escape to San Francisco, and subsequently to the Atlantic States.—In the late war he commanded the Irish Brigade on the federal side.

Gen. M. Jeff. Thompson, in reply to a request from Geo. D. Prentice, of the Louisville Journal, that he would publish his opinions on the political condition of the country, says: "I might cover the whole ground where I say that I heartily concur in the sentiments of General James Longstreet;" but he adds that he goes still further when he declares that, whatever the policy of the victors ought to be—which he will not discuss—"they only have the right to make the laws, which we have simply the right to obey, or leave the country, or remain aliens in our own land."

The Supreme Court of the District of Columbia has decided that a combination among physicians to regulate and prescribe the amount of their fees was illegal; and it accordingly reduced a physician's bill against a defendant, in the case before the court, about one-half. This seems to be hard on the doctors.

Greeley, after advocating it for twenty-five years, voted against female suffrage in the New York Convention.

W. L. Scruggs, one of the proprietors of the Atlanta Daily Opinion, has sued Mr. H. J. Sargeant, and the editor of the Daily New Era for libel, placing his damages at $10,000.

Austria is sending a fleet to Mexico, it is said, to get Maximilian's body. But the body is far inland where a fleet can do nothing—is there not another "complication" on hand?

The Mexicans will soon learn that they have been indulging in expensive sport; a steamer will proceed there from the United States Government to demand the giving up of Santa Anna, at satisfaction for seizing him when under protection of our national flag.

It has been formally announced in the Senate that the impeachment of the President is dropped for the present. Mr. Wilson said that of the seven members who composed the committee of impeachment, five were of opinion that sufficient matter had not been elicited whereon to base impeachment.

The new railroad schedule, which went into effect on Monday, makes the time from New York to New Orleans via Memphis, 33 hours.

The Explanatory Reconstruction Act.

The bill supplementary to the existing reconstruction acts, has already passed the House and will undoubtedly go through the Senate and become a law. It provides that the act to which it is supplemental, and also that of March 2d, shall be construed to authorize Military Commissioners whenever they deem it necessary, to remove or suspend any official, state or municipal, exercising authority by virtue of such provisional Government, and to appoint other in their places; and that such commanders shall also have power to prohibit, suspend, or set aside any act of such government or of any subordinate authority thereof, the intent of the aforesaid act being that such governments shall be considered subordinate to the military, and all acts done by such commanders shall be deemed valid. It provides further that Boards of Registration shall admit to registry only such persons as they shall deem entitled to registration under the provisions of the acts aforesaid. Taking the oath prescribed by the act of March 3d, shall not be regarded as conclusive of the right to registration, but as prima facie evidence. Boards of registration may strike from the lists the names of persons already registered who improperly took the oath or are not entitled to be registered, and they shall not be bound or governed in their action by any opinion of any officer of the United States Government. Record evidence to prove participation in the late rebellion on the part of those applying for registration shall not be required, but parole evidence shall be sufficient.—No civil court of the United States or any State shall have jurisdiction of any proceedings, civil or criminal, against any district commander for any official act done under these acts. No district commander shall be removed from the command assigned to him without the advice and consent of the Senate, or unless cashiered or dismissed, or unless he consents thereto.

This is the explanatory part of the bill and settles all mooted questions, making the reconstruction acts so plain that there can be no misinterpretation of their meaning hereafter. The supplemental part disfranchises all State officers whether they took the oath to support the Constitution of the United States or not; declares that the President's pardon does not have the effect of restoring the right of franchise, and transfers from the President to the General commanding the army, all power over the District commanders. The new law makes no material change, for the military commanders were supreme before, absolute and irresponsible. This new turn of the screw will meet with some opposition, but we think there is yet room for us to live, move, reconstruct and have our being, under it. To reconstruct under the law will relieve us of military rule, to vote down a Convention is to fasten a permanent military government upon the South with still harder terms of restoration. "Our concessions to the inevitable by no means commit us to an approval of the injustice perpetrated upon us."

Gov. A. G. Brown.

The malignity and vituperation with which the anti-convention press have assailed Gov. Brown for his participation in the Fourth of July celebration at Terry, show the extremity to which these factionists are reduced. Some of these doughty editors, who during the war, were a dead weight to the Southern cause, are ready to denounce the best and truest men of the South for an honest difference of opinion on the grave questions now before the country. With more intolerance than the Radicals, they are ready to guillotine every man who was a secessionist, and now refuses to join their insane ravings against a convention. Men like Gov. Brown, who have heretofore enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the public, are the special objects of their animadversion. As an example of the slang and misrepresentation to which we refer, the following highfalutin emptying of the vials of wrath from the North Mississippi at Tupelo, is the latest we have seen:

CELEBRATION OF THE FALL OF VICKSBURG.—Ex-Governor A. G. Brown, the arrogant, the great leader of secession in Mississippi, one of those who was going to shed the last drop of blood, spend the last dollar, and die in the last ditch, his resurrection and reinstatement as a leader as the Head Centre of the Radical representationists at a black and tan meeting lately held at Canton, and it is reported proposed a meeting of the blood and tan at Jackson, to celebrate that part of all others over which true hearted Southrons may mourn, that day over which Mississippi's fairest flag waved, that day when her proud banner sank beneath the conquering hand of Justice, and Grant's columns, the day upon which the constitutional rights of the sovereign State made over memorable by their prowess and endurance. On that day Governor Brown was invited, on a third July day, in company with those of African descent, to meet Jackson, in joy and hilarity, to speed the degradation of the white race. How hast thou fallen Albert G. Brown? Oh shame where is thy blush!

In another place we give the speeches of Gov. Brown and Hon. Walker Brooke on the occasion, as we find them in the Clarion, and feel assured they will meet the approval of all intelligent reflecting men.

We have reason to believe that Gov. Brown does not desire to take any prominent part in political affairs, but we can assure him he still has hosts of friends in Mississippi who are not indifferent to the ungenerous assaults he has received, and who would be gratified to hear of his canvassing the State and giving the people his opinions freely on the grave matters now occupying public attention.

The Argument of Vituperation.

Our old friend, Maj. McCardle, pours hot shot into the sides of that class of editors whose only argument is abuse and slander. Here is his article on the subject:

We have, on more occasions than one, deprecated and condemned, what seems to be the fashionable argument of the hour, the argument of vituperation and denunciation. The editor of the Times is unalterably opposed to any kind of acceptance or endorsement of the military reconstruction bills of Congress, but, because he is opposed to that measure, he does not think it consistent with his duty as a gentleman or a patriot, to denounce those who differ from him as traitors, scoundrels or cowards! We are well aware that men as honest and as brave as we ever pretended to be, do not agree with us, but, because of this difference, we do not feel called upon to denounce those, who have the misfortune to disagree with us. There are, in Mississippi, several gentlemen connected with the press, who feel no hesitation or delicacy in denouncing Gen. James Longstreet as a traitor! It is just possible, that some of Gen. Longstreet's old soldiers may differ from him as widely as those self-constituted patriots, but, we venture to affirm that, *no soldier* has yet been found willing to denounce the "old war-horse" of the army of Virginia, as a traitor! In like manner the Hon. Albert G. Brown has been denounced by the petty whipsters and blackguards who have, by some accident, obtained control of a batch of old types and a quart of printer's ink, as *a traitor and a sliming demagogue!* By what right do these *boys and blackguards* assume to bespatter, with the filth natural to them, a man so immeasurably above them? Before the most of them were born, Albert G. Brown was a Representative in Congress, and when *they* were old enough to have borne a musket in defence of their country, *he* was the idol of the party of Mississippians where something more serious than vituperation were the arguments of the occasion. Out upon such blackguardism! We are as much opposed to the proposed reconstruction of Congress, as any of these wordy patriots can possibly be; but if no better argument than the above, of Albert G. Brown and General James Longstreet, can be found against the military bills, we will unhesitatingly vote for a Convention. But, thank God! no such alternative is presented to us, while there is a mind to appeal to. Reason is always powerful, and we shall, therefore, have no occasion to join the fools and blackguards whose highest effort of intellect and courage is to abuse their betters!

We have known Albert G. Brown for years. We know him for a brave, true man, and that is more than we can say for his assailants. We know Gen. Longstreet. We had the honor to serve under him, and we can appreciate him as fools and cowards never can. Let us, therefore, hear no more of this assinine harping about "traitors" from men who have neither sense or courage. The men who were either too good, too smart, or too rich to fight in defence of their country, are not the style of men to denounce General Longstreet or Albert G. Brown as traitors.

The Picayune says truly that any kind of Reconstruction can "hardly make things worse. The great evil of the present situation is the paralysis of all the forces of society "caused by the uncertainty of the future. If Congress would only decide upon our fate, and adhere to "their decision, it would be comparatively a great blessing."

The London Shipping Gazette says that if the ease of stopping the American steamers in the river St. Lawrence is not treated with temper and discretion, both by the English government and that of the United States, it may rapidly lead to very serious consequences.

A notorious pickpocket has sued the police commissioners of Memphis in the sum of $10,000 for damaging his character by parading him through the streets of that city with a placard on his shoulders bearing the title of "Pickpocket and Thief."

The Chicago Times, referring to the report that Gen. Custar had been whipped, makes the following telling hit at the Secretary of War: "From the number of battles reported as won by the enemy, it is quite evident that Stanton is not doing the telegraphing. We never lost a battle with the rebels; we have never gained one with the Indians."

Mr. L. Poppy, Jr., who has been officiating as postmaster at Vaiden, Miss., for the last year or so, was committed to jail at Carrollton on Thursday last, charged with embezzling the postoffice funds to the amount of $800. Mr. Poppy is a Northern man, who moved to Vaiden since the surrender.

Letter from Tennessee.

Relations of Mississippi and Tennessee.—How Memphis was unfortunate.—A settler.—Old History's tricks.—Actors and how they—The best view of it.—What it means.—Old shotgun figures largely in its grave.—The sensation of the week.—Hard times.

MEMPHIS, July 11, 1867.

I need hardly tell you that trade was never so dull in this city—that dry goods were never so cheap—that groceries never were subjected to such a decline. Memphis is debilitated—paralyzed. By some fatal mistake, or fatality, the act of Andrew Jackson, who then managed matters in the town way, the dissolution of Tennessee defined. He did not foresee the existence of Brownlow and of the Barbey Lewis. He wielded the thews of Smith, the General, who called, and slain painter, of Richards the tinner, and of many like them, who have swollen into greatness by absorbing the vices of the age. It's pity that Andrew Jackson had not foreseen the existence of these men and the chapter of accidents by which they were heaved up from the sediment of society to its boiling surface! Had the old hero been also a prophet in mercy he would have perpetrated the original definition of the Southern boundary line of this State, and, to-day Memphis would be geographically, as it is in fact sympathy and interest, a metropolis of Mississippi.

There was once in your State a sort of antipathy to Memphis. Safely locked secrets beget the prejudice. Events of the past six years have dissipated mistaken notions. But still it is hard for the sentiment of the great body of the people of Memphis and of Mississippi, are identical.

IDENTITY OF OPINIONS—NEW ORLEANS RUMPS.

Not less inseparable are the interests of the two peoples. There are more Mississippians here than were from all other States, and our railway system binds us to Mississippi "as with hooks of steel."—It suggests the very matter to which the press of the interior should attract public attention. Mississippi granted charters for the railroads that have built this city. Singularly enough, and with absolute want of prescience, the builders of these highways were not required to connect with the great river to which their people would have access. Many evils have followed. Drayman, commission men, and factors intervene to levy exactions upon the products of the country, which impoverish producers, drive trade from the city, and even destroy the profitableness of railway lines. The Mobile & Ohio Road, at Columbus, Ky., extends to the very water's edge. The transport of freights from the river to the railway, costs nothing. In consequence of this fact merchants and planters of the interior, to escape exactions imposed by Memphis middlemen, factors, commission merchants, and transmit my goods in North-western cities, and no longer resort to New Orleans. Of course railways that converge at Memphis, suffer, and the wealth of the country is transferred to Northern and Western cities.

THE REMEDY.

All Memphis roads should have a common depot and connect with the river, and through passengers should be transferred from one line to another without the intervention of a broker (a nuisance in most of the Memphis commission and drays.) Transportation. These papers of the interior will discuss this question, or local press will be compelled to ventilate in the columns the burdens it entails upon the subjected, and many public evils will be eradicated.

ANOTHER MOVEMENT IN THE POLITICAL CHESS-BOARD.

Gen. Alcorn, of your State, proposes to take the stump. He inveighs against Democracy and Radicalism alike, asserting that if a third party is not voted up we shall have two, distinguished solely by the color of their constituent elements, the other words, white and black parties—evils to grow out of this condition of things are palpable enough. The question is whether Gen. Alcorn is not too late in his movement. So firm an adhesion to any party is concerned, we are hardly weak enough to be governed by enemies' policy. Yet if a great public good may be achieved by creating a new organization, which may divide the colored vote among those who adhere to old creeds. The South went into the war misled by the assurances of Northern Democracy. Butler, Logan and many like them induced Mr. Davis to declare in one of his speeches of late he left the United States Senate in 1861, that the Border States will gladly come into the Southern Confederacy within sixty days, as we shall be their only protection. The great mass in Northern cities where the pavements have been worn off by the tread of commerce, hated Southern Democracy. The bravery and trust of them were content to make mouths at Abe Lincoln. The World, their organ of to-day, was fierce for war against the South and the rest paid taxes and kept quiet. When Fredericksburg was fought and Sumpter overwhelmed and Mississippi soldiers won immortal renown, Lincoln wished to make terms, but Democracy, filled to gain a point and seize the offices, became of Lincoln's defeat and ill success, opposed the movement. The war went on, thanks to Northern Democracy, and the South was crushed by sheer force of numbers.

If a Southern will steer clear of Radicalism and content himself with opposition to Red Republican Democracy he may draw after him Whigs and Douglas men and blacks enough to achieve his purposes.—Something may have white parties struggling for the negro vote and may be governed by whites instead of blacks. I am told that Horace Greeley, conservative Republicans, who dread a war of race, concur in the purposes suggested, and no effort will be made to create a Radical party if plans suggested may be approved by the people of the Gulf States.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

It has been found a difficult task, because of adverse legislation, to establish a system of agencies for the Southern Asylum for Foreign Paupers, but the Asylum company has made up a list of plantations, based upon which, tickets will soon be issued. Two agents have been dispatched to Europe and another has opened an office in New York. Until this was done, there was no possibility of selling any large bodies of land to white immigrants. The scheme now prepared consists wholly of *Mississippi lands* lying along railroad lines. The tracts into which plantations are subdivided are small, forty and eighty acres. Tickets cost one dollar each. There is besides a local scheme already advertised. In this tickets cost $5. The capital prize in this scheme is the residence of Col. M. C. Galloway, of the Avalanche, and in the county seat of Memphis. It is appraised at $20,000, at least $5,000 less than its value in 1860. Agents throughout Mississippi, furnish tickets. Drawings occur in both these schemes. Drawings occur in August and September.

BARBARO.

Those who suffer from Liver Complaints may rely upon the Red Jacket Bitters, because they derive from its ingredients properties immediate and certain relief when all the usual prescribed remedies have proved useless.

Mr. Nicholson has obtained a judgment against the city of Chicago for $23,750 for an alleged infringement of his patent pavement. Mr. N. refuses to remit the judgment if the government of Chicago will use his pavement generally.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sash, Doors and Blinds.

F. T. SANFORD wishes to inform the public that he has opened a Sash, Door and Blind Factory, which he will most positively sell lower than any other in the city. Also, will find a good assortment of Sash, Doors and Blinds on hand. Orders solicited. Shop on Washington street, Meridian. Miss. [July 14-1y

SEWING MISHIN-RESULE.

WHEELER & WILSON CARRY THE DAY.

Special Dispatch to the Sickle and the Sheaf.

NEW YORK, July 5, 1867.—A despatch received from Paris this morning gives the result of the competition for sewing machines. Wheeler & Wilson are awarded the first Gold medal for principle and finish. Others are admitted. There were eighty-two competitors. The greatest interest attended the contest in front of the house. [july14-1

Guardian Sale.

By virtue of an order obtained from the Honorable Probate Court of Lauderdale county, at the November term, 1866, the undersigned, guardian to William Morgan, will proceed to sell, in the city of Meridian, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, the undivided half interest of Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block No. 5, fronting part on north-east quarter of southwest quarter of section 11, township 5, range 16 east, containing two acres more or less. Terms of sale, cash.

The other undivided half interest can be purchased at private sale at the same time and place.

W. A. McGILL,
Guardian of Wm. Morgan.
July14-3t

DIARRHŒA.

THIS dreadful summer complaint seldom spares us, and oh! how many thousands it sweeps away every year! Mothers, beware mothers, how you neglect that slight Diarrhœa of your baby! nip it in the bud. Send immediately and procure one bottle of

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For your family, so that you can give it when necessary. It allays pain, cramps and the bowel complaint of infants while teething, it sets like a charm. All forms of Diarrhœa, Cholera Infantum, Sick Stomach, vomiting, cramps, pains in the stomach and bowels, are immediately cured by its use.

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And be cured.

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Whose wives are suffering with consumption and suffering each month, whose life is draging by and nearly worn out, whose children look sad to carry home the bottle of

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Which will cure all those complaints and restore them to health and buoyancy again.

TO THE YOUNG GIRL.

Whose very countenance, acts, color and walk, indicate disease, can be so easily restored to health by using the "English Female Bitters."

It touches the pale cheek with the crimson blush of nature, adds joy and brightness to the delighted eye, restores that brilliancy to the eye and intellect, imparts beauty and charms to the retiring girlhood and womanhood, in old age.

THESE ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS,
ARE THE ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS,
THESE ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS,
For old and young, married and single.

WHAT'S THE MATTER, OLD MAN?

Can't you get your kidneys to act free enough? Are you troubled with gravel, or any kind of deposits? Do you pass blood with your water? Does it pass off as you sit with too frequent inclination to pass your water? Is your urine thick or milky? Does it deposit a bricky sediment? Are you nervous, melancholy, or alarmed in your dreams, from the effects of habits of dissipation? Is your health broken? Do you require a diuretic or a medicine which will immediately restore and restore your weakness and invigorate your system? If so, procure one bottle of

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And be restored to health and manhood again. Large bottles will cost you only one dollar.

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TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for Cash, on the 22d day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office, in the city of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, to-wit:

OWNERS NAME.	WHOSE SURVEY.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX.
Sallie Bass,		20		$ 200	$ 2 00
	Ragsdale's	60	1 to 8	3600	36 00
F. Bass,	Bass	(35 acres not laid off into lots)		1200	6 00
		2	1	200	2 00
		2	2	200	2 00
		10	2 & 3	200	1 00
		11	1 to 4	400	2 00
		11	5 to 8	400	2 00
		11	1 to 3	300	3 00
		11	3 to 8	200	6 00
Estate H. Bird,	Mellenger's	5	1 to 8	1200	6 00
	Ragsdale's		1	200	1 00
H. L. Barry,	Ragsdale's		12	200	1 00
			1	200	1 00
			House	200	2 00
Wm. Barber, fin.				200	1 00
Bryant & Empson,		31	1 to 18	200	1 00
		9	8	100	50
Matt Talbert,		70	1&2	1000	5 00
S. A. Outlaw,			House	400	2 00
Mary A. Cox,		34	11&12	1200	7 50
A. Calvert,		8	8 9&10	300	1 50
		22	6&11	800	4 00
Est W F Comer,		22	12	150	75
W H Cain, Sr.,			26	2800	19 00
			½ of	5000	32 50
Ann Cain,			House	400	2 00
W H Cain,				11347½	71 00
Julia H Dring,		23	19&20	1800	7 50
Jno. Ethridge,		70	7	300	1 50
Est Peter Kirkpatrick,			½ acres	1000	7 50
	Ragsdale's			1000	7 50
		2	2&3	1400	7 00
Prollestein & Ostenstein,	Ragsdale's			400	2 00
	M. & O. R. R.		14, 15, 16&17	2200	16 50
Wm Fox,	Ball's	32	1	100	50
B J N Flippen,	Linley's	10	3&4	1000	5 00
Wm Fox,	Ragsdales's			400	2 00
T J Fox,		70	3&4	600	3 00
Charles Gray,			House	800	8 00
J C Hughes,			8&9	800	8 00
Hughes Rogers Hughes,			13 to 18	2000	10 00
Samuel Halsey,	do	102	20	2250	11 25
Horn, Stovall & Hooper,			house	100	50
T. A. Hall,			do	1100	5 50
Jesse Johnson,	Ragsdale's	28	7	100	50
Aaron Jones,	Ragsdale's	103	11	500	2 50
H. L. Jones,	M. & O. R. R.		40	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,			House	300	1 50
Wiley Jones,			do	800	3 00
Estate Clem Lang,	Lang's (60 acres unsurveyed)			12000	65 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,	3	1100		5 50
Estate H. Mitchel,	Ragsdale's	2	10	200	1 25
W H McRoy,	do			300	1 50
Mrs McDowell,	do			400	2 00
John Manning,	do			400	2 00
D Maggard,	Ball's	250x550 feet		2000	10 00
W Palmer,	M & O R R			500	2 50
W S Price,	do		1&2, 15&, 16&7,		
			13&, 14&, 21,	1750	8 75
			1&2, 143		
Pierce & Edmondson,	do		134 and 136	600	3 00
R J Rew,	do			1500	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ball's	32	8 and 9	225	1 12
W R Richardson,	Ragsdale's	54	13 to 16	1600	8 00
S T Smith,	Ball's	32	9	150	75
F Sanfelder,	M & O R R		9	250	1 25
W A Smith,	Linley's	11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon		house		100	4 50
W. L. Sadler,		do		900	4 50
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's	4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R		13	250	1 25
	Ball's	27		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,		house		500	2 50
T S Terry,	M & O R R		w½ of 10	100	50
J W Tidwell,	do	92	1	500	2 50
Threefoot & Warren,	do	99	14	1500	7 50
J W Tiner,	Ball's	18	7	750	3 75
Est. Chas Vosburg,	Ragsdale's	37	12 & 14	1000	5 00
B B Wyndham	Ball's	30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
A Walker,	M & O R R		131	1000	5 00
W H West,	do		40, 41	1250	6 25
Young & Brown,		house		1500	7 50
J Young,	Ball's	3	1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Roberts,	Lang's		134x200 feet	600	3 00
Mary Roberts,	Linley's	12	3 & 4	200	1 00

Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. Where no property is offered the property advertised will be sold on the day of sale.

June 20, 1867—ids

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail train passenger train arrives at ..... 3.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at ..... 5.30 P. M.
arrives at ..... 8.45 A. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Meridian at 7.20 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11.15 A. M. Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 2.25 P. M. Macon 5.53 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Okolona 8.10 P. M. Corinth 9.45 P. M. Iuka 10.55 P. M. Columbus, Ky., 1.50 A. M. Humboldt 4.20 A. M. Union City 5.55 A. M. Hickman, 6.55 A. M. Fulton 7.40 A. M. Arrive at Memphis 471 miles, time 10 hours.

GOING NORTH.

Mail train leaves Memphis at 6.30 P. M. Arrive at Fulton 7.45 P. M. Hickman 8.30 P. M. Union City 9.30 P. M. Humboldt 10.45 P. M. Iuka 1.30 A. M. Corinth 2.30 A. M. Okolona 4.10 A. M. Artesia 5.30 A. M. Macon 7.10 A. M. Meridian 9.30 A. M. Enterprise 10.10 A. M. Buckatunna 11.45 A. M. Arrive at Mobile, time 17 hours.

Solons and Jackson.

Passenger train leaves ..... 8.25 A. M.
arrives ..... 4.35 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail train leaves Vicksburg daily at 2.30 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.50 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.30 p. m. Starting again and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 5.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7.45 a. m.; Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 3.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.35 p. m.

Mississippi Railroad.

Passenger for Memphis and all points North, make close connection at Canton with the Illinois Central Railroad, and at Jackson with the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Leave Canton daily at 8.40 A. M. and 5.25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6.45 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. Making close connections with trains at Memphis for all points North and West.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

EPISCOPAL SERVICE.—Rev. H. C. Harris preaches to-day at the Masonic Hall.

Gen. Orl. Gen. Gillem and Col. Martin Keary, were in town Friday afternoon—the two former en route to Mobile and the latter for Columbus.

We have received a catalogue of the teachers and students of Summerville Institute for the scholastic year for 1867, which shows that Professor Castleberry is an efficient and influence is enlarging every year. The present catalogue contains a longer list of names than has adorned any former announcement. The location ensures health, and the standard of teaching being kept up fully, to every necessity, the institution is bound to flourish. The fifteenth annual term begins on the 7th of Octobernext. We would advise those who wish to enter to apply early and secure a room.

DIARRHŒA.—Why will our friends permit the various members of their family to suffer with Diarrhœa, Nausea and Vomiting, Cholera Morbus, Cramps, Cholera, Infantum and the Bowel Complaint among children, when a pleasant and effectual scientific preparation can be had that will give immediate relief? No family should be without a bottle. Thousands of bottles were sold during the cholera season last summer, in Memphis, with the happiest results. Call and get Dr. Keasby & Co's Red Diarrhœa Remedy, which we cheerfully recommend.

The speech of James M. Langston, the colored orator, delivered at the African church in this place on Wednesday night, is well spoken of on all sides. He eschewed politics entirely, confining his remarks to education and the improvement of his race. The necessity of education of the masses to secure it were dwelt on at length; industry, honesty and economy would alone, he argued, secure intelligence, prosperity and happiness. By dint of industry they would acquire property and not by a division of lands for there would be no distribution of property in the South to make the rich poor and the poor rich. He advised them to curtail the use of luxuries and devote more of their means to education. The advice was well received and we hope will be productive of much good.

In answer to enquiries, we are requested by the law firm of Sharkey & Ford, to state that Judge Sharkey, of that firm, will not, most or all of his time, at the firm's office in Meridian, during the sitting of the Bankrupt Court; and that the firm are prepared to transact any business connected with proceedings in Bankruptcy.

F. T. Sanford is in pretty again. Having gone out of the grocery business for a time he now deals in doors, sash and blinds, which the public can have at astonishingly low figures. See his card.

Ella Walla, a lewd woman, whom we stated in our last issue, took an over-dose of morphine, died Thursday afternoon, and was buried Friday morning. Before dying, she stated she was attending physician, that her object in taking the alkaloid, was to get rid of a life which was a curse to her. She is about 27 years old of prepossessing appearance, a woman of good intelligence and very respectably connected. A gentleman acquainted with the family in her better days, says Ella was born in Newton County, in this State, and came to Mobile with her parents at a very early age. She was away from her sister in Mobile in 1862, when her career of crime commenced; married a Federal officer named Walla about the close of the war, who lived only a few months. A year ago she came to Meridian to procure the services of a lawyer to look after an interest in her father's estate near Hickory.—And here ended strangers—a stoner with nowhere to go.

Hating to live and dreading to die,
Selling her soul to the highest bidder;

she takes poison to relieve a fiend, and dies in terrible agony—a curse to herself, a friend to drop a tear over, or Little Rock clamps from her bones. Music as our artist and readers of these unfortunate desires to shame, the heart to heal that still may beat overmuch a death and open a hope that the lost Pet's may attain something of their early purity when they put away the earth's tenement.

Ella has a sister living at Deer Park above Mobile, and a brother in a responsible position on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

An Act to Incorporate the Meridian, Mississippi, Manufacturing Company.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That A. Ayres, Harvey Ayres, Jr., Jno. Ayres, Jno. Bradley, and all those who may hereafter become associated with them and their successors, be and they are hereby created a body corporate and politic, by the name and style of the Meridian Manufacturing Company, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and shall be capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered unto, defend and be defended in all courts and places whatsoever, and may have a common seal, and may alter the same at pleasure, and may purchase, hold, sell, convey and dispose of such property, real, personal and mixed, as may be necessary for the purposes of the manufacturing of cotton and wool, and weaving lumber, the erection of all buildings, and the purchase of all machinery necessary for the same, and may have power to make such by-laws, rules and regulations as may be necessary for the government of the corporation, not inconsistent with the laws of this State or of the United States.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, That the capital stock of said Company shall not exceed one million of dollars, and may be increased from time to time, as may be deemed necessary, by the stockholders of said Company, in such manner as may be provided by the by-laws of said Company; and the said Company may commence business when one hundred thousand dollars of the capital stock shall have been subscribed, and ten per cent. paid in thereon.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, That the business of said Company shall be managed by a President and three Directors, who five in number, a majority of whom shall constitute a board for the transaction of business, and who shall be elected annually on the first Monday in January, by the stockholders of said Company, at such time and place as may be designated by the President and Directors of said Company, and shall hold their offices for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified, and in case of the death, resignation or removal of any of the Directors, their places may be filled by the remaining Directors for the unexpired term; and the President and Directors of said Company may, from time to time, call for such installments on the capital stock subscribed as they may think best, (not over twenty per cent. per annum) and may require payment of the same at such time and place as they may designate, and may declare forfeited the stock of any stockholder who may neglect to pay such installments for thirty days after the same shall have been required to be paid, and may sell the same at public auction, after giving thirty days notice of the time and place of such sale, by publication in a newspaper published in the county of Lauderdale, and may apply the proceeds of such sale to the payment of such installments and interest thereon, and all costs and charges of such sale, and shall pay over the balance, if any, to the delinquent stockholder; and the President and Directors of said Company may, from time to time, declare dividends of such portion of the profits of said Company as they may deem proper, and may make all such by-laws, rules and regulations as they may deem necessary for the government of the business of said Company, and may appoint such officers, agents and servants as they may deem necessary for the transaction of the business of said Company, and may allow them such salaries as they may deem proper, and may require bonds with such penalties and conditions as they may deem proper, and may remove any of said officers, agents or servants at pleasure, and may fill any vacancy occurring in the Board of Directors, or among the officers, agents or servants of said Company, and may do all such other acts and things as may be necessary to carry into effect the objects of said Company.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted, That the persons enumerated in the first section of this Act, shall be the first President and Directors of the Company, so many of them as may consent to serve, shall be the first stockholders of the Company, and the persons at that time subscribing for the greatest number of shares of the capital stock previously given of such proposition, shall be the first President and Directors of said Company, and shall hold their offices for the term so elected, and shall hold their offices until their successors are elected and qualified, and the other Director elected, they shall hold their office until their successors are qualified.

SEC. 5. Be it further enacted, That the Secretary and Treasurer of said Company shall each keep regular books of all the acts and transactions of the Company, each in their respective departments, which shall at all times be open to the inspection of any of the stockholders of said Company.

SEC. 6. Be it further enacted, That the whole amount of debts which said Company shall at any time shall not exceed the amount actually paid in and the property at a cash value; the officers and agents by whom such excess shall be contracted, shall be jointly and severally liable to the extent of such excess until the debts shall be reduced to the amount of the capital stock so paid in or property.

SEC. 8. Be it further enacted, That this act shall be favorably construed, and for the purposes thereof expounded, and copies thereof printed by the State, shall be received in evidence in all courts.

SEC. 9. Be it further enacted, That the Secretary of State shall furnish to said Company a certified copy of this act.

Approved, January 21, 1867.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The debates was resumed on the reconstruction measure.

Conover could be polled on each question. Mr. Hale said the question was not upon the final passage of the bill, but upon the amendment of Mr. Conover.

There was no moral value in the Hall-contest being waged in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Conover said he was willing to take the question of Mr. Hale's amendment, in application to Meridian, which was backed by the Louisiana delegation.

The House then resumed the order for taking evidence in Kentucky election case to Congress.

A resolution of fare is as applicable to inquire into the treatment of Union prisoners, with power to send for persons and papers.

A bill was introduced extending provisions of the homestead act to Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Texas.

Bingham introduced a resolution that the Committee on Foreign Relations be directed to inquire into the case of Thomas Osborne, who has been convicted in Great Britain for words spoken in America.

Wilson stated that the Judiciary had requested him to state that they were not ready to report on the subject of impeachment.

Boutwell offered a concurrent resolution to adjourn on Saturday next, and to meet on the first Monday in October, caused by the assassination of Dunham's death.

Adopted, by a vote of 120 to 17.

In the Senate, the consideration of the Judiciary committee's reconstruction bill was resumed.

Trumbull moved giving Commander's power to fill vacancies by appointing citizens of the State soldiers was adopted by a vote of 30 to 16.

The following was added by the 6th section:

Whenever holding any office, or all those persons who have been disfranchised by the 14th Amendment of the Constitution, shall have taken the oath prescribed in said amendment.

New Orleans, July 10.—Cotton dull at 30@ 30½.

NEW ORLEANS, July 10.—Cotton dull, 1,000 bales; middling, 22½@23½; receipts, 7,000; exports, 3,000. Louisiana dated, 22½@23½. Gold 39½@39¾. Sterling 39½@39¾. Flour dull and unchanged. Corn dull and unchanged. Oats 70@72. Bran 1.00@1.05. Hay 1.40@1.45. Pork dull and unchanged. Bacon dull and unchanged. Lard dull and unchanged. Coffee dull and unchanged. Sugar dull and unchanged. Molasses dull and unchanged. Whiskey dull and unchanged. Groceries dull and unchanged. Exchange on New York quarter per cent. premium. New York gold exchange 1 per cent. premium.

A large number of Maximilian's officers are coming in, they are all wearing mourning badges.

LONDON, July 8.—In the House of Lords Lord Stanley said the Government received the news of the execution of Maximilian with pain and regret. He said the Government would adopt in regard to Mexico.

LONDON, July 10.—3 P. M.—Cotton firmer; demand better but unchanged; sales will reach 10,000 bales.

The Committee on the Judiciary Committee of the Judiciary Committee, has prepared a minority report. He favors impeachment, and will present it when the House calls for it.

The extremists desire the Committee to report now, and adjourn to October for trial. There will be a severe struggle on this point.

The Senate will endeavor to reach the vote on its bill to-morrow, independent of the reconstruction bill. In favor of impeachment, and provided. No such bonds shall be issued during the pendency of said Court.

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Difference in the Sizes of Feet.—The New York Hide and Leather Journal notices a few of the differences in the shape of the pedal extremities of people in various sections of the country.

Shoes made for one locality are not adapted for all. For instance, a broad shoe, worn at the South, is best calculated for the Eastern trade, is shrivel at the meeting with but little favor. Rhode Island stands the smallest foot in the Union, and the Southern States grow larger as we progress Southward, terminating with Virginia, and the foot shorter and more plump. Harvley, of the Northern States, a well-grown man wore less than No. 9, running up in the scale of size to No. 11; but at the South, many a full sized man wears fours and fives and seldom over nines.

The ladies of the South, says the Charleston Courier, has confessedly always had the smallest and prettiest feet of any race in the world.

The officers of the Austrian sloop of war Elizabeth, now lying anchored off New Orleans, think that the life of the European Maximilian could have been justly saved by the United States authorities. They say that the American Consul at Vera Cruz received official information of the execution of the Emperor two days before the Austrian Consul did!

Francis Joseph, the Emperor of Austria, appealed to Juarez to spare the life of Maximilian, not because he was an Emperor and a Prince, but because he was his brother; he appealed to the bloodthirsty, and treacherous Indian in the name of Humanity and the ties of consanguinity.

A most desperate murder was perpetrated on the corner of Poydras and Tchoupitoulas streets, about one o'clock this morning. A woman named Lottie Sherwood, shot a man named [illegible] at the corner of the above streets, and [illegible] the corner of Poydras and [illegible] streets, [illegible] the murderess. She was promptly taken into custody, conveyed to the station, and locked up. The body of the deceased was also conveyed to the station house. The woman strenuously denied firing the fatal shot, but the last words of Wilson were as he fell, "Lottie shot me."—Memphis Bulletin 9th.

George Mason, son of J. M. Mason, Confederate Minister to France, has received a commission in the French army in Algeria. Young Mason has lately been a clerk in the Tredegar Iron Works in Richmond.

A satanic band, composed of fifty Mormon missionaries, started for Europe last week in search of dupes.

Newspaper Change.—The "Family Visitor," at Grenada, has ceased to exist. Mr. J. A. Scruggs, of Memphis, having become one of the proprietors, the paper will be known hereafter as 'The Sentinel.'

Hon. A. H. Stevens is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

Hon. Reuben Rayner, has left North Carolina for Mississippi, in which State he will make his home.

A lodge of colored Masons is about to be established at Lynchburg, Va.

Rev. J. L. M. Curry, of Alabama, was married last week to Miss Mary Northam Thomas, an accomplished lady of Richmond, Virginia. The event was the cremation of the week.

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Senator Wilson on Confiscation.

"Mack," of the Cincinnati Commercial writes:

Mr. Wilson comes back fully convinced, so he tells me in conversation, that confiscation would be a ruinous policy for both sections of the country, and that those who are preaching that doctrine to the negroes of the South now are doing inexcusable mischief to the country and to the Republican party. He says if the negroes want land they must work for it; that it is easier for a negro in the South, at the present time, to earn five acres of land than for a white man in Massachusetts to earn one; that land is cheap and labor is plenty, and a man who, under the circumstances, is not able to earn a farm, is not fit to own one. He himself, at the age of twenty-one, worked on a farm for six dollars a month, when six dollars wouldn't buy as much land in Massachusetts as one dollar will now buy in the South. He believes the Southern people are disposed to treat the negroes well, and will educate them, and pay them, and enable them to take care of themselves. This much, coming from a man who has done more than any other man—at any rate quite as much—to shape the policy of the Republican party since its organization, and to whose practical common sense, as opposed to Sumner's political Quixotism, the party owes much of its success, is quite significant.

Belshazzar in Paris.

Under this title the New York Tribune gives a graphic picture of Louis Napoleon when distributing the medals at the Exposition. Seventy-one thousand people were assembled, princes, ministers, and generals stood around, and brilliantly arrayed ladies displayed their rich laces and flashing diamonds. Twelve hundred musicians filled the vast edifice with the magic of music. High above all, on a throne of state, sat the successful hero of the *coup d'etat*, his Empress in silks and jewels by his side. The Tribune proceeds:

When Mr. Hugos, the inventor of the Printing Telegraph, was called up to receive his prize, the Emperor took his hand, making him an exception to all the other recipients of medals. Mr. Hughes, as he touched the Emperor's finger, slipped into the august palm of his sovereign Highness a little message received by the cable and printed by the machine for which he was thus being decorated. It contained these words: "Maximilian is shot. His last words were 'Carlotta!'" His Royal Serenity read the telegram and immediately gave evidence of a fearful agitation. His cheek blanched, his hands trembled, and the diamonds on the Imperial garter quivered so in the admiring multitude. What the Emperor thought is, of course, not to be exactly known. But we may conjecture that he heard over all the shouts and music, above the booming of guns and the salvos of artillery, the signal shot that was death to his insane ambition as to his deluded dupe, the signal cry as of a woman—young, beautiful and good—answering to the last cry of her young husband—"Poor Carlotta!" "Poor Maximilian!"

Where, in all his tumult of rejoicing, this whirl of splendor, this pomp of luxury, were the victims of his crafty and wicked lust of power. For the blood that drags the bodies of his dead down about with him. Wherever he goes that pale face shall look at him as from out the cell where, in madness and utter desolation, she is to drag out the remnant of life. When he looks into the face, still comely, of that wife of his, he shall see, not her eyes, but another's frill of reproach too silent to bear. He shall live; but, hard heart, dull conscience, low mind that he has—the heart shall feel and the conscience shall prick, and the mind shall know that these victims are with him to the end. That shot he shall forever hear, and that cry. His judgment day is come, and all the pomp and splendor that he can gather about him shall not avail to hide him from himself.

Fake Convention Country.—The following extract is from a private letter to this office, dated July 2nd.

"Six weeks ago I thought the prospects of a Convention Candidate were gloomy, from the fact that nearly every man I met was opposed to such a policy. Since that time there has been a considerable change in public sentiments, and I am confident the county will go for a Convention."

Speedy Reconstruction our Best Policy.

What the South needs more than anything else, is peace. Political commotion is almost as bad for us in our present condition, as the actual war which has brought ruin to all our important interests. To recuperate we must have quiet. When that quiet is attained we must work with energy to repair our shattered fortunes. Our situation is bad enough, but we want to make the best of it. We have accepted it, such as it is. We could not have done otherwise. Now we have to work our way out of its darkness and trouble by regular, determined and upright steps into the light. But the way is rugged, and we have all that we can do, if we give our best efforts solely to the task of reconstructing our overthrown prosperity. Everything that detracts us from the earnest and patient performance of this duty, every stumbling block of issues dead, dying or useless, should be resolutely and persistently shunned. We have no time for weeping over what is irrevocably gone. There is no sense in attempting to restore much that we once cherished. The fiat of destiny has fixed the fact—We must do what we can with what is left, in the opportunity that is vouchsafed us, without wasting our breath in asking for what we can never obtain.

Congress has imposed upon us a government, and prescribed the conditions on which we may have restored a representation in the legislature of the country. To these conditions, whether just or unjust, imposed in a spirit of kindness or of its opposite, we are bound to submit. If they are not accepted, there is no security that the next terms offered may not be harder to yield to. To comply with the requirements of Congress now, will settle one chief cause of disquiet, and, we believe, ensure the admission of our representatives into that body. Then a sense of security will become apparent throughout the South, and capital and immigration will flow to our aid. Now, everything is uncertain about the administration of law. The rule of military power is not favorable to commerce or other pursuits where capital and credit must be used. We can change all this, and the sooner it is done, and the better and more cheerful the spirit in which it is done, the quicker will we achieve the material recuperation.

Talk will not help us in this matter. Doing nothing would be our ruin. We don't call on our citizens to work themselves up to fever heat in political discussion, but to act, by a speedy acceptance and due registration, to vote for a State Convention and everything else made a condition in the "reconstruction bill" for our restoration to State rights. However bitter the pill may be, the wise man is swallowing it quietly—further ruin in rejecting it. The longer the list of the registered voters of Louisiana, the greater the certainty of our admission to Congress. With the settlement of the vexed question of reconstruct on we can have the peace we need.—New Orleans Crescent.

The London Times decides Mr. Greeley's case as follows:

"Mr Horace Greeley, who, it is said, has been censured by his party for advocating the release of Mr. Jefferson Davis and giving bail for his appearance, will be thought by the world to be no defense. His conduct is alike creditable to his humanity and his political judgment. He has taken the lead in showing generosity to a fallen opponent, and by so doing he may do much to heal the feud between North and South than could have been done by a score of Republican cat ons".

A most significant and striking circumstance is mentioned in our London telegraphic columns—the Russian Emperor proposes that Russia, France and the United States shall interfere in behalf of Ireland. This will prove exciting to John Bull, and is indicative of what was the subject of communication between Louis Napoleon and Alexander, while the latter was at Paris.

Capt. E. J. Martin, who killed Mr. E. G. Westmoreland, acting British Consul at Brunswick, Georgia, is a nephew of General Edward Johnson, of Virginia, on whose staff he served during the war.

Mr. Westmoreland and the Captain were both seeking the hand of a daughter of Col. C. L. Schatler, of Brunswick,—a young lady of considerable personal charms and high intellectual ability, and to whom Mr. Westmoreland was married at eleven o'clock on the morning of the day which witnessed the death of her husband. They were to have visited Savannah on their bridal tour.

Capt. Martin is a rice planter, owning quite an extensive plantation on the Altamaha river.

Mr. Westmoreland was quite extensively engaged in the lumber business at Brunswick, and was running several saw mills in conjunction with Gen. Gordon.

Two of Sarratt's counsel have made a violent attack upon the Judge in the case because his ruling did not suit them. We seem in a fair way to get all to do as we please and make everybody else do as we please, too. "One man is as good as another, and often a great deal better."

The St. Louis Democrat says it is time to have it understood that the Indians can no longer be protected in living by hunting the buffalo. Civilization must have the plains for other uses. The Indians must be required to locate upon reservations of reasonable extent where they can support themselves by agriculture. The government may as well face this necessity first as last.

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FOR SALE

At this office. Petitions in Bankruptcy, with the accompanying Schedules.

The Senate had hardly been organized when Sumner asked leave to bring in a bill providing that negroes shall have the right to vote in every State at all elections for members of Congress; for Presidential elections; for Representatives and for Senators. Some Republicans opposed the proposition on the ground that Congress has no right to regulate the franchise in the represented States. Sumner's bill ought to go through. The freedman should have the same rights and privileges North, that Congress has bestowed upon him here.

The trial of James B. Simpson, for the killing of J. J. Jones, keeper of the Goodman Turnpike, was concluded at Goodman on the 11th, and resulted in the acquisal being bound over to the next term of the Circuit Court of Attala county, in the sum of one thousand dollars.

The theatre Comique, at St. Louis, was burned on Saturday morning last. Loss $150,000.

Copiah County has sent a deputation out to Honduras to secure lands. If Copiah had sent a deputation to Europe to secure enough emigrants to make the county independent of the freedmen in labor and votes, she would have been acting wisely. People who are moving to the little defenceless colony of Honduras will live to regret it.

Gen. Sterling Price has been sued at St. Louis by Brinkley Hornsby for damages sustained by him in the summer of 1861, by reason of being imprisoned for twenty days by the soldiers under Price. Sheriff McNeil has received from the Johnson county Circuit Court an order of attachment against Price and others, authorizing him to seize their goods, chattels, &c., to the amount of $50,000.

The New York Tribune says the action of our State Conventions on suffrage or anything else, need not be final or irreversible. It adds:

Whenever the Southern States are restored to the Union, they will become subject not only to the Constitution of the United States. Nothing in that Constitution deprives the several States of the control over suffrage within their limits which they have heretofore enjoyed. If the Constitution they may now adopt fail in that or any other respect, to work well, it may be changed.

A Federal soldier at Natchez on the 4th of July, full of bad whiskey and the glories of the day, assaulted a colored drayman who was quietly purchasing his avocation on Silver street—striking him a severe blow on the head with a brick, endeavoring to cut him with a razor, and otherwise abusing him. The drayman knocked down his assailant and kicked him; also, it is said, inflicting a slight wound upon him with a knife. The drayman gave bail for his appearance before the Mayor for the purpose of having the case investigated.

The ground upon which the Kentucky delegation to Congress has been denied admission, is that in the several Districts, voters were overawed and prevented from exercising the elective privilege. Other States may profit by this example. Every man must be permitted to vote, and cast his ballot according to his own judgment. To overawe or practice any fraud upon a voter, by taking advantage of his ignorance, will undo all the work we may have done.

Committees to investigate the assassination, and the treatment of prisoners, have commenced their work at Washington.

The steamer Red Gauntlet, cleared from Mobile on Friday, with 109 emigrants for Brazil.

The Great Clock at London has a pendulum weighing between six and seven hundred pounds. It is a good days work for a man to wind the clock up, both going and striking parts.

The Meridian Gazette, has private intelligence that "the cholera is on the increase" in this city! We are happy to inform our cotemporaries of the Gazette, that their information is by no means accurate. The cholera is not on the increase. We have had but few cases of cholera, and we believe, that in every instance, they can be traced to imprudence in diet.—Vicksburg Times.

The City Council and people of Aberdeen are seeking every effort to have the branch road from the Mobile & Ohio to Aberdeen completed.

The New Military Bill—Our Duty.

Even a way-faring man cannot now err in the construction of the military bills. They are made so plain that we shall make no mistakes hereafter.—Severe as the law was before, if is more so now. The burden is heavier than ever. The softening of the unnecessarily harsh features of the original bills, which some looked for, was prevented by the opposition to Conventions which appears in the South, the views of the Attorney-General, and a feeble fire that is kept up continually by a little faction in the North styling themselves Democrats, who are without organization or an acknowledged leader, and totally unable to render us any service whatever. The military commanders have unlimited power, and are almost irresponsible. All authority has been taken out of the President's hands, and Gen. Grant made a depository of what little appeal authority Congress deems fit to tolerate. The Boards of Registrars have immense power; they have full control over elections, and a stroke of their pen enfranchises or disfranchises, and without regard to justice or the law, if the board should be partisan. Civil officers appointed or elected hereafter have to qualify by taking the iron-clad oath, thus transferring, by degrees, the power of the States to the hands of those who have a claim to loyalty, which but few in the South can honestly establish. We have thus summed up the last bill of Congress to show that with each succeeding session our terms grow harsher. The reconstruction ardor of a few has been slightly affected by the act recently passed, but there is no appeal from it, and we must labor on without grumbling. Reconstruction alone will take us from beneath the present cloudy political skies. Congress is supreme in the Government, and will continue so while the ten Southern States remain a bone for Congressional contention. Speedy restoration is our only salvation. Every civil organization will be set aside, if necessary, to secure the execution of the will of Congress. Therefore, to quote from the Crescent, considerations of expediency no less than of duty demand that we should submit, with dignity and fortitude, to the requirements of the conquering power, whenever those requirements are plain and the ability of that power to enforce them is unquestionable. Having done this, let us calmly, and hopefully if possible, await the issue. The conquering power may be dissolved by internal corrosion and friction, but no exterior resistance which we can make can dissolve it, but would rather tend, perhaps, to give it greater compactness. As long as the military may conpicicitly carry out the will of Congress, and as long as that body has the support of the Northern people, we cannot be in doubt as to what authority wields the power of conquest over the South. It is for the people of the conquering nation to take the initiative in relieving us from political slavery, as a necessary step in establishing guarantees of constitutional liberty for the country. It is for us, in the exercise of the highest practical wisdom, to make the most of things as we find them, and not to fall into impotent frenzy or maudlin despair because they will not be as we would have them. Let us beware of impracticables. We are shattered enough already; let us not shiver our fortunes utterly by rushing upon impossibilities.

Lieu'. John C. Braine, late of the Confederate Navy, is still confined in the penitentiary at Brooklyn, New York. He was arrested for piracy and murder, in connection with his capture of the steamer Chesapeake; the false pretence, assigned at the time of his arrest, being that he held no commission or appointment from the Confederate Government, at the time of his capture. We suppose that the same game is to be played with Braine, that was played with Mr. Davis.

Col. Dimon, the military chief of police at Mobile, has ordered the disfranchisement of the negro military companies organized there. The orders is to be strictly enforced.

THE CATERPILLAR.—The genuine army worm has appeared and begun its ravages in Concordia parish, La., and Adams County, at the opposite side of the river, in Mississippi.

The machinery for a factory to be located near Tuscaloosa, on the line of the Meridian and Chattanooga Railroad, has reached Tuscaloosa.

Gen. Frank C. Armstrong has resigned the Presidency of the Southern Asylum Land Company, and accepted the position of supervising Agent.

Registration in Winston County, stood as follows on the 9th inst.: Whites 583; blacks 263. Total 846.

The Necessity of Organization.

The momentous consequences, that must inevitably flow from the rejection of the present plan of pacification, tendered by Congress, prompts the Clarion, acting upon the advice of numerous sincere and discreet friends, to urge the advocates of Reconstruction to organize, in order to carry the State, for a Convention beyond the possibility of a failure. Here are its suggestions which we heartily endorse. As the people work is necessary to secure the State:

1. A more perfect organization throughout the State, embracing a Central Executive Committee from the State at large, with branch committees in every county.

2. Through co-operation by correspondence and otherwise, and the circulation of tracts and documents containing the best arguments, to be spread broadcast, so that every household in the State shall be supplied.

3. Systematic public addresses in every precinct in each county, by able, candid and earnest speakers, who will explain to the voters of all classes, the legislation of Congress, the necessity of accepting the terms offered, and the inevitable consequences of refusing to embrace the present opportunity to reconstruct our State government preparatory to a restoration to the Union.

4. The blacks being voters by the laws of the Government, special efforts should be made to inform them correctly of the policy of the government in the matter of Reconstruction, how to vote in order this object, and of their rights, duties and obligations as newly made citizens. This can be done by addressing them in separate assemblies, or otherwise as may be deemed best by the friends of Reconstruction in the several localities. Among the negroes can be found many who comprehend the questions involved, and it will be well, when practicable to enlist them in the work of instructing their race upon these subjects. But while such measures as they are, to political management, it will be necessary for the details to be arranged by those who better informed. It will not do for the weight of this large mass to be thrown by blind chance into the scales at the coming election, or short all to be wielded by designing men, contrary to the policy of the government, and injuriously to the best interests of the South. The defeat of the Convention by such a device would almost produce a temporary respite for a few months, at the rest of the loss of the suffrage privilege, and perhaps the property of the hitherto governing race.

5. We advise that these efforts be made on the basis of reconstruction alone, without reference to past, present or future political differences.

These suggestions if adopted, will call quire a small expenditure of money—not much compared to the consequences at stake, and considerable effort. To this the rest of our limited means and poor ability, we are willing to contribute. Friends and countrymen of Mississippians! The work of Union and peace—you who really desire the restoration of prosperity and would escape impending calamities, the end of which, if brought upon us, no human foresight can discover in the dark future, what is your response? What say our brethren of the Reconstruction press?

Orders in Bankruptcy.

The United States District Judge, Hon. R. A. Hill, has by orders, adopted at the June Terms of the District Courts, held respectively at Oxford and Jackson, designated the times and places at which the Registers in Bankruptcy shall attend for the transaction of such business as may be referred to them, as follows:

E. C. GILLENWATERS, Register for the First District, shall attend at the Court Room in the town of Rienzi, Tishomingo county, for the counties of Tishomingo and Tippah, on the 1st Monday in each month, and continue for one week, should business so long require, and at the United States Jury Room, No. 2, in the town of Oxford for the remainder of his District, on the 2d Monday in each month, and continue until the 1st Monday in the succeeding month, should business so long require.

R. S. FAIRFIELD, Register for the 2d District, shall attend in the Court House in the City of Aberdeen, for the counties of Monroe and Chickasaw, on the 1st Monday in each month, and continue for one week should business so long require. At some suitable place to be designated by him, in the town of Pontotoc, Lee county, for the counties of Pontotoc, Lee and Itawamba, on the 2d Monday of each month, and continue for one week should business so long require.

At his office in the town of Grenada, for the counties of Yalobusha, Tallahatchie, Tunnhower and Bolivar, on the 3d Monday in each month, and continue until the 1st Monday in the succeeding month, should business so long require.

JOSEPH W. FIELD, Register for the 3d District, shall attend at his office in the city of Columbus, for the counties of Lowndes, Oktibbeha, Winston and Noxubee, on the 1st Monday in each month, and continue for two weeks should business so long require. At some suitable place to be designated by him in the town of Winona, in the county of Carroll, for the counties of Carroll, Choctaw and Attala, on the 3d Monday of each month, and to continue for one week should business so long require.

For the counties of Leake, Neshoba and Kemper, at the town of Philadelphia, on the 4th Monday in each month, and at such other places during said week as he may appoint.

GEORGE C. McKEE, Reisterfor the 4th District, shall attend at some suitable place in the city of Meridian, on the 1st Monday in each month, and continue for one week, if business so long require for the counties of Rankin, Hinds, Madison, Holmes and Yazoo.

At some suitable place in the city of Vicksburg, on the third Monday of each month, and continue for one week, should business so long require, for the counties of Washington, Issaquena and Warren, and such petitions as the petitioners may by writing request, may be referred for the county of Yazoo.

L. W. PEECE, Register for the 5th Congressional District, shall at some suitable place in the town of Hayneshora, on the first Monday in alternate months, commencing with the month of August, and, continue one week, should the business so long require, for the counties of Wayne, Davis & Greene.

At Mississippi City, at some suitable place therein, on the first Monday in alternate months, commencing with the month of July, and continue for one week, should business so long require, for the counties of Jackson, Hancock and Harrison.

At some suitable place in the town of Brookhaven, on the second Monday in each month, for the counties of Copiah, Simpson, Marion, Lawrence, Pike, Covington, Amite and Franklin, and continue for one week, should business so long require.

At some suitable place in the city of Natchez, on the 3d Monday in each month, and continue for one week, should business so long requires for the counties of Wilkinson, Adams, Jefferson and Claiborne.

Mexican Affairs in Paris.

A strange sight meets Quarterly gaze for the convert of the Columbian Exposition. Mexico is the topic of conversations and breakings up it has long since lost all traces of conventional appearance. Once it may have been, and probably was, a stately building of great extent and imposing exterior. Now nothing remains but a row of disjointed houses of eccentric architectural development. In one of these Maximilian and his generals are confined. They have been relieved from *communalist*, the solitary confinement and double guard, which in his country usually precede execution, and are allowed, under certain instructions, to see civilian friends. The number of their visitors is few, few indeed. If the ex-Emperor was not previously undeceived as to the extent of the affection which evil counsellors always assured him the Mexican people bore toward him, he is so now. None of the Mexicans who fawned on and flattered him in prosperous days come to see him now; none but foreigners care sufficiently for his fate to risk Liberal displeasure by inquiring after him.

Of all the reverses which the proud house of Hapsburg has of late experienced, this is the saddest and the worst. A scion of that imperial stock shut up in a six-by-nine dungeon, and compelled to ask his life at the hands of a Mexican Indian, who probably never knew his father, speaks no language but his own, and has absolutely no idea of the divine rights of kings and emperors. Maximilian's chief companion is the Prince Salm-Salm, so well remembered in the army of the Cumberland, and who proved himself during the seige one of the best and bravest officers in the whole imperial services. Together they sit and play at draughts, with vivid interest, but not their own probable fate, but the politics of Germany and America.—With all his vicissitudes of fortune the archduke loses none of his warm sympathy for the United States. Anything and everything American has a strange attraction for him. He listens to Prince Salm-Salm's reminiscence of the great war with rapt attention; and hearing the story of Chickamauga, Atlanta, and Vicksburg, expresses his longing to visit the scenes of such memorable events. Then, the subject changing, German politics will come upon the carpet, and Maximilian, with grave, deprecatory face, will bemoan the short-sightedness and reactionary tendencies of his brother, the Austrian Emperor, advancing statements on his own part broad and liberal enough for any Fourth of July oration. A strange picture, is it not? Maximilian, tall and erect still, his blue eyes kindling, and his great blonde beard quivering with excitement, while Salm-Salm, from whose eye the inevitable eye-glass has fallen in the excitement of the moment, speaks of some of the leading episodes of the American war, and with the modesty of true bravery claims for himself only a spectator's part in the actions he so vividly describes.—A Mexican dungeon encircles them the while, and a court-martial, composed, they say, of three captains and a lieutenant-colonel, only waits the word of *long-eared* Escobedo, the example driver, to condemn them to death.

TORNADO AT DECATUR.—Mr. Julius Hayden, general agent of the Southern Railroad, is in receipt of a telegram from Col. San Tate, president of the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, stating that a tornado yesterday destroyed one span of the railroad bridge over the Tennessee river at Decatur, Alabama. Communication is unimpeded, however, and connection maintained. Passengers and freight are transported by steamboat. The bridge will be in perfect order in the course of five days.—Exchange.

A Tennessee paper revives the following from a speech of Brownlow's when he was a violent pro-slavery man: "Fellow Citizens:—Whenever you get to burning negroes or dram shops, count me in; I'll help you."

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Sallie Bass,	Ball's	30		4000	20 00
F. Bass,	Ragsdale's	3	14 & 8	11000	55 00
"	Bass'	(25 acres not laid off into lots)		1200	6 00
"	"	2	1	200	1 00
"	"	3	1	200	1 00
"	"	10	2 & 3	200	1 00
"	"	8	1 to 4	800	4 00
"	"	3	1 to 4	800	4 00
"	"	15	1 to 5	400	2 00
"	"	11	1 to 5	400	2 00
"	"	11	1 to 3	300	1 50
Estate H. Bird,	McLemore's	5	1 to 7	1400	7 00
"	M. & O. R. R.			1200	6 00
H. E. Barnes,	Ragsdale's	33	12	300	1 50
"	"	67	1	250	1 25
H. H Breckinridge,			House	350	2 00
Wm. Barker, fm.,				300	1 50
Bryan & Emanuel,	Ball's	31	1 to 18	300	1 50
"	"	9	8	100	50
Matt Calvert,	Ragsdale's	70	14 2	1000	5 00
S A Cullen	"			400	2 00
Mary A. Cox,	"	94	11 & 12	1500	7 50
A Calvert,	Ball's	8	8, 9 & 10	300	1 50
"	"	23	5 & 11	300	1 50
Est. W F Crumpton,	"	33	13	150	75
W H Cain, Sr.,	M. & O. R. R.		93	3800	19 00
"	"	½ of	86	600	3 00
Mrs Clark,			House	400	2 00
J H Clegg,	M. & O. R. R.		113 & 114	1500	7 50
Julia H Drake's heirs,	Ball's	93	1 & 2	1800	9 00
Jno. Ethridge,	Ragsdale's	70		300	1 50
Ex'r Peter Finnegan,	W. P. Jackson's		½ acres	1500	7 50
"	Bass'	9	2	1000	5 00
"	"	2	2 & 3	1400	7 00
Frolicentia & Ottenheim,	Ragsdale's			400	2 00
"	M. & O. R. R.		14, 15, 16 & 17	3200	16 00
Wm Foy,	Ball's		7 & 8	100	50
B J N Flippen,	Linder's	30	3 & 4	1000	5 00
Wm Foy,	Ragsdale's		House	400	2 00
E F Green,	"	70	3 & 4	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,	M. & O. R. R.		House	300	1 50
Wiley Jones,				600	3 00
Estate Chas Lang	Lang's (60 acres "unsurveyed")			12000	60 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore's	1	3	1100	5 50
Rufus H Mitchel,	Ragsdale's	62	10	250	1 25
W H McRoy,	do	do		300	1 50
Mrs McDowell,	do	do		400	2 00
John Martin,	do	house		400	2 00
J Haggard,	Ball's	250 x 300 feet		3000	10 00
W Palmer,	M & O R R		38	500	2 50
W S Price,	do		123, 125, 137,		
			138, 140, 141,	1750	8 75
			142, 143		
Pierce & Edmondson,	do		134 and 136	600	3 00
"	do	house		1500	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ball's	32	8 and 8½	225	1 12
W R Richardson,	Ragsdale's	34	13 to 16	1000	5 00
S T Smiley,	Ball's	32	9	150	75
F Smikleer,	M & O R R		9	250	1 25
W A Smith,	Lindley's	11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon		house		100	50
W L Sadler		do		900	4 50
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's	4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R		13	250	1 25
"	Ball's	27		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,		house		500	2 50
T S Terry,	M & O R R		w½ of 10	100	50
J M Trussell,	do	82	1	500	2 50
Threefoot & Wynne,	do	99	14	1500	7 50
J W Tiner,	Ball's	16	7	750	3 75
Est. Chas. Vosburg,	Ragsdale's	33	12 & 14	800	2 50
T B W Tidmon,	Ball's	30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
Walker	M & O R R		131	1000	5 00
W H West,	do		40, 41	1250	6 25
Young & Brown,		house		1500	7 50
J W Young,	Ball's	3	1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Smith,	Lang's		134x300 feet	800	4 00
Mary Roberts,	Linder's	12	2 & 4	200	1 00

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Mail trains pass up at ..... 3:30 P. M.
" " down ..... 2:50 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5:45 A. M.
" " arrives at ..... 5:45 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Meridian at 7:20 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna at 9:30 A. M. Enterprise 2:45 P. M. Mobile 7:30 P. M. Mason 5:5" " " " P.M. Okolona 10:5" " " " P.M.
Returning leaves Mobile at ..... 6:30 A. M.
" Enterprise ..... 11:30 A. M.
" Buckatunna ..... 4:30 P. M.
" arrive at Meridian ..... 6:30 P. M.

Time 36 hours; distance 271 miles; Time 36 hours and twenty-five minutes allowed.

Passenger train leaves ..... 6:35 A. M.
" arrive ..... 4:55 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7:00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4:30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8:55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:20 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 p. m.; leaves at 3:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

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Passenger train leaves for and arrives North, make quick time and meet connections by taking this route. Returning leaves Meridian for Jackson, Miss., with trains on N. O., J. & G. R. Railroad; at Canton for Memphis with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

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CAPT. JAMES HUNDERLAND, Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale.

Hon. Jacob Small Yerger, Judge of the Third Judicial District of Mississippi, died in Vicksburg on the 14th inst.

Religion and Chemistry.—Rev. Dr. Thomas Nicholson, of Mobile, will deliver an interesting lecture to-morrow night at the Baptist Church on the above subject. But few lectures are more instructive, interesting, elevating to the feelings, and so full of startling eloquence, to old and young-learned and unlearned, as those of Chemistry. Nothing is more interesting to children, and the old are inspired with the marvelous exhibitions of the wisdom and wonderful works of God.

Registration.—Up to yesterday there were 1653 voters registered in this county. 618 whites and 1005 blacks.

Hinds county, 1477 whites, 6346 blacks.
Lowndes county, 1119 whites, 4339 blacks.
Oktibbeha county, 723 whites, 1428 blacks.
Jasper county, 225 whites and 147 blacks.

Dusting the Brow.—The feeling created is like lifting up the heavy drapery that hangs to shut off from Nature's first night, to watch the bosom of virgin earth heave with life, or catch the early kiss of morning's dawn upon her ruby lips, to look upon creation in her bridal robes, with her diamond fragments of jewelry—now decking her brow with the flowers of spring and contemplating the golden treasures of health created by the use of the "Great Southern Preparations," advertised in another column.

Negro Killed.

A negro man named Jerry Larkin, was shot and killed in the country line of the city on Tuesday afternoon, by Geo. P. Shield, City Marshal, under the following circumstances: A word or so since, Jerry and another negro named Joe, were arraigned before the Mayor for fighting, and both fined. Joe paid his fine, but Jerry refused, and every time he came to town afterwards, was armed with a musket, and always declared he would kill any one who came to arrest him. On Tuesday three policemen made an effort to take him in custody, but he being armed with a musket, and they only with small pistols, the attempt was abandoned. A statement of the case was laid before Mayor Norton by Mayor Henderson. The Major answered that the negro being guilty of a breach of the peace, should be apprehended at all hazards, and if necessary, military aid would be supplied. The Mayor thereupon summoned his police force and repaired to Jerry's house. He found Jerry sitting in his door with a musket alongside. Every possible appeal was made to him by the Mayor to surrender without avail.—Finally, the Mayor told his men to shoot the out-law, when he raised his gun to shoot, calling forth from the Mayor an order to fire. The City Marshal, at whom Jerry aimed his gun, fired the shot entering the heart, and causing death in a few moments. Before the shooting took place Jerry declared he would kill some one, if not dearly—that he did not intend to be taken—and would kill one policeman before he was killed himself. The news soon spread through town, and about dark, some twenty negroes, headed by John Fergurson and Billy Clopton, proceeded to Maj. Norton's headquarters to demand justice. The Major dismissed the crowd, after informing them the whole matter would be fairly and thoroughly investigated. Yesterday morning an inquest was held over the body.

The verdict of the jury was justifiable homicide. We learn that the negroes who demanded the taking of this man's life, and trust that hereafter it will serve as a warning to others. The majesty of the law must be vindicated.

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NEWS ITEMS.

The citizens of Attala county are making efforts to revive their County Fairs.

The Mobile Tribune announces the death of Mr. Samuel Jones, a Mason of the most respectful standing and esteem.

The Picayune says: [illegible] adjourned, the Senate will [illegible] ty until [illegible] sion, so as to enable the [illegible]

A Galveston [illegible] says two Negroes [illegible] Washington District were shot and badly wounded on the 11th.

The citizens of Gainesville, Ala., and vicinity offer a reward of $500 for the arrest and murderer of Robbins, Sheriff of Sumter county, and evidence to procure his conviction.

Examination of W. H. Pelts.—The examination of W. H. Pelts, late Collector and Deputy Sheriff of Choctaw County, charged with embezzlement of public funds, was concluded in Butler on Wednesday, and resulted in placing the defendant under bond in the sum of $5000. It will be remembered that Mr. Pelts alleged that he had been waylaid and robbed, some weeks ago.—Lexington Journal.

Greeley has of late taken to telling some wholesome truths about some of those with whom has been associated in politics. Here is what he says about the Grand Army of the Republic.

"A number of office beggars and politicians, calling themselves the Grand Army of the Republic, and meeting in out-of-the-way places with grips and pass-words, are passing resolutions demanding Confiscation and farms. This is either madness or knavery. People who want farms work for them. The only class we know that takes other people's property without paying for it is largely represented in Sing Sing Penitentiary. The people of the country do not want Sing Sing and Mexican banditti principles introduced into their statesmanship."

Hon. W. M. Hancock.—The different Courts in this Circuit have been held, and the business accumulated in them satisfactorily disposed of. The accomplished Judge, Hon. W. M. Hancock, is enjoying at present a brief respite from his arduous labors, and is reaperating for the next session.

We are happy to learn him for many years to come. His conservative and conciliatory conduct during the war, his wise and patriotic counsels since then, have endeared him to every citizen of his district.—Bay St. Louis Gazette, July 5.

Mr. Brigham and the President.—A Washington to a member of the Cincinnati Gazette (Rad.) says:

There is a report that, in case of an impeachment, Hon. John Sherman will appear among the counsel for the defense. It originated in an assertion made by Mr. Brigham to a member of the Indiana delegation, that he (Brigham) would resign his seat in Congress for a fee of $20,000 and do him before the senate.

There was a large public meeting of the people—both white and black—at Aberdeen on the 4th inst. Gen. Reuben Davis addressed them. Hon. John Sharkey was also delivered by several colored men.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The reconstruction bill has been signed by the presiding officers of both Houses, and presented to the President.

The following is a [illegible] passed both Houses:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it is hereby declared to have been the true intent and meaning of the act of the 2nd March, 1867, and the acts supplementary thereto, that the most efficient government of the rebel States, and of the act supplementary thereto, passed on the 23rd day of March, 1867, that the governments then existing therein should be continued in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Florida, Texas and Arkansas, were and are valid State governments. If continued, were constitutional subjects, in all respects, to the military commanders of the respective districts, and to the paramount authority of Congress.

Sec. 2. That the commander of any District named in said act shall have power, subject to the disapproval of the General of the Army of the United States, to have effect till disapproved, whenever in the opinion of such commander the proper administration of said act requires it, to suspend or remove from office, or from the performance of official duties, and the exercise of official powers, any officer or person holding or exercising or professing to hold or exercise, any civil or military office or duty in such District under any power, election appointment or authority derived from, or granted by, or claimed under, any so-called State, or the Government thereof, or any municipal or other division thereof; and upon such suspension or removal, such commander, subject to the disapproval of the General aforesaid, shall have power to fill vacancies occasioned by such removals, or by reason of the said duties of such officer or person so suspended or removed, by detail of some competent officer or soldier of the army, or by the appointment of some other person to perform the duties of such office; and in filling all such vacancies occasioned by death, resignation or otherwise.

Sec. 3. That the General of the United States Army shall be invested with all the power of suspension, removal, appointment and detail given in the preceding section to the district commanders.

Sec. 4. That the words "registration" in the act of the 23rd of March, 1867, supplementary to the act of the 2nd of March, 1867, shall be held to include, in case of the absence of registering officers, or their failure to act, or refusal to act, or their disqualification, or for any other reason, the power to the commander of the district, or to the General of the army; and it shall be the duty of such commander to cause the registration, as aforesaid, all persons who are disloyal to the Government of the United States, and who are under the civil or military disabilities, and appointing others in their stead, are hereby confirmed; provided that any person heretofore or hereafter appointed by any district commander to exercise the functions of any civil office may be removed from the same, at any time, by the command of the district or by the General of the army; and it shall be the duty of such commander to cause the funerals

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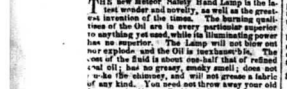

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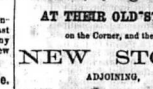

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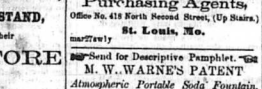

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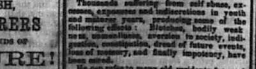

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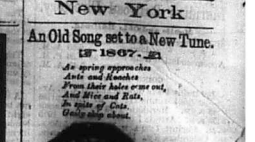

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A short time since a personal letter appeared in the Meridian Chronicle, with this caption : "Reply of Hon. Jno. McRae, of Kemper, to J. L. Morris, Esq.," &c. In this letter Mr. McRae stated, among other things, why he was a Republican, which is extracted by the Mobile Advertiser, and this unkind paragraph pinned to the bottom of it :

We wonder if this can be John J. McRae, the whilom Governor of State Rights Mississippi, the supporter of Breckinridge, the "before breakfast" fire-eating secessionist, the stand-by counsellor of Jeff. Davis—Lest we should make a mistake and do injustice we pause for a reply.

If the editor of the Advertiser read the article from which he extracted, he must have known Hon. John McRae, of Kemper, was not ex-Governor John J. McRae, of Wayne. Gov. McRae has, since the close of the war, eschewed politics entirely, remains on his farm near Buckatunna, and is content to be forgotten by those who wound when the aim of all should be to heal.

A Filibustering Scheme.

Filibustering expeditions to Mexico to "avenge Maximilian" are fitting up in New Orleans, New York, Buffalo, Havana, Washington and other places. According to the New York correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger, however, these expeditions have for their object the displacement of Juarez by Gen. Ortega, in order to advance certain ulterior schemes, looking to the indorsement by this Government of some $26,000,000 or $30,000,000 in Mexican bonds It is the same organization, says the writer, which paid the expenses of the Santa Anna expedition. Had Santa Anna been successful on landing, it is supposed he would by this time be in the chair of the Montezumas, negotiating with Mr. Seward for a union of the two countries, on the basis of paying off the Mexican debt in consideration of receiving the whole of Mexico in return. But, now that Santa Anna is either dead, or a prisoner in the hands of the Juarists along with Ortega, what is the programme? Briefly this : to fit out another expedition to land somewhere on the Mexican coast, unfurl the banner of Ortega, and trust to fortune for Mexican support.—Ortega's name, they say, will do just as well as Ortega himself. If Juarez shoots him, so much the better ; it will make Juarez unpopular, and hasten his end. But be the objects of the expedition what they may, we think the project will prove a failure, resulting in the killing of a few hundred men, and the expenditure of several thousand dollars. Where the French Emperor was defeated, with France and Austria at his back, where Scott made such slow progress, bolstered up by the treasury and power of this government, a few adventurers cannot certainly hope to succeed.

Mr. Shelan, living on the Bay Road below Mobile, was shot and mortally wounded Thursday night by some negroes, who broke into the store where he was stopping. The negro who did the shooting has been arrested and identified.

The steamer Flirt was destroyed by fire at the Mobile wharf Thursday night. No insurance.

The Salt Lake Vidette, of July 1st, says that rich gold discoveries have been made in the Utah mines. Some have brought in forty ounces of gold dust, crushed from quartz, in two days. Being assayed, it weighed over thirty ounces, valued at seven hundred and forty dollars. The mines are located two hundred miles from Salt Lake, in the Green river country. Extensive mines have just been discovered at the head of Little Lost River. The excitement is culminating in a general stampede of miners. The mines are reported to be eighty miles from Salmond City.

Mr. Robert Paine and Mr. G. T. Johns, two worthy and respected citizens of Amite county, became engaged in an altercation while returning from Summit, on Friday evening, the 6th inst., which led to blows and finally to the use of deadly weapons, resulting in the killing of Mr. Johns by a shot in the neck from a pistol in the hands of Mr. Paine.

Sickles' Solution of the Problem.

The telegraph mentioned the other day that Gen. Sickles had written a letter to Hon. Lyman Trumbull, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate, in which he recommended universal amnesty—with a few pecified exceptions—should accompany universal suffrage. The letter is before us and we find it pretty much the same doctrine as advanced by Horace Greeley soon after the surrender, and also by Senator Stewart of Nevada, who it was suspected at the time, was guided by his kinsman Gov. Foote, formerly of this State, in urging such a settlement of our political troubles. Here is an extract from his letter :

Now it seems to me that the true conservative guarantee against reaction is in the addition made to the loyal vote by the enfranchisement of the colored people. That being done, the occasion for the disqualification clause ceases. Hence the true solution, I believe, is to declare with universal suffrage a general amnesty, naming the exceptions. A more liberal amnesty is, in my judgment, essential to the success of the Congressional plan of reconstruction. It will enlarge the range of popular choice for the important judicial, executive, or legislative departments of the State governments, otherwise inconveniently confined to classes, very few of whom are fit to hold office. The people can surely be intrusted to judge and select from those who took part in the rebellion, the men at once qualified and sincere in their adhesion to the new order of things. Some men being eligible to office will have motives to identify themselves with reconstruction and to support the views of the majority. Now, more than ever, men of ability and experience in public business are needed for the State governments in the South, and it is truly unfortunate that at such a moment nearly all who knew anything of public affairs are disfranchised, and especially those who could fill judicial stations. This exposes the experiment of general suffrage to needless hazards. If the experiment fails it is more likely to fail from the inability of the people to put in office those who could and would assure success. It would have been advantageous perhaps to have removed many disaffected persons, especially judges, sheriffs and magistrates, in the execution of the sixth section of the act of March 2, if competent successors could have been found among these who are eligible to office; and I would regard the possession now of a wider field of choice for civil officers as one of the most effective instrumentalities in the execution of the military authority conferred upon district commanders. As it is, I find myself prevented, as will be the people by and by—from securing for the public service men of aptitude and character, whose repentance is as certain as the devotion of the most consistent loyalist. In truth, this zeal of some of the courts outruns the discretion of many of the faithful. With reference to other practical suggestions, it might be useful if Congress, by some one of its committees, interrogated the commanding officers of the several districts upon the operation of the Reconstruction acts and the further legislation required.

Gen. Sickles, no matter what we may say of his administration in the Carolinas, evidently has a high appreciation of the situation, but his views seem to fall lightly on the ears of Congress, as we have seen that the third military bill passed after Mr. Trumbull's receipt of the letter. But the necessity of such a measure as Gen. Sickles urges, will yet become apparent to the country, and Congress must then compromise or retire from the chair of power.

The New Bill—Our Advice.

The third military bill leaves the Southern people utterly helpless; they must look to the military commanders for whatever magnanimity and clemency is to be bestowed upon our unfortunate section. State governments are subservient to the will of the District Commanders. The Boards of Registrars have power to decide upon the right of applicants to register. Those who have been members of the Legislature, or held any executive or judicial office in any State, whether they have taken an oath to support the Constitution of the United States, or not, and whether holding such office at the commencement or during the war, and *afterwards* engaged in "rebellion," are not entitled to register. "Executive and judicial" are defined to include "all civil officers created by law for the administration of any general law." No person shall register by reason of any executive pardon or amnesty, a provision which does not conflict with the interpretation enforced under the original law. Pending reconstruction persons elected or appointed to office shall be required to take the iron-clad oath. This is the gist of the "third military bill" which we are sorry to see has driven a few of our friends from the Convention canvas. For our part we see no cause to change : it is impossible to raise a party strong enough to defeat the action of Congress and we hold it, therefore, to be the duty of every man to "caution in every way the event which will place at once the pale of national politics, and allow us a choice of party association." We are bound to enter the door Congress has indicated, and it is to our interest to pass through before we are all disfranchised, and rendered completely powerless. From a very sensible article in the last Handsboro Democrat on this subject, we make the following extract :

We have everything to loose and nothing to gain by the do-nothing policy. We must control the negro vote in the South to subserve our interests, or the Radicals will control it to subserve theirs.

The idea of standing off on our dignity may seem very well to an impractical transcendentalist, who builds "castles in Spain," and bamboozles himself into the belief that he lives in them, but to a practical, matter-of-fact person, who knows that his bread and butter depend upon the issue, it is all moonshine.

We must avail ourselves of the present opportunity to regain a voice in the government of the nation, even the excesses of military dictatorship and its myriad of evils. We deem it the duty of every man to sacrifice his personal passions and prejudices, as well as his private interest, for the public good. We must accept any terms, however harsh and unjust, which promise a restoration of quiet and prosperity to our disturbed and impoverished country.

Time and labor will, we hope, restore unto us the Federal Constitution in all its entirety, and with it will be returned the rights and franchises of which we have been so despotically deprived. For the present, let us accept the only proffered terms of reconstruction and find consolation in cultivating all the useful "arts of peace."

General Ord on Municipal Elections.

The following correspondence will interest our readers :

E. P. Thompson, Esq., Mayor of Okolona, writes to the General Commanding District No. 4, stating "that the term of office of the Board of Aldermen of his city will expire August 1st, and wishes to know if the General Commanding will order an election, or appoint. In the event that the election shall be ordered, he would be glad to submit a list of names of suitable persons to fill the designated offices."

To which the following reply was given :

H'D QR'S 4TH MILITARY DIST.)
OFFICE OF CIVIL AFFAIRS,
Vicksburg, Miss., July 12, 1867.

Respectfully returned with the information that the General Commanding does not interfere with elections for Municipal offices. A copy of the General Order No. 5, upon this subject is enclosed. Elections for purely Municipal officers, therefore, will be held as provided by the laws of the State of Mississippi.

By command of Gen. E. O. C. Ord.
A. BAIRD,
Br't Maj. & A. A. G. U. S. A.
Ass't Inspector General.

"Section 9, of the late reconstruction bill, will, however, require that officers appointed or elected under State or Municipal authority, or detailed, or appointed by Military Commanders, shall take the "test oath." — Aberdeen Examiner.

THINGS WHICH CANNOT BE DENIED.—The Negro is a *Voter*.

One half the *voters* at least, in this State are *Negroes*.

There will be a Convention, and the negroes will be represented in that Convention, either by white or black representatives.

The Convention so constituted, will accept the act of Congress conferring suffrage on the negro.

The negro will be a powerful element, if not the ruling power, in the State.

A rejection of the reconstruction act would inevitably result in further disfranchisement of the whites, thus giving to the negroes political supremacy.

There is certainly less disgrace in partaking of the privilege of self-government, than in being ruled by negroes.—Hazlehurst News.

SHARP PRACTICE OF AN ATLANTA MERCHANT.—A correspondent of the Chattanooga Union tells the following of a shrewd and cynical Atlanta merchant;

I heard of a good thing perpetrated by one of them, which was related by him to a New York "drummer." The merchant aforesaid is in the ready made clothing business, and he told the gentleman from New York, that when a customer comes in, after letting him try on several coats, he would say to him that he had a coat which he had given a gentleman to take home the night before, but he was not satisfied with it and returned it. Perhaps it might fit his customer. "Now you know," says he, "that men are ready made clothiers; so I put a pocket-book in one of the coat pockets, which only cost me thirty or forty cents. Now when the man takes on the coat, he puts his hands in the pockets, and feels this pocket-book, and he buys the coat at once for a trifle more than I advanced on the usual price; and he never comes back to see about it!"

ATTEMPTED INSURANCE FRAUD—Saint Louis, June 29.—An investigation into the reported robbery of the steamer W. Brooks, at the levee, Sunday morning last, of $6,000, has disclosed the fact that the owners, Henry A. Huffner and W. A. Ritter, and her captain, J. A. Johnson, had entered into a conspiracy to rob and burn the boat, and defraud the insurance companies. All the parties have been arrested and $6,360 of the stolen money recovered. Johnson and Ritter have confessed their connection with the affair. The scheme originated with Huffner, who was to buy goods on a credit, load the boat, of which Johnson was captain and Ritter chief mate, take them up the Arkansas River, set them for what they could get, rob the boat of the proceeds of the trip, burn her and get the insurance. The boat was insured for $6,000, some unsold goods on return trip for $3,000, and money on hand, $360. On the passage from Cairo to this port the boat was fired in the clerks' office, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done. All the parties are held to bail, and have bore good reputations.

Somebody in Philadelphia has kept the Secretary of the Treasury $3000, and some one in Brooklyn $10 towards paying off the National debt.

An Important Bill.

Mr. Julian, of Indiana, has reported and had referred to the Reconstruction Committee a bill further to amend and apply the provisions of the Homestead law of June 21, 1866. It embodies very important principles, and vitality concerns the whole problem of reconstruction.

The first section provides for the forfeiture to the United States of all lands granted to the States of the South in 1856 to aid them in the construction of railroads, said grants having now expired by limitation. Instead of building these roads the rebels waged war against the Government which granted the lands, and they have now no claim to further indulgence. Some four or five millions of acres of lands, much of it choice land, are thus tied up to-day in the clutches of rebel corporations, which ought at once to be made subject to the Southern homestead law.

The next section provides that when the lines of the old surveys are obliterated the Freedmen's Bureau shall appoint a competent surveyor, who shall retrace them at the expense of the United States, according to the original field notes of the Government. This will prevent an outrageous abuse practiced upon the claimants of land by local surveyors, who charge as high as $32 for the running of a single tract, of the accuracy of such survey there is no guarantee when made.

The third section provides that all the public lands of Texas which have not been lawfully disposed of are forfeited to the United States by reason of rebellion and shall henceforward be subject to the operations of the homestead law. This would open to settlement and tillage a vast domain of land; would be beneficial, of course, to the State of Texas, and a special blessing to the landless poor, while powerfully promoting the national wealth and welfare. It would, it is true, be the forfeiture of confiscation, but it would disturb the private rights of no human being.

The last section provides that all lands hereafter sold for non-payment of Federal taxes, and under proceedings in bankruptcy, shall be sold only in lots of not less than twenty nor more than eighty acres. This provision is very important, for many of the great estates of the South would be thus subdivided, and fall into the hands of needy cultivators in small homesteads.

It is backed by intelligent men everywhere that however important the policy of confiscation would have been as a means of breaking up the power of the slaveholding grand landed estates of the South, it is but too late to count upon it under any circumstances that are likely to arise. If the measure we have sketched were applied, no other confiscation would be necessary, for it would supply the necessities of all, of whatever race or color, who need homes, and thus quiet popular clamor while restoring permanent peace and prosperity to the whole country.—Washington Chronicle, July 13.

Those who vow that they will never consent to reconstruction on the republican basis, propose to undo all that has been accomplished by the war, and restore the country back to the chances of disintegration and ruin. Before this could be done another war of unexampled ferocity, and perhaps of almost endless duration, would have to be fought, and then, if the doctrine of secession and its kindred dogmas were established, it would hardly be a score of years before the States would fall apart for the want of which aid and the necessary conflicts between the petty sovereignties, having no federal head, would finally in the setting up of a kingly government—which is, indeed, just the thing that many men already prefer to our system of republicanism. Is it for the people to say whether they will have this country desolated again by war, or men similar to those who plunged them into these direful results. Let every man think for himself and settle it in his heart whether we will have peace or war, prosperity or ruin.

The New Orleans Picayune reporter thus graphically describes what occurred on the release of James Barker, the National Bank president, at the fire recorder's court :

Upon leaving the court-room the old man, as he went tottering from the place, was followed by three or four old women who had lost their all in his bank. Each one was a touching one, as they bowed, apparently in great anguish, supplicating for a restoration of their little treasure that had taken them years of toil to gather up. They clustered closely around the old man as he entered his carriage, and as he drove away; receiving no assurance whatever of having their property restored to them, these poor women followed the vehicle for several blocks, making as they went almost frantic gesticulations in their appeals. Mr. Barker drove rapidly away, however, and his supplicants, weary and care-worn, turned slowly in the direction of their homes to brood again in anguish over the misfortune they had suffered.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LECTURE OF BRAZIL.

CAPT. J. H. EVANS will lecture on Brazil, at the following times and places. He has just returned from that country.

Meridian,	Friday,	July 26, 7 P. M.
Marion,	Saturday,	" 27, 7 "
Lauderdale,	Monday,	" 29, 7 "
Scooba,	Tuesday,	" 30, 7 "
Macon,	Wednesday,	" 31, 7 "
Crawford's,	Thursday,	Aug. 1, 7 "
Artesia,	Friday,	" 2, 7 "
Columbus,	Saturday,	" 3, 7 "

July 21. tf Admittance 50 cents.

FARMS FOR ONE DOLLAR

SUBDIVISION OF PLANTATIONS.

CHANCES FOR ALL.

The Southern Asylum Land Company, in addition to their grand scheme of City Residences and Lots, in which Col. M. C. Galloway's valuable residence in Memphis is embraced, the capital Prize, at Five Dollars per Ticket, now offers chances in a scheme that embraces

FARMS FOR THE MILLION.

There is not in this scheme an acre of swamp or wild land ; each Farm is part, or the whole of a cultivated Plantation—each tract is on a road, or in a few miles of a Railway, either on the

Memphis & Charleston,
Mobile & Ohio,
Meridian & Vicksburg, or
Mississippi & Tennessee R. R.

The several tracts are disposed of at the low, cheap rate of Ten Dollars each, and there are 50 and 100 acres. Each subdivision constitutes a prize, and each

TICKET COSTS ONE DOLLAR.

For a description of the property refer to the new Pamphlet issued by the Company. Titles are perfect, and the purchaser will be the owner of his prize.

All tracts drawn for are in the State of Mississippi. The Capital Prize within fifteen miles of Memphis, and all in the best Tennessee Railroad.

The lands are adapted to the growth of grain, cotton, grass, &c., and are offered at the lowest possible rate, in cash estimates, at one dollar and a quarter per acre. The average cost of these farms is never above $125.

A definition of 10 per cent. in favor of tenor will be allowed to be had at least a year or through the Memphis Agency. July 21st

WARNING.—Any person or persons found on the premises of the Asylum Land Company, or trespassing on any part of the property, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Persons are hereby warned against cutting timber, hunting, fishing, or in any manner trespassing on the property of the Company. By order of the Board of Trustees.

E. W. JACKSON & Co.,
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BANKRUPTCY.

We are prepared to file petitions and attend to obtaining discharges under the Bankrupt Law. We have all the necessary BLANKS and forms required.

Petitions filed in the next two weeks, can be acted on by the Register in Meridian the first week in August.

SHANNON & GALLAGHER,
2-wa Attorneys at Law.

FOR SALE

House and three acres of land in the corporation of Hickory. The place is well watered and good, orchards. The place is a very desirable one, and fronts 800 feet on the railroad. M. MATTHEWS.
Hickory, July 11th, 1867. tf

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Expenses from $200 to $300 for whole term.

W. R. POINDEXTER, A. M.,
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DIARRHŒA.

THIS dreadful summer complaint is now upon us, and oh! how many thousands it will sweep into untimely graves every year! Beware mothers, how you neglect that slight Diarrhœa in your family ; nip it in the bud. Send immediately and procure one bottle of

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
RED DIARRHŒA REMEDY.

For your family, as it can be relied on. It is an unfailing remedy. For infants at the breast, and the most complicated of children while teething, acts like a charm. All forms of Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, nausea and vomiting, cramps, pains in the stomach and bowels, are immediately cured by its use.

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It is so pleasant, so cooling and so prompt, that all praise it.

During the prevalence of Cholera in Memphis, during last summer, it was expensively used by the masses, and prescribed by many physicians, with the happiest results, for all the first stages of Cholera. All cases of

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Must have Diarrhœa, pains and straining of the bowels, should not fail to use a few doses of

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
DYSENTERY COMPOUND

And be cured. All Physicians of experience agree that Dysentery and Diarrhœa are treated differently, and our compound is THE MEDICINE that will effect a cure.

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Whose wives are suffering with constant pain and suffering each month, whose menstruation is too much or too little or painful, or whose health is suffering with falling of the womb, with Leucorrhœa or Whites, should not fail to carry home one bottle of

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
English Female Bitters.

Which will cure all those complaints and restore them to health and buoyancy again.

THAT YOUNG GIRL

Whose very countenance, acts, color and walk, indicate that she is not as early constored to health by using the "English Female Bitters."

It tones up the pale cheek with the crimson blush of nature, adds joy and brightness to the defected and melancholy and brilliancy to the eye and intellect, imparts beauty and charms to fair retiring girlhood, and composure to old age.

USE ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS.
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For old and young, married and single.

WHAT'S THE MATTER, OLD MAN?

Can't you get your kidneys to act free enough? Are you troubled with gravel, or any kind of deposits? Do you pass bloody urine occasionally? Are you annoyed with pain in the region of the kidneys? Is your water? Is your urine thick or milky? Have you a pain in the small of the back? Are you nervous and melancholy, or alarmed in your dreams, from the effects of habits of dissipation or indiscretion? Do you require a diuretic, a medicine that will immediately arouse and restore your kidneys in order to a healthy action? If so, will find

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
Fluid Ext. Bearberry, Cubebs and Buchu,

And be restored to health and manhood again. Large bottles will cost you only one dollar.

YOUR LIVER

Should be kept in good condition, before fall, thereby warding off and preventing Chills and Fever, Bilious Fever, Dumb Chills, &c., and nothing is so effectual as

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
KING OF CHILLS

Which never fails to cure all cases of Chills, Bilious Fever, Intermittent Fever, Neuralgia, &c., for which it is used. It never disappoints. It is sure, acts upon the liver and bowels, cleanses the stomach, can be given to infants, and is a permanent cure. Go to your druggist and druggist about it. It is no secret, no patent, no illiterate mixture, but is the result of much experience in the Southern country.

SCROFULA AND OLD SORES.

Blotches and pimples on the face, humors in the blood, Glandular Swellings, Tumors, Pimples, Itch, Scaldhead, Ringworm, broken down constitutions, and all complaints of the blood can be speedily cured by using

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
CONSTITUTIONAL REMEDY.

The ingredients of which are highly recommended by the Medical Profession everywhere.

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What are they? They are a class of reliable Family Medicines, prepared by a regular Physician, and are the result of many years' practice among the diseases peculiar to the South. They are recommended by Farmers, Planters and Families, in support of the statements we make in regard to their virtues. Ask your neighbor about them.

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TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I will offer for sale, for CASH, on the 22d day of July, 1867, at the Mayor's office, in the city of Meridian, the following described property, for the taxes due the city of Meridian, for the fiscal year ending August 1st, 1867, in-wit:

OWNERS NAME.	WHOSE SURVEY.	NO. BLOCK.	NO. LOT.	VALUE.	AMT. TAX.
Sallie Bass,	Ballt's				20 00
"	Ragsdale's	60	1 to 8	1000	10 00
F. Bass,	Bass' (25 acres not laid off into lots)			1200	6 00
"	"	1	3	300	1 00
"	"	8	3	300	1 00
"	"	10	2 & 3	200	1 00
"	"	8	1 to 4	300	1 00
"	"	3	1 to 4	200	1 00
"	"	13	1 to 4	400	2 00
"	"	12	1 to 4	300	1 00
"	"	11	1 to 3	300	1 00
"	"	5	1 to 3	1200	6 00
Estate H. Bird,	McLemore's			400	2 00
"	M. & O. R. R.		36	400	2 00
H. E. Barnes,	Ragsdale's	33	12	200	1 00
"	"	57	1	500	1 25
B H Breckinridge,	"		House	200	1 00
Wm. Barber, fin.,	"		"	200	1 00
Bryson & Emanuel,	Ballt's	21	1 to 18	300	1 50
"	"	79	8	100	50
Matt Calvert,	Ragsdale's	70	1&2	1000	5 00
S A Cullen	"		House	400	2 00
Mary A. Cox,	"	94	11&12	1500	7 50
A Calvert,	Ballt's	8	8, 9&10	300	1 50
"	"	32	3&11	300	1 50
Est. W P Crumpton,	"		13	150	75
W H Cain, jr.,	M. & O. R. R.		95	3800	19 00
"	"	½ of	96	500	2 50
Mrs Clark,	"		House	400	2 00
J H Cleary,	M. & O. R. R.		113&114	1500	7 50
Julia Chamberlain,	Ragsdale's	82	19&20	1200	6 00
Jno Dunlap,	Ragsdale's	70	7	300	1 50
Est. Peter Dangel,	W. H. Jackson,		½ acres	1500	7 50
"	"	9	1	1000	5 00
"	"	2	2&3	1400	7 00
Frollestein & Ostenstein,	Ragsdale's			400	2 00
"	M. O. R. R.		14,15,16&17	3200	16 00
Wm Fox,	Ballt's	33	7½	100	50
B J N Pilgrim,	Ballt's	10	3&4	1000	5 00
Wm Foy,	Ragsdale's		House	400	2 00
E F Geeie,	"	70	3&4	500	2 50
Charles Gray,	M. & O. R. R.		House	600	3 00
J C Higgins	"		36&37	600	3 00
Harkwell & Rogers	Ragsdale's	42	13 to 16	1200	6 00
Samuel Halsey	do	102	20	2250	11 25
Horn, Stovall & Hooper,	do		house	100	50
T L Jackson,	do		do	1200	6 00
Jessee Johnson,	Ragsdale's	38	7	100	50
Aaron Jones,	do	103	11	500	2 50
Josiah Little,	M. & O. R. R.		89	600	3 00
W. H. Jones,	"		House	300	1 50
Wiley Jones,	"			600	3 00
Estate Chas. Lang	Lang's (60 acres "unsurveyed")			12000	60 00
Mrs McLaughlin,	McLemore,	1	3	1100	5 50
Rufus B. Mitchel,	Ragsdale's	92	10	200	1 00
W H Mosby,	do		do	300	1 50
Mrs McDowell,	do		do	400	2 00
John Martin,	do		house	400	2 00
D Maggard,	Ballt's		250x500 feet	2000	10 00
W Palmer,	M & O R R	38		500	2 50
W S Price,	do		133, 135, 137,		
			138, 140, 141,	1750	8 75
			142, 143		
Pierce & Edmondson,	do		134 and 136	600	3 00
R Y Rew,	do	house		1500	7 50
Rew & Thompson,	Ballt's	32	8 and 8½	225	1 12
W F Richardson,	Ragsdale's	54	13 to 16	1000	5 00
S T Smith,	Ballt's	32	9	150	75
Y Smideker,	M & O R R		9	250	1 25
W A Smith,	Lindley's	11	1 and 2	800	4 00
Shields & Lamon		house		100	50
W L Sadler		do		900	4 50
Est. Robt. Snell,	McLemore's	4	1 to 4	1000	5 00
R P Terrill,	M & O R R		13	250	1 25
	Ballt's	27		2000	10 00
Terrill & Tiner,		house		500	2 50
T S Terry,	M & O R R		w½ of 10	100	50
J M Trussell,	do	82	5	500	2 50
J W Tiner,	do	99	14	1500	7 50
J W Tiner,	Ballt's	16		750	3 75
Est. Chas. Vosburg,	Ragsdale's	33	12 & 14	500	2 50
Wm Wyndham	Ballt's	30	2, 3, 4, 5 & 6	1250	6 25
" Walker	M & O R R		131	1000	5 00
W H West,	do		40, 41	1500	7 50
Young & Brown,	house			1500	7 50
J W Young,	Bass'	3	1 to 4	800	4 00
Otey Smith,	Lang's		134x200 feet	500	2 50
Mary Roberts,	Lindley's	12	3 & 4	200	1 00

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The New York Herald winds up a long article on Republican shams as follows:

Republicans have so managed affairs in the South since the collapse of the rebellion that the result of an election there will be to create a representation composed of six niggers and one white man. [Laughter.]

All of which is very funny, except for the fact that the white man is the only one who has any votes. [Renewed laughter.] Altogether, the Republican plans, dickers and all.

The Times-Democrat describes the condition of things in that city as follows:

"Nothing so 'fly' is the birthen of conversation throughout the length and breadth of the city. Every store is a 'centre of indolence,' and every storekeeper seems to be subject to lethargic wholesale all day without getting a bite. This miasma is likely to endure for some time to come."

Gen. ARTHUR.—Hon. M. Langston, Gen'l Superintendent of Freedmen's Schools, delivered and excellent address at the Fifth-ward Church, Tuesday afternoon on the subject of education, to a large assemblage. His whole speech was excellent. He endeavored to impress upon his hearers the necessity for education and the fact that their destiny and their future was dependant upon this above, and not upon any paltry privilege granted by fanaticism, and received and debased by ignorance. He ignored politics, and seems to care alone, the improvement of his race, their advancement in all that can make them worthy of citizenship, and worthy citizens. Such speeches as that are calculated to promote the happiness of the friend race, and the general weal of society.—Aberdeen Examiner.

Hanged.—The negro, Bill Brooks, convicted of murder in the first degree, last fall, was executed near this place yesterday. He was asked by a colored preacher if he was a member of the church. He replied: "For thank God I killed how for a'nuff white men to get religion." [Laughter.] He said nothing more of importance.—Canton (Miss.) Mail.

A Boy Killed by Lightning.—The 13-year-old son of Mr. Jones (Parish) came home from school in the morning for his lunch, as he usually does, and after eating his lunch, and while standing at the stove to the front entrance of the residence entering the apartment of the servant. Judge McClanahan and family have also moved to Louisville, Kentucky, and will remove to Louisville, Kentucky, and will remove to Louisville, Kentucky, and will remove

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The Situation

July 20, 1867.

Editor of the Meridian Daily Times:

SIR—My attention has been called to the following publication in the radical newspaper published in this city, with the suggestion of friends that the letter referred to might by some be supposed to have been written by me, and that it was due to myself to correct the erroneous impression:

THE REASON WHY.—Hon. John McRae, of Mississippi, in reply to the Meridian Chronicle thus concisely states his reasons for being a Republican:

I advocate reconstruction upon the Congressional plan; and recognizing the fact that the Republican party is in full possession of the public power, that it is the only party in existence that can do the South any good; that it has dealt with the South not according to her just deserts, but rebellion be a crime, but in a spirit of magnanimity unparalleled in the history of rebellions, and that it has for its object the educational elevation of the toiling masses of this republic—for these reasons I expect to affiliate with the Republican party."

I have written no letter to the Meridian Chronicle, and the above extract was not written by me. The sentiments which it contains are not mine, and the writer, Hon. John McRae, of Mississippi, is unknown to me. I do not affiliate with the Republican party, nor do I expect to do so. I have no respect for a party that which distranchises me and renders the right to vote upon my negro, that was, who is incapable of its judicious exercise.

I do not believe the late war was a rebellion or a civil war, but a war between two distinct, separate governments, the United States, and the Confederate States of America. I do not, therefore, believe the people of the Confederate States were rebels nor traitors. The United States, as the conquering power, under the rule of the Republican party, has dealt with the people of the Confederate States unkindly, harshly, bitterly, and a spirit of malignity and hate among civilized people unparalleled.

I do not approve of the Congressional plan for reconstruction. I think the military bills are odious and tyrannical; but I may, from necessity or a choice between evils, submit to what I do not approve. In this light, I think it best for our people to reconstruct their State governments under these bills, for the reason that they afford the only hope, bad as it is, of giving them the control of their State affairs. If they do not reconstruct under these bills, the question goes to Congress to say under what bills they *shall* reconstruct. Congress will say the rebel sentiment defeated reconstruction and the restoration of the Union, and will restrict the right of suffrage to loyal men, meaning white and blacks excluding all who aided or in any way participated in the rebellion. This will put the State governments at once in the hands of the Radicals. The question is, will we make an effort, to take advantage of the small opportunity we have under the present bills to prevent this result?

The mode proposed to reconstruct is by a Convention, and it is said the people have a choice to vote for or against it. So they have, but it is a coerced choice, to vote for the Convention bad as it is, or to vote down the Convention and take something worse. If the Convention is voted down, then what is the situation? Some say we will remain under military rule, as we are now. But will this be so? Not at all. Congress is determined to reconstruct, and on its own terms, and will immediately pass other bills for this purpose. Do any suppose the terms will be better under other bills than they are under the present ones? I do not. In other bills Congress will certainly restrict still further the right of suffrage, and may include in them harsher measures, punishment and confiscation. But without these, they can at once, by restricting the right of suffrage, reconstruct the States in the hands of the Radicals, and then we may have punishment and confiscation by the State Legislatures. Do any expect, if the Convention is voted down, that they will get rid of the negro as a political element, or of negro suffrage in future bids for reconstruction? I do not. I am sure Congress will make this the predominant element.

But some say a revolution is taking place in public sentiment at the North, and the Radical party is breaking down. Therefore vote down the Conventions and we will get better terms. I do not see this myself. The party is stronger now than it has ever been, and the present Congress is a new Congress, in for two years. Its first and regular session would not have been held until December next, but for a bill passed by the last Congress that a new one should assemble on the 4th of March, the day of the old one going out. What hope then, have we for the next two years, of better terms than the present bills offer, objectionable as they are? I see none. But from the bill just passed by the almost unanimous vote of both Houses over the President's veto, (six only in the Senate and twenty-four in the House opposing it) concerning the present reconstruction bills most harshly against us, we have the most certain evidence that we can expect nothing better from this Congress in the future.

The fact does not seem to be appreciated or recognized that the people of our States are to be divided into TWO parties, to necessarily and unavoidably, on the question of reconstruction and the control of the State governments. One is to be composed of the Conservative whites and Conservative blacks—the other of the Radical whites and radical blacks. And between these two the issue is to be fought out, and the party in the control of the State governments.

The Radical whites and blacks seem to have understood this issue, and to have been up to the time, more active in their organizations. In their political leagues and conventions, than the Conservative whites and blacks. I think it has grown out of the fact that the Conservative whites who oppose reconstruction, have not been divided in their opinions as to the policy of reconstruction, or that they have been less efficient in their organization, and that the Conservative blacks have not been encouraged, or have not felt encouraged to unite and unite with them in force. I am aware, with such some management, it all could be quieted, a sufficient number of the intelligent and conservative whites and blacks would unite with them to save this party a majority in each of not all the reconstructed States. Upon this all depends with us the safety of our lives, property and finances, and the preservation of social order and the future welfare of our children. Our people divided when they are upon the eve of a great crisis, which they have so much at stake, and especially that asperity of feeling with some which has characterized these differences of opinion. We are certainly all aiming to secure the best results for ourselves and States, but differences of opinion should not be created with the kindest feeling. I think I have a right to make an effort to save the control of our State governments, if it be possible, under the measures now offered rather than to risk measures which must be inevitably worse in the future. Others may differ with me, and all I ask of them is to concede to me, as I do to them, sincerity of purpose.

I have not argued the matter on the honor question. I think it maintained our honor in resisting measures of the government on whose power we are, until we can no longer resist safely or successfully.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. MCRAE.

For Congress.—It will be seen by reference to another part of this paper, that the friends of our community, Dr. W. H. Tegarden, have announced him as a candidate for Congress for the coming session, from this the Fifth District. The claims of an old citizen, long connected and well known, thereto, it would be supercatory for us to speak of his fitness for the position.—Hazlehurst Democrat.

There was a bank robbery in Monroe county lately, and the civil officer sent a dispatch to Col. Guy, commanding Sub-District Headquarters, Columbus, proposing to turn over the freedmen arrested on suspicion of having committed the deed for trial by Military Commission. Col. Guy's reply was.

"The civil authorities must try the case—if they refuse to do their duty, inform me at once."

George Wright an ex-Confederate soldier was shot and killed at Calhoun, Kentucky, on Saturday by W. F. Little, and ex-officer of the Federal army. Wright had charged Little with receiving stolen goods. The latter was arrested after shooting, but subsequently escaped.

A DESTITUTE COLONY OF FREEDMEN IN FLORIDA.—The Sub-Assistant Bureau Commissioner for the Subdistrict of New Smyrna, Florida, reports that the colonization of a large number of colored people at New Smyrna by certain parties with the avowed intention of benefitting them, has, it is feared, been attended with unfortunate surroundings and circumstances. The colonists themselves state in almost every particular they have been disappointed and deceived. The condition of these colonists is represented as very destitute, and those who still remain, some having left for other portions of the State, have neither labor, houses, provisions, or means to get out of the country, and most of them will, in some months to come, be a burden to the Government.

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The North Mississippian, after misrepresenting and wholly perverting Gov. Brown's connection with the Terry meeting, stupidly asks, "who is Gov. Brown, that his public acts are to be exempt from animadversion?" Neither Gov. Brown nor his friends complain of legitimate criticism on what he has said or done, but they do object to such misrepresentations as appeared in the North Mississippian, and whether from malice or ignorance, they are wholly inexcusable.

The "war of races" in which the editor of the North Mississippian supposes he is taking so brave a part, exists only in his distempered imagination. Like Don Quixote, in his encounter with windmills, he imagines that he is doing the work of a giant, but the feebleness of his blows, more ridiculous and puny than those of the knight of La Mancha, excite only derision. Should the white race be in danger, a greater champion than him of Tupelo, would be necessary.

An interesting letter from ex-Governor, John J. McRae, appears on our first page. The letter was provoked by some of our cotemporaries confounding the ex-Governor's name with that of Hon. John McRae, of Kemper, who has joined the Radical party. Though Gov. McRae has no use for a party that disfranchises him and enfranchises his late slave, he believes our only hope lies in reconstructing under the laws of the dominant party.

ELECTING OUR "FAVORITES" TO CONGRESS.—The Cincinnati Commercial's Washington correspondent in writing of his interview with the President relates the, following conversation which shows that the President is opposed to our sending "rebels" to Congress. We must vote, we suppose, to the present complexion of that body.

I had scarcely been seated, when Mr. Johnson, alluding to one of my letters from Georgia, said he was very glad that I had published the fact that he had advised against the election of Alexander H. Stephen to the United States Senate in 1865. He couldn't imagine, he said, where I had got the information. I told him my informant was an ex-army officer who, in the spring of 1865, was chief of staff to General Steedman, then commanding the district of Georgia; that he had informed me of a dispatch sent by General Steedman to the President, inquiring if it would be advisable to elect Stephens, and of the President's prompt reply, that it would be very unwise to think of doing so—that Mr. Stephens was a prisoner of war, and ought not to enter political life while such was the case. "I can't make out," said he, "how you got the facts, but you got them right." said the President. "I told them not to think of electing Mr. Stephens. So any man who had been engaged in the rebellion as he had, and yet I was denounced all over the country for trying to get rebels into office, and appointing rebels to office. I never did any thing of the kind. It was wrong to elect such men then, and it would be wrong to elect them now."

The Steamboat Prince of Wales, belonging to the New Orleans, Mobile and Chattanooga Railroad Company, was at the bay last week. She brought over a party of Engineers, who were busy for a few days surveying the route, and locating the crossing place of the Road.—Shieldsboro Gazette.

General Grant, in a conversation with a senator, said the Liberals did right in executing Maximilian, and that the United States ought to stand by Mexico in that act. So says a Washington special to St. Louis Democrat.

AGE OF MASONRY.—We had an item taken from a Glasglow paper, stating that St. John's Lodge No. 3. of the city has recently celebrated the eight hundred and ninth anniversary of its existence, it having been created by a charter from King Malcolm in 1027.—We should like to see the master-roll of that lodge beginning more than eight centuries ago and running along with the names of time. What kingdoms and kingdoms have risen and fallen since the jewel was first sounded in the East. How the world has changed, and what progress has been made in science and art. Eight hundred years in the life time of a lodge.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—We learn that a few days ago a son of W. C. Bridges, of this county, was handling a gun in a careless manner, like too many thoughtless youths do, when it was accidentally discharged, the whole load taking effect in the head of a brother aged by killing him instantly.—Lauderdale Vidette.

The Brandon Republican, when unable to answer an article without argument, throws off a lot of twaddle about secessionist, democracy, &c., thus making up in froth and wind what it lacks in sense. The course of the Republican in fret prating about the political antecedents of its colemporaries, who happened to be democrats, is decidedly unbecoming even a man who was a citizen in times of war, and is now a warrior when there is peace. We are not ashamed of our past political affiliations, but think writhing about secession and secessionists is a very poor way to enlighten the people now, or solve the great problem agitating the country. *Meridian Gazette.*

We are not surprised at such paragraphs as the above. As a public journalist, we have always been free to speak of men and measures as they deserve, and in doing so have had occasion to administer some wholesome advice now and then to the editor of the Meridian Gazette.

You say, "when we are unable to answer an article with argument, we throw off a lot of twaddle about secessionists."

Now, Shannon, a few plain questions: Did your paper or mine throw off twaddle in 1860 and 61? Was it your paper or mine that advised a peace policy in 1861? Tell the naked plain truth, and say that the Republicans was right all the way through. We don't write what we think the people want to hear, but what they ought to know, understand and do. Your whole political course for the past ten years has been greviously wrong, and destructive of the best interests, of the country, and now in these troublous times you are again busy in trying to inaugurate a policy to complete our ruin. Stop such work listen to our sober truths, take a look and, be kind to your neighbors, ask forgiveness for the ill advice which you have heralded through the country, and read carnestly the Republican, and you may yet do well.

We take the above from the last number of the Brandon Republican. We will endeavor to answer plainly what Frantz calls plain questions. Without believing in the constitutional right of secession we did, in 1860, regard the election of Mr. Lincoln as a "declaration of war against the South." In common with the great majority of the Southern people we believed slavery no longer safe in the Union, and we favored the formation of a separate government to preserve that institution. This was Revolution. We believed it justifiable.—This was what the South did. But the editor of the Republican opposed it. We are willing to let him have the credit of it. If the South was *right* Frantz was *certainly wrong.*

But it is useless to say inspire who was right or wrong in 1860 or 1861. We do not like the Republican claim infallibility. If we erred it was with the South, with our own race and section. Through the gloomy years of strife and blood that followed we sorrowed, rejoiced, and suffered, with the Southern people, and now are ask no exemption from the errors or the criminalities of the Rebellion, no matter from whence the accuser comes.

But when our armies surrendered, when slavery itself, the cause of the war, was destroyed, we saw no Government in our duty which we could respect to live, but that of the United States, and we have looked to the Reconstruction and restoration of Mississippi to the Union as the best means to promote the prosperity and happiness of her people.

But our friend of the Republican desires our opinion on his course as a journalist, and we proceed to give it briefly. Candor compels us to state that we regard Frantz as *wrong* and *inconsistent* during the war, and that since that time his course as editor of the Republican has not only been *wrong*, but highly detrimental to the best interests of the country. Having opposed secession, at the eleventh hour, you became a convert to the war, and continued to render it a feeble and uncertain aid until the surrender. You then began to boast of your *Unionism*, and clothed with it as a garment, you sought to be elected convention printer in 1865, as the only *consistent Union editor in the State.* Strange as it may appear, your extraordinary claims were overlooked, and Col. Yerger of the *News* elected. Then commenced your vagaries.—After condemning negro testimony, you finally were defeated for the Legislature, partly because you favored it. Your defeats or something else have caused you since that time, to furiously oppose every measure calculated to promote reconstruction, and restore peace to the country. In this you are not only *wrong* but *inconsistent*, with your professions of 1865.—You know the South is helpless, and you try to arouse the passions of the people, and urge them to a course that would only bring further humiliation. More than that, your teachings, if followed by the Southern people, would create a war of races, in which we would array against ourselves the blacks, backed by the power and authority of the Federal Government. Your kind advice to take a back seat is appreciated, but wholly unnecessary. The writer is disfranchised, incapable of voting or holding office. We have no aspirations but for the good of the country. Without regard to the past, without reference to what the public desire, impelled by a sense of duty, we urge the people of the State to accept the military bills in good faith, as a final settlement of the question of reconstruction. We believe this will lead to representation in Congress, the repeal of the present oppressive federal taxation, and restore prosperity to the country.

We shall occasionally devote a line or more moment to our friend of the Republican, and trust he may yet profit by our teachings. Who knows but that Frantz might be elected printer to the next convention? In this event, a timely conversion would be very necessary.

The Gazette and Reconstruction.

We mentioned the other day that Congress assigned as a reason for refusing the Kentucky delegation seats, that voters were overawed and prevented from exercising the right of franchise, and warned our people not to give Congress any such "pretext" for refusing Mississippi's delegation admission, when we are prepared to knock at the door and demand representation. This drew forth the following from the Columbus Index, an anti-Convention journal:

We ask attention to the following which we find in the Meridian Gazette, a journal that has been advocating the military bill. We predicted months ago that such journals would before reconstruction was accomplished be found with full radical harness on, defending radical measures on the score of merit, and justifying radical usurpations on the score of necessity and expedience. The event seems to have verified the prediction.—These same journals are now engaged in the work of defending Congress for the passage of the supplemental bill has week, insisting that that act was a just and necessary measure, rendered so by the course of them at the South, who, believing honestly that the military bill violated the Constitution, and if carried out would result in the complete overthrow of every vestage of civil liberty on this continent, raised their voice against the stupendous wrong and urged and entreated their people not to make it valid and binding on themselves and their posterity by voluntarily becoming parties to it. Not content with the service they are rendering the rascals, in this matter of the supplemental bill, these journals are devoting themselves to the task of palliating and excusing the recent action of Congress in refusing the Kentucky members their seats, an action which every candid and unprejudiced man must admit is as gross a blow at the Constitution of the United States and the sovereignty of Kentucky.

The truth of the matter is the Kentucky members were excluded because they were democrats. The charge that there was corruption or that voters were overawed and prevented from going to the polls is contradicted by the fact.—Nothing of the kind took place if the testimony of the conservative press of Kentucky is to be credited.

We wish to inform our friends of the Index, and some other cotemporaries who do not seem to understand the Gazette's position, that it is not true this journal defends radical measures on the score of merit, or justifies radical usurpations upon any pretext whatever; it is not true the Gazette *defends* the action of Congress towards the South at all, or maintains that its military bills were rendered necessary solely by the conduct of our people; it is not true that we all engaged in palliating or excusing Congress in its action relative to Kentucky, or that we justify its harsh and unconstitutional measures. We are no admirer of the dominant party or its manifestos; but having carefully and considerately examined the political situation, we urged our people to accept, without wrangling or division, the harness prepared to restore us to the Union, *and from which there is no possible escape;* we have urged it in order to rid the country, as speedily as possible, of the arbitrary and demoralizing government under which we now live; we have urged it because the present Congress will have the reigns of power for the next two years, and will organize the State governments before the expiration of that time, if but "ten negroes" appear at the polls; we have urged it because Congress is all powerful, and has offered better terms than will ever be tendered again; we have urged it because superior numbers have said the Union shall be preserved; we have urged it because there is no power in the North to save us from a radical ruler; we have urged it because our charred cities, wasted fields, impoverished treasury and hungry thousands demand peace and confidence and a return to those great pursuits which will make us rich, and a power in the government itself. We alluded to the Kentucky delegation and Congress, as we have alluded to many other acts of the dominant party. *Congress* says the members were refused admission for the reason stated in the extract printed by the Index, and we warned our readers not to give any such pretext here—that it would retard reconstruction, and put us in the Union at your leaves, with nine-tenths of our white population disfranchised. It is useless for us to waste ink, discussing the justice or injustice of their declaration relative to Kentucky, or indeed any of the Congressional legislation. We are now unable to change it one jot or tittle. "The will of Congress, and the "conquering idea" carry the day, and if we would restore order and law, wealth and security, we must ride into the Union at once on the present platform, with all its distasteful features, put then commence "putting the house in order," remedying the evils and removing the disabilities which now oppress us. This is the way to preserve and defend whatever good is left us, to bring the best good result possible out of the present situation, and stop any further evils from being visited upon our hapless race. Set us right, Mr. Index, and we will reciprocate when necessary.

Murder Advised from the Bench.

We copy the following from the Knoxville Free Press:

In the Circuit Court at Kingston, Roane county, East Tennessee, Judge Houk held the court in the place of Judge Hall. A man was arraigned for trial, charged with felonious assault. The prosecutor had been a rebel, the defendant a Union man. The Federal troops had encamped on the prosecutor's premises. The officer in command had told the son of the prosecutor to shoot the defendant if the value of the corn. They had agreed to arbitrate the matter. They met for the purpose. The defendant, with a pistol, made an assault upon the prosecutor, and as the prosecutor deemed a felonious assault. The case came for trial. The Attorney General waived the felony and the defendant submitted for a misdemeanor.

The examination of witnesses developed the facts as above stated.—His Hon—(?)—Houk—gravely announced that he was half inclined to send the defendant to jail because he had not shot the prosecutor! He said that he ought to shoot him yet. He further said that the rebels had tried to gain their independence in the field and had failed, and that they could not be allowed now, to steal themselves of the courts of this country to prosecute Union men. He further said that any Union man who might slay a rebel under the circumstances of the case before the court, should never be punished while he held the court.

Col. Thornburg, the District Attorney, immediately arose, and with a look that was itself a rebuke to the so-called Judge, said:

"If the court please, I wish to say, for the benefit of this people, that if any one shall under the advice of your Honor, take the life of any citizen of this county, I will have him indicted and brought to punishment.

"He will not be punished by this court," said Houk.

"I should not expect to try him before this court," said Thornburg.

Houk then proceeded to pronounce the judgement in the GUNEAS GRIP case above mentioned. He fined the defendant the enormous sum of five cents.

We derive these facts from members of the bar who were present, and from the Attorney General himself. What words of ours are needed as a commentary? Think of Houk in the seat of Alexander!

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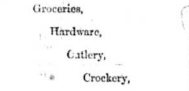

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...PHIC NEWS.

...ursday, July 17.—Matthew's divi... ...ssed cases, regarding ...ce, was ruled out. Nothing ...d transpired to-day. The de... ...notice that they would close ...evidence to-morrow.

...TE.—Mr. Wilson proposed the fol... ...amendment to the Constitution: ...No distinction shall be made by the United States nor any State among citizens in their civil and political rights on account of race or color."

The amendment was ordered printed.

A bill for carrying out the convention with Venezuela was passed.

A bill, that no person shall be disqualified by reason of race or color from holding office in the District of Columbia, was passed by a vote of 25 to 6.

Says—Boyard, Buckalew, Davis, Hendricks and Johnson.

Indian affairs were discussed until the hour of adjournment.

HOUSE.—The Secretary of the Navy submitted a communication showing that the expenditures for the establishment of naval officers fifty-five years in service.

Butler rose to a question of privilege, and made an allegation in regard to prisoners. A colloquy ensued. Baldwin asked Eldridge whether he expected the House to take Ould's statements against the testimony and statements of the Union officers. Eldridge said he believed that Gen. Butler himself would not deny that Gen. Ould was a highly honorable and conscientious man. (Derisive laughter on the Republican side.)—Butler remarked that before the war he had thought Gen. Ould a highly meritorious and honorable man, but when a man committed treason he was like a woman fallen from virtue —ready for any crime, and from that hour no one knew whereto he find him.—Eldridge remarked that Butler by this last statement he had probably forgotten the eminent men who had gone into rebellion. Hancock, Lee and Wade Hampton, (hisses) every one of them had been called a rebel [continued hisses] until rebellion became a success.

The following was introduced and passed under a suspension of the rules, by a strict party vote:

"That the doctrine avowed by the President that the subrogation of the several States binds the United States to pay their debts prior to the rebellion as war with the principles of International Law, is at stab at the national credit, abhorrent to every sentiment of loyalty and pleasing only to traitors, their allies and sympathizers, by whose agency alone the governments of said States were overthrown.

The Senate bill relating to the political right of holding office was amended to include the right to sit on juries, and was then referred to the Judiciary Committee.

A resolution requesting the President to issue a proclamation directing all proper officers to prevent the holding of Market fair was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

ATLANTA, July 17.—Ex-Senator B. H. Hill delivered a speech at Atlanta yesterday. He took strong grounds against reconstruction under the military bill and advises the people to reject those terms.

NEW ORLEANS, July 17.—The Common Council adopted an ordinance providing for a common school education for colored children, and appropriating $60,000 for the maintenance of the same.

There will be a joint meeting of the City Council to-morrow night, it is supposed for the purpose of taking steps for the withdrawal from circulation of the larger denominations of shinplasters.

PARIS, July 17.—La Moniteur, of to-day, announces that Chili and Peru have accepted, with certain modifications, the president of the United States in the Spanish war.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Senate.—A joint resolution was introduced extending steam mail service to China.

The Committee on Foreign Relations were directed to inquire how many Mexican soldiers were executed under Maximilian's decrees.

Mr. Wilson introduced a resolution lauding the Mexicans. Referred.

The consideration of Indian affairs was resumed, and the bill finally passed. It provides for a commissioner to obtain peace if possible, otherwise to call for 4,000 border soldiers to push the war. Adjourned.

House.—Mr. Schofield introduced a resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to withhold the payment of five millions of cotton claims awarded by the Court of Claims. He said the claims could be examined by a proper committee next session, and paid by an appropriation if found correct. Resolution passed.

A resolution authorizing the committee on Southern Railroads to proceed by subcommittees passed.

Mr. Robinson asked leave to introduce a preamble and resolutions to remove the free cotton tax. Ellison and Benjamin objected.

Resolutions sympathizing with Candia were passed.

Mr. Bingham sent to the clerk's desk and had the following telegram read, from Hon. Sickles:

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Mr. Logan offered a preamble and resolutions which were passed, reciting the general rumor that armed expeditions are being organized in this country against the Republic of Mexico, at variance with the wishes and feelings of all good citizens of the United States and contrary to established public policy and respectfully requesting the President to issue a proclamation requiring all proper officers of the United States to prevent any such unlawful organizations being formed, and warning all persons who depart from the United States on such expeditions that they forfeit all rights to protection under the laws of the United States.

A substitute was offered for the Senate bill guaranteeing equal rights in the District, by striking out the word white wherever it occurred in charter, ordinance or by laws. Passed.

The House then adjourned.

A meeting of the friends of Maximilian was held last evening.

Resolutions were adopted condemning the execution of the Arch Duke, favoring armed intervention in the affairs of Mexico, and appointing a committee to call a public meeting of citizens on the subject. The Germans are taking a prominent part in the matter.

It has been ascertained from a gentleman connected with the Court of Claims that the Court has allowed claims only to the extent of $110,000 in eleven out of twenty-one cases, others having been continued, and that the Court requires not only evidence of loyalty, but of active support of the cause of the Union to support claims.

Several witnesses from Canada impeached the truthfulness of St. Marie and Dr. Millan, in the Surratt case.

It appears that St. Marie left Canada because he stole $600 from the education office. The debtors are still expecting Government to settle accounts.

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—The officers of the U. S. Engineers, Locks and Moulds, from Dispatch, comprise the report of the death of Sonia Arnaud.

The Government considers the claim for $400,000 against Mexico settled. Several members of the Cabinet have left for the great switches of the universe." Some hold that it should not be made obligatory in all cases. Mr. Lewis, Secretary of Eugene Pulleian favored the writer. Secretary of commerce and thought the Secretary of Navy should not commit himself to the Government. On the other side M. Garrison and Hermann, Secretary of Interior and Postmaster-General of the order. The debate was animated, but a very large majority prevailed in favor of the resolution proposed by Seward.

Meridian, Miss., July 19, J. F. S.

FRENCH MASONRY.—At the recent annual communication of the French Free Masons, a discussion arose as to the retention of the symbols pertaining to the Deity at the great architect of the universe." Some held that it should not be made obligatory in all cases. Mr. Lewis, Secretary of Eugene Pulleian favored the writer. Secretary of commerce and thought the Secretary of Navy should not commit himself to the Government. On the other side M. Garrison and Hermann, Secretary of Interior and Postmaster-General of the order. The debate was animated, but a very large majority prevailed in favor of the resolution proposed by Seward.

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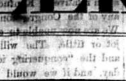
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The Situation

July 20, 1867.

Editor of the Mobile Daily Times:

SIR—My attention has been called to the following publication in the radical newspaper published in the city, with the suggestion of friends that the letter referred to might by some be supposed to have been written by me, and that it was due to myself to correct the erroneous impression.

THE REASON WHY.—Hon. John McRae, of Mississippi, in a letter to the Meridian Chronicle, thus concisely states his reasons for being a Republican:

"I advocate reconstruction upon the Congressional plan; and recognizing the fact that the Republican party is in full power for an indefinite period; that it is the only party in existence that can do the South any good; that it has dealt with the South not according to her just deserts, if rebellion be a crime, but in a spirit of magnanimity unparelled in the history of rebellions and that it has for its object the elevation and elevation of the toiling masses of the republic—for these reasons I expect to affiliate with the Republican party."

I have written no letter to the Meridian Chronicle, and the above extract was not written by me. The sentiments which it contains are not mine, and the writer, "Hon. John McRae, of Mississippi," is unknown to me. I do not affiliate with the Republican party, nor do I expect to do so. I can have no respect for a party which disfranchises me and confers the right to vote upon my negro, that was, who is incapable of its judicious exercise.

I do not believe the late war was a rebellion or a civil war, but a war between two distinct, separate governments—the United States, and the Confederate States of America. I do not, therefore, believe the people of the Confederate States were rebels or traitors. The United States, as the conquering power, under the form of the Republican party, has dealt with the people of the Confederate States unkindly, harshly, bitterly, and in a spirit of malignity and hate among civilized people unparalleled.

I do not approve of the Congressional plan for reconstruction. I think the military bills are odious and tyrannical; but I may, from necessity or a choice between evils, submit to what I do not approve. In this light, I think it best for our people to reconstruct their State governments under these bills, for the reason that they afford the only hope, bad as it is, of giving them the control of their State affairs. If we do not reconstruct under these bills, the question goes back to Congress to say under what bills they *shall* reconstruct. Congress will say the rebel sentiment defeated reconstruction, and the restoration of the Union, and will restrict the right of suffrage to loyal men, meaning Radicals and blacks, excluding all who aided or in any way participated in the rebellion. This will put the State governments all once in the hands of the Radicals. The question is, will we make an effort to take advantage of the small opportunity we have under the present bills to prevent this result?

The mode proposed to reconstruct is by a Convention, and it is said the people have a choice to vote for or against it. So they have, but it is a coerced choice, to vote for the Convention bill as it is, or vote for no Convention and take something worse. If the Convention is voted down, then what is the situation? Some say we will remain under military rule, as we are now. But will this be so? No. If not, Congress is determined to reconstruct, and on its own terms, and will immediately pass other bills for this purpose. Do any suppose the terms will be better under other bills than they are under the present ones? I do not. In other bills Congress will certainly restrict still further the right of suffrage, and may include in them barsher measures, punishment and confiscation. But without these, they will probably, by restricting the right of suffrage, reconstruct the States in the hands of the Radicals, and then we may have punishment and confiscation by the State legislatures. Do any expect, if the Convention is voted down, that they will get rid of the negro as a political element, or of negro suffrage in future bills for reconstruction? I do not. I am sure Congress will make this the predominant element.

But some say a revolution is taking place in public sentiment at the North, and the Radical party is breaking down. Therefore vote down the Conventions and we will get better terms. I do not see this myself. The party is stronger now than it has ever been, and the present Congress is a new Congress, in for two years. Its first and regular session would not have been held until December next, but for a bill passed by the last Congress that a new one should assemble on the 4th of March, the day that the old one going out. What hope then, have we for the next two years, of better terms than the present bills offer, objectionable as they are? I see none. But from the bill just passed by the almost unanimous vote of both Houses over the President's veto, (six only in the Senate and twenty-four in the House opposing it,) construing the present Reconstruction bills most harshly against us, we have the most certain evidence that we can expect nothing better from this Congress in the future.

The fact does not seem to be appreciated or recognized that the people of our States are to be divided into two parties, unfortunately and unavoidably, on the question of reconstruction and the control of the State governments. One is to be composed of the Conservative whites and Conservative blacks—the other of the Radical whites and radical blacks, and between these two the issue is to be made for ascendancy in the control of the State governments.

The Radical whites and blacks seem to have understood this issue, and to have been up to the time, more active in their organization, through their leagues and conventions, than the Conservative whites and blacks. I think it has grown out of the fact that the Conservative whites, who constitute the body of our people, have been divided in their opinion as to the policy of reconstruction that they have not been less efficient in their organization, and that the Conservative blacks have not been encouraged, and have not known how to co-operate or unite with them in force. I am sure, if the business management of all our people were united, a sufficient number of the intelligent and well-disposed blacks would unite with them to give this party a majority in most, if not all the reconstructed States. Upon this issue with us the safety of our lives, property and families, and the preservation of social order. It is a matter of serious regret to see our people divided when they are upon the eve of the most solemn issue which they have so much at stake, and especially that asperity of feeling, with some, should be manifested. If these differences of opinion. We are certainly all aiming to secure the best results for the future welfare of States. If differences of opinion should be generated with the kindest feeling. I think it best to make an effort to save the control of our State governments, if it can be done, under the measures now offered, rather than to risk measures which must be inevitably worse in the future. Others may differ with me, and all I ask of them is to concede to me, as I do to them, sincerity of purpose.

I have not argued this matter on the honor question. I think we maintained our honor in arms, though we were overpowered. I think we have maintained our honor in resisting measures of the government in whose power we are, until we can no longer resist safely or successfully.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. McRAE.

FOR CONGRESS.—It will be seen by reference to another part of this issue, that the friends of our countryman, Dr. W. H Tegarden, have announced him for the restoration of the Fifth) District. The doctor is an old citizen of this county and is well known, therefore, it would be supererogatory for us to speak of his fitness for the position.—Handsboro Democrat.

There was a mail robbery in Monroe county lately, and the civil officer sent a dispatch to Col. Gay, commanding Sub-District Headquarters, at Columbus, proposing to turn over the freedmen arrested on suspicion of having committed the deed for trial by Military Commission. Col. Gay's reply was

"The civil authorities must try the case—if they refuse to do their duty, inform me at once."

George Wright an ex-Confederate soldier was shot and killed at Calhoun, Kentucky, on Saturday by W. Little, constable of the county. The latter was arrested after shooting, but subsequently escaped.

A DESPITUE COLONY OF FREEDMEN IN FLORIDA.—The Sub-Assistant Bureau Commissioner for the sub-district of New Smyrna, Florida, reports that the colonization of a large number of colored people by selling them to certain parties with the avowed intention of benefiting them, has it is feared, been attended with unfortunate surroundings and circumstances. The colonists themselves state in almost every instance that they have been disappointed and deceived. The condition of these colonists is represented as very destitute, and those who still remain, some having left for other portions of the State, are unable to leave, from poverty, or are said to get out of the country, and must of necessity, for some months to come, be a burden to the Government.

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The "war of races" in which the editor of the North Mississippian supposes he is taking so brave a part, exists only in his distempered imagination. Like Don Quixote, in his encounter with windmills, he imagines that he is doing the work of a giant, but the feebleness of his blows, more ridiculous and puny than those of the knight of La Mancha, excite only derision. Should the white race be in danger, a greater champion than him of Tupelo, would be necessary.

An interesting letter from ex-Governor, John J. McRae, appears on our first page. The letter was provoked by some of our cotemporaries confounding the ex-Governor's name with that of Hon. John McRae, of Kemper, who has joined the Radical party. Though Gov. McRae has no use for a party that disfranchises him and enfranchises his late slave, he believes our only hope lies in reconstructing under the laws of the dominant party.

ELECTING OUR "FAVORITES" TO CONGRESS.—The Cincinnati Commercial's Washington correspondent in writing of his interview with the President relates the following conversation which shows that the President is opposed to our sending "rebels" to Congress. We must vote, we suppose, to the present complexion of that body.

I had scarcely been seated, when Mr. Johnson, alluding to one of my letters from Georgia, said he was very glad that I had published the fact that he had advised against the election of Alexander H. Stephens to the United States Senate in 1865. He couldn't imagine, he said, where I had got the information. I told him my informant was an ex-army officer who, in the spring of 1865, was chief of staff to General Steedman, then commanding the district of Georgia; that he had informed me of a dispatch sent by General Steedman to the President, inquiring if it would be advisable to elect Stephens, and of the President's prompt reply, that it would be very unwise to think of doing so—that Mr. Stephens was a prisoner of war, and ought not to enter political life while such was the case. "I can't make out how you got the facts, but you got them right," said the President. "I told them not to think of electing Mr. Stephens, or any man who had been engaged in the rebellion as he had, and yet I was denounced all over the country for trying to get rebels into office, and appointing rebels to office. I never did any thing of the kind. What I was wrong to elect such men then, and it would be wrong to elect them now."

The Steamboat Prince of Wales, belonging to the New Orleans, Mobile and Chattanooga Railroad Company, was at the bay last week. brought over a party of Engineers, who were busy for a few days surveying the route, and locating the crossing place of the Road.—Shieldsboro Gazette.

General Grant, in a conversation with a senator, said the Liberals did right in executing Maximilian, and that the United States ought to stand by Mexico in that way. So says a Washington special to St. Louis Democrat.

ASK OF MASONRY.—We had an item taken from a Glasgow paper, stating that St. John's Lodge No. 3, of the city has recently celebrated the eight hundredth ninth anniversary of its existence, it having been created by a charter from King Malcolm in 1027.—We should like to see the muster roll of that lodge beginning more than eight hundred years running along until the present time. What kings and kingdoms have risen and fallen since the guard was first warded in the East. How the world has changed and what changes has this temple of Masonry passed through in a hundred years in the line of a lodge.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Vedegen that a few days ago at Mr. W. C. Bridges, of this county, while shooting a gun in a careless manner, the gun in some manner discharged, the whole load taking effect in the head of a brother named Vedegen, living with him, instantly.—Vicksburg Herald.

The Brandon Republican, when unable to answer an article without argument, throws off a lot of twaddle about secessionists, democracy, &c., thus making up in froth and wind what it lacks in sense. The course of the Republican in ever prating about the political antecedents of its cotemporaries, who happened to be democrats, is decidedly unbecoming even a man who was a citizen in times of war, and is now a warrior when there is peace. We are not ashamed of our past political affiliations, but think writing about secession and secessionists is a very poor way to enlighten the people now, or solve the great problem agitating the country. *Meridian Gazette.*

We are not surprised at such paragraphs as the above. As a public journalist, we have always been free to speak of men and measures as they deserve, and in doing so have had occasion to administer some wholesome advice now and then to the editor of the Meridian Gazette.

You say, "when we are unable to answer an article with argument, we throw off a lot of twaddle about secessionists."

Now, Shannon, a few plain questions: Did your paper or mine throw off twaddle in 1860 and '61? Was it your paper or mine that advised a peace policy in'1861? Tell the naked, plain truth, and say that the Republican was right all the way through. We don't write what we think the people want to hear, but what they ought to know, understand and do. Your whole political course for the past ten years has been grievously wrong, and destructive of the best interests, of the country, and now in these troublous times you are again busy in trying to inaugurate a policy to complete our ruin. Stop such work, listen to our sober truths, take a *back seat*, be kind to your neighbors, ask forgiveness for the ill advice which you have heralded through the country, and read earnestly the Republican, and you may yet do well.

We take the above from the last number of the Brandon Republican. We will endeavor to answer plainly what Frantz calls plain questions. Without believing in the constitutional right of secession, we did, in 1860, regard the election of Mr. Lincoln as a "declaration of war against the South." In common with the great majority of the Southern people we believed slavery no longer safe in the Union, and we favored the formation of a separate government to preserve that institution. This was Revolution. We believed it justifiable.—This was what the South did. But the editor of the Republican opposed it. We are willing to let him have the credit of it. If the South was *right* Frantz was *certainly wrong.*

But it is useless to say inquire who was right or wrong in 1860 or 1861. We do not like the Republican claim infallibility. If we erred it was with the South, with our own race and section. Through the gloomy years of strife and blood that followed we sorrowed, rejoiced, and suffered with the Southern people, and now we ask no exemption from the errors or the criminalities of the Rebellion, no matter from whence the accuser comes.

But when our armies surrendered, when slavery itself, the cause of the war, was destroyed, we saw no Government under which we could expect to live, but that of the United States, and we have looked to the Reconstruction and restoration of Missisippi to the Union as the best means to promote the prosperity and happiness of her people.

But our friend of the Republican desires our opinion on his course as a journalist, and we proceed to give it briefly. Candor compels us to state that we regard Frantz as *wrong* and *inconsistent* during the war, and that since that time his course as editor of the Republican, has not only been *wrong*, but highly detrimental to the best interests of the country. Having opposed secession, at the eleventh hour, you became a convert to the war, and continued to render it a feeble and uncertain aid until the surrender. You then began to boast of your *Unionism*, and clothed with it as a garment, you sought to be elected convention printer in 1865, as the only *consistent Union editor in the State.* Strange as it may appear, your extraordinary claims were overlooked, and Col. Yerger of the News elected. Then commenced your vagaries. After condemning negro testimony, you finally were defeated for the Legislature, partly because you favored it. Your defeats or something else have caused you since that time, to furiously oppose every measure calculated to promote reconstruction, and restore peace to the country. In this you are not only *wrong* but *inconsistent*, with your professions of 1865. You know the South is helpless, and you try to arouse the passions of the people, and urge them to a course that would only bring further humiliation. More than that, your teachings, if followed by the Southern people, would create a war of races, in which we would array against ourselves the blacks, backed by the power and authority of the Federal Government. Your kind advice to take a back seat is appreciated, but wholly unnecessary. The writer is disfranchised, incapable of voting or holding office. We have no aspirations but for the good of the country. Without regard to the past, without reference to what the public desire, impelled by a sense of duty, we urge the people of the State to accept the military bills in good faith, as a final settlement of the question of reconstruction. We believe this will lead to representation in Congress, the repeal of the present oppressive federal taxation, and restore prosperity to the country.

We shall occasionally devote a few more moments to our friend of the Republican, and trust he may yet profit by our teachings. Who knows but that Frantz might be elected printer to the next convention? In this event, a timely conversion would be very necessary.

The Gazette and Reconstruction.

We mentioned the other day that Congress assigned as a reason for refusing the Kentucky delegation seats, that voters were overawed and prevented from exercising the right of franchise, and warned our people not to give Congress any such "pretext" for refusing Mississippi's delegation admission, when we are prepared to knock at the door and demand representation. This drew forth the following from the Columbus Index, an anti-Convention journal:

We ask attention to the following which we find in the Meridian Gazette, a journal that has been advocating the military bill. We predicted months ago that such journals would believe reconstruction was accomplished be found with full radical harness on, defending radical measures on the score of merit, and justifying radical usurpations on the score of necessity and expediency. The event seems to have verified that prediction.—These same journals are now engaged in the work of defending Congress for the passage of the supplemental bill last week, insisting that that act was a just and necessary measure, rendered so by the course of those at the South, who believing honestly that the military bill violated the Constitution, and if carried out would result in the complete overthrow of every vestage of civil liberty on this continent, raised their voice against the stupendous wrong and urged and entreated their readers not to make it valid and binding on themselves and their posterity by voluntarily becoming parties to it. Not content with the service they are rendering the radicals, in this matter of the supplemental bill, these journals are devoting themselves to the task of palliating and excusing the present action of Congress in refusing the Kentucky members their seats, an action which every candid and unprejudiced man must admit is at once a blow at the Constitution of the United States and the sovereignty of Kentucky.

The truth of the matter is the Kentucky members were excluded because they were democrats. The charge that there was corruption or that voters were overawed and prevented from going to the polls is contradicted by the facts.—Nothing of the kind took place if the testimony of the conservative press of Kentucky is to be relied on.

We wish to inform our friends of the Index, and some other cotemporaries who do not seem to understand the Gazette's position, that it is not true this journal defends radical measures on the score of merit, or justifies radical usurpations upon any pretext whatever; it is not true the Gazette *defends* the action of Congress towards the South at all, or maintains that its military bills were rendered necessary solely by the conduct of our people; it is not true that we all engaged in palliating or excusing Congress in its action relative to Kentucky, or that we justify its harsh and unconstitutional measures. We are no admirer of the dominant party or its manifestos; but having carefully and considerately examined the political situation, we urged our people to accept, without wrangling or division, the harness prepared to restore us to the Union, *and from which there is no possible escape;* we have urged it in order to rid the country, as speedily as possible, of the arbitrary and demoralizing government under which we now live; we have urged it because the present Congress will have the reigns of power for the next two years, and will organize the State governments before the expiration of that time, if but "ten negroes" appear at the polls; we have urged it because Congress is all powerful, and has offered better terms than will ever be tendered again; we have urged it because superior numbers have said the Union shall be preserved; we have urged it because there is no power in the North to save us from a radical ruler; we have urged it because our charred cities, wasted fields, impoverished treasury and hungry thousands demand peace and confidence and a return to those great pursuits which will make us rich, and a power in the government itself. We alluded to the Kentucky delegation and Congress, as we have alluded to many other acts of the dominant party. *Congress* says the members were refused admission for the reason stated in the extract printed by the Index, and we warned our readers not to give any such pretext here—that it would retard reconstruction, and put us in the Union a year hence, with nine-tenths of our white population disfranchised. It is useless for us to waste ink, discussing the justice or injustice of their declaration relative to Kentucky, or indeed any of the Congressional legislation. We are now unable to change it one jot or tittle. The will of Congress, and the "conquering ides" carry the day, and if we would restore order and law, wealth and security, we must step into the Union at once on the present platform, with all its distasteful features, and then commence "putting the house in order," remedying the evils and removing the disabilities which now oppress us. This is the way, to preserve and defend whatever good is left us, to bring the best good possible out of the present situation, and stop any further evils from being visited upon our helplessness. See us right, Mr. Index, and we will reciprocate when necessary.

Murder Advised from the Bench.

We copy the following from the Knoxville Free Press:

In the Circuit Court at Kingston, Roane county, East Tennessee, Judge Houk held the court in the absence of Judge Hall. A man was arraigned for trial, charged with felonious assault. The prosecutor had been a rebel, the defendant a Union man. The Federal troops had encamped on the prosecutor's premises, and the officer in command had sold the corn of the prosecutor to the defendant for the value of the corn. They had agreed to arbitrate the matter. They met for the purpose. The defendant, with a pistol, made an assault upon the prosecutor, such as the grand jury deemed a felonious assault. The case came for trial. The Attorney General waived the felony and the defendant submitted for a misdemeanor.

The examination of witnesses developed the facts as above stated.—His Hon—(?)—Houk— gravely announced that he was half inclined to send the defendant to jail because he had not shot the prosecutor! He said that he ought to shoot him yet.—He further said that the rebels had tried to gain their independence in the field and had failed, and thus they could not be allowed now to avail themselves of the courts of the country to prosecute Union men. He further said that any Union man who might slay a rebel under the circumstances of the case before the court, should never be punished while he held the court.

Col. Thornburg, the District Attorney, immediately arose, and with a look that was itself a rebuke to the so-called Judge, said:

"If the court please, I wish to say, for the benefit of this people, that if any one shall under the advice of your Honor, take the life of any citizen of this county, I will have him indicted and brought to punishment.

"He will not be punished by this court," said Honk.

"I should not expect to try him before this court," said Thornburg.

Houk then proceeded to pronounce the judgment of the court in the case above mentioned. He fined the defendant the enormous sum of five cents!

We desire these facts from members of the bar who were present, and from the Attorney General himself.—What words of ours are needed as a commentary? Think of Houk in the seat of Alexander!

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Meridian Railroad Directory.

Hours and Time Railroad.

Mail train leave [illegible] A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 6:00 P. M.
arrives 8:45

NORTH.

Mail train leaves at 7:30 A. M.
arrives at 4:30 P. M.

[illegible] Railroad.

Mail train leaves Meridian 4:30 A. M.
arrive [illegible] 11:30 A. M.
leave Selma 4:30 P. M.
arrive [illegible] 11:30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves [illegible]
arrives [illegible]

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 3:10 A. M.; arrives at Jackson at 8:55 A. M.; remains there at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 3 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 A. M.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 2:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis and all points North will take the Mail Train leaving Jackson at 7 A. M., making connection at Canton with Mail Train leaving Meridian at 4 P. M., and at Grenada with Mail Train on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Leave Grenada daily at 1:45 a. m. and 2:55 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 8:45 a. m. and 8:45 p. m., making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points North.

Leaves Memphis daily at 12:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m., arriving at Grenada at 5 a. m. and 5:00 p. m., making close connecting with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

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C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

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38th Infantry, Post Adjutant.
1st Lieut. THOMAS L. NYE,
Post Quartermaster and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

Capt. JAMES W. SENDERLAND,
Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale.

Fresh Lager.—Mr. McCaskle requests us to announce that he is now prepared to supply the trade with an superior article of Lager Beer. Apply at the Meridian Brewery.

Men of the highest attainments in medical science are now using and recommending the reliable vegetable tonic—Red Jacket Bitters—as a restorative after fevers and the very best strengthening medicine to build up debilitated constitutions.

The advertisement of the second drawing of the Southern Asylum Land Company appears elsewhere.

The next drawing takes place in August, and those intending to interest themselves should do so at once. The drawing is conducted by sworn managers, in the open face of day, in the presence of every body, and fraud and dishonesty is impossible, while the high character of the parties entrusted with the institution would forbid such a thing, even were it possible.

The next drawing offers a brilliant prize of twenty thousand dollars. A rare chance for a fortune is now offered. Some one will own Col. Galloway's $25,000 residence for five dollars. Among prizes to be distributed in the September drawing is the donation of Mr. Jones, of the Capitol, Addison Hall, of the State House at Jackson, Mississippi. This four hundred acre tract is divided centrally by the railroad. The improvements are magnificent, and will be won by some one for a single dollar. Call on L. N. Hart, Esq., and buy your tickets.

Decking the Brow.—The feeling elated is like lifting up the heavy drapery that hangs in chaotic folds upon Nature's face, and letting the bashful gaze of virgin earth leave with joy, on reach the early kiss of morning's dawn upon her ruby lips, to look upon creation in her bridal robes, with her diamond fragments of jewelry—now decking her brow with the flowers of spring and contemplating the golden treasures of health created by the use of the Great Southern Preparation, as advertised in another column.

Vice President Langston.—The colored people are wakking up, with a vengeance, in the fact that it is in their power to extort from the Republican party the nomination of a candidate of their own for the Vice Presidency of the United States. That Vice Presidency Senator Sullivan says John M. Langston, of Ohio, is the right man for the right place.

The New York Herald of the 13th says: Our City of Mexico letters are dated June 21, and contain an interesting account of an audience granted to Maximilian's wife and son. The disappearance of Marquez is considered. The deposed dealer reward is ordered to be paid, and Marquez is to be expelled, but he is reported to have paid his person one million dollars in foreign exchange before he left. Some of the citizens being about to leave on the day of arrivals, and only about one hundred out of the seven thousand of the Imperial prisoners were to be found.

The Odd Fellows of Kentucky are now engaged in a canvass of the State in behalf of an Institution which will, if successful, be located at or near Louisville. The institution proposed is for the widows and orphans of deceased members of the order. It is to be a home for the helpless children. The institution proposed will be somewhat similar to the Masonic Home at Louisville, Kentucky, which was made by the munificence of Mr. Speed, who gave $100,000 for the purpose. The Odd Fellows of Kentucky are making a move in the right direction, and one that will receive the hearty support of the entire fraternity throughout the country.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

[illegible] Maximilian's body [illegible] delivery to the [illegible]

Secretary Seward [illegible] to Mexico.

[illegible] the likeness [illegible] criminal [illegible] Kirkwood [illegible] and had held [illegible] 1,500 Confederate [illegible] They [illegible] the stock [illegible] The [illegible] ordered yards [illegible] Mississippi [illegible] ville-Railroad [illegible] to Gen. Scott [illegible] the Franklin [illegible] operations [illegible] conservatives [illegible] to which [illegible] with whom Surratt [illegible] guns on the sand [illegible]

[illegible] evidence that Surratt knew nothing of his mother's danger was ruled out of court.

[illegible] was dismissed [illegible] Surratt's truthfulness [illegible]

[illegible] house for [illegible] the wrong of [illegible]

The defence closed and the prosecution commenced the rebutting evidence. They hope to close the case in two days.

Arrangements have been made to enforce the enforcement of General Order No. 10, which prohibits civil officers from using any influence whatever to defeat or aid any made people from an active part in the reconstruction of the State government under the reconstruction acts.

Madrid, July 23.—An incendiary fire at the Naval Yard destroyed, among other things, 300 bales of cotton. Loss $500,000.

New Orleans, July 21.—Heavy freshets are reported in the upper Mississippi, almost equaling the flood of 1859. Twelve million feet of logs were swept over St. Anthony's Falls yesterday.

NEWS ITEMS.

There is a resurrection of the K.K.K.C. throughout Texas as the Order of Maximilian. Houston is going to have a [illegible]

Exchanges from Georgia, has written to the Governor of the State not to accept the services of the military reconstruction [illegible]

Tupper says: "Let the horse and not the wagon that worries. But we are very certain that we have seen a wagon tire.

Some of the morellies tells us that no medicine has been given which cures dyspepsia does, but we sometimes think when we see her merry-eyes, that she needs relief from the pangs of dyspepsia.

Capt. James W. Senderland,
Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale.

A fatigue party of [illegible] soldiers will leave at work near Enterprise station, for several days, exhuming the bodies of the Federal soldiers who fell in the late engagement between Gholson's Cavalry, and the forces under Smith and Grierson.

Hon. J. Wayles Baker, Judge of the Supreme Court of Florida, died at Tallahassee on the night of the 31 inst.

A day or two since a negro in Cleveland made a double attempt at suicide without success. He first shot himself in the head in ear, and then jumped out of a three story window to the pavement beneath, escaping without injury. It should like to know how they're like.

We understand that a telegram was sent from New Orleans to Europe on the 20th announcing the death of Juarez. It is supposed that it was in reference to the execution of the late and unfortunate Emperor Maximilian.

Out in Indiana a fifty-five sixteen summers has presented to her husband, aged eighteen, three fine boys.

It is said, that President Johnson has pardoned Robert Toombs, of Georgia, and ex-Gov. Clarke, of North Carolina.

Of the 42721 prisoners sent to the Tombs in New York last year, 14,066 could not write, and 5,707 write. Only 623 were well educated.

The St. Louis Freemason—a very fine periodical by the way—publishes the account of money sent by the Masonic Lodge of St. Mahert, to the destitute of the South, so far, at $3,884 62—not including a considerable amount of corn.

Lola Montez must be a strange to see what pranks she and Death will play to catch each other, and what huge pains they take to hold on to them when caught.

A negro man attempted to commit a rape on a young white lady in Perry County, Miss., on the last Wednesday.

"Say, at the post say's, "county drinks" on whisky—and then [illegible] to tell just what "must be the effect of a modern dram."

Allen Sykes, a colored man, killed Sykes, colored, on the 19th inst., near Booneville, Arkansas, shot through the mouth with a load of buck-shot from a double-barrel gun. The ball from the gun passed through the mouth and out of the back part of the head. It is supposed that the ball from the muzzle of the gun fell, went off and killed him immediately.

The sub-commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau for the Meridian District, reports the Conservative Committee of Ohio, Robert Toombs every [illegible]

Grant, nothing in the past but the dead and the failures, and I am ready to [illegible] the living issues of the present and future. I can command success only by rallying to [illegible] principles for which I fought.

At Farragut, Dispatches to London report that the [illegible] Mississippi river has lost its channel, and that the breaking up of the [illegible] of the river has [illegible] Many persons have been [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] of the [illegible] of the

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NOTICE TO MOTHERS.

Wheeler & Wilson's

New Orleans.

Mobile.

Cairo.

New York

HAVELOCK IN EAST INDIA.

The following poem was written by an Irish officer in the English service while on duty in a city in East India in which the plague was then raging terribly. The inhabitants, particularly the English residents, were dying every day by hundreds, when, of twenty officers of the English army—without a shadow of hope of ever seeing their country or friends—formed a firm band and sought to drown all sorrow in the wine cup, and by jest and song to divert their thoughts from the fearful and irreversible fate which each one knew awaited him. The author of the poem himself lived to see the echoes of his own jocund mirth before the echoes of "Amen for the next that dies," had ceased to reverberate; and in less than a week every member of the club crossed to the "unknown shore."

We won't mouth the mumbling matter,
And the mail as sound are here;
As they echo one burst of laughter,
It sound sought the echo of fear.

But stand by your glasses steady,
And hurrah! for the next that dies.

Not less in the goblets' glowing;
Not here in the trembling wine!
Tis cold as our hearts are growing,
And dark as the doom we must meet.

But stand to your glasses steady,
And soon shall our pulses rise;
A cup for the dead already—
Hurrah! for the next that dies.

Not a sigh for the fot that darkles,
Not a tear for the friends that sink;
We'll fall amidst the wine cup's sparkles
As amidst the wine of battle we drink.

So stand to your glasses steady!
'Tis this that the respite buys—
A cup to the dead already—
Hurrah! for the next that dies.

Time was when we frowned on others;
We thought we knew better things,
Ha! ha! let them think of their mothers
Who expect to see them again.

No! stand to your glasses steady!
The haughtiness here the wise;
A cup to the dead already—
Hurrah! for the next that dies.

There's many a hand that's shaking,
There's many a hand that's sunk!
But soon, after our hearts cease quivering,
They'll burn with the wine we've drunk.

So stand to your glasses steady!
'Tis here the revival lies:
A cup for the dead already—
Hurrah! for the next that dies.

There's mist on the glass congealing—
'Tis the hurricane's fiery breath!
And thus does the warmth of feeling,
Turn to ice in the grasp of death.

Ho! stand to your glasses steady!
For a moment the vapor flies;
A cup to the dead already—
Hurrah! for the next that dies.

Who dreads to the dust returning?
Who shrinks from the sable shore?
Where the high and haughty yearning
Of the soul shall sing no more.

No! stand to your glasses steady!
The world is a world of lies!
A cup to the dead, already—
Hurrah! for the next that dies.

Cut off from the land that loves us,
Betrayed by the land we find;
Where the brightest have gone before us,
And the falsest remain behind.

So stand to your glasses steady!
'Tis all we have left to prize:
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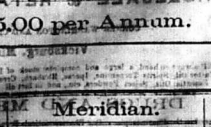

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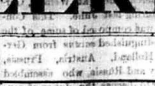

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The Liberty Journal has an article on female education, from which we take this extract:

"It is absolutely necessary that your daughters should be instructed in the management of a household, in cooking, washing, and other domestic affairs that belong to the particular province of woman, so that, whether circumstances make it necessary for them to discharge these duties with their own hands or not, their knowledge of them will at least prevent them from being imposed upon by their servants. And it is also essential that every girl, before she attains her majority, should be thoroughly skilled in some department of mechanical labor, for she will thus be provided with a means of support, no matter under what circumstances or in what situation she may be placed.—Girls should be taught to rely upon themselves; not to be afraid of the broom, the oven, the wash-tub, the smoothing iron, the milk pail, or any other labor that belongs to the household department, particularly at this time when it is such a difficult matter to get good and reliable servants, or even to get any at all, either good, bad or indifferent. How many mothers are there in the South, without servants or domestics, who are wearing out their lives over the wash-tub or the cooking stove, while their grown-up, able-bodied daughters are lounging about in a listless manner, attending balls and parties, reading yellow-backed novels, or receiving the calls of "beaux" as giddy and useless as themselves. This is very wrong, nay, it is sinful, and a direct violation of one of the express commandments of the Creator, and parents who permit their daughters to grow up in such idleness and frivolity, will one day reap the bitter reward of their sin.—Send your girls to school, give them the benefit of every advantage that can be derived from a thorough knowledge of books, and at the same time learn them to work, to be domestic in their habits, and to fully prepare themselves for acting an important and useful part in the redemption of our country. This is the way that they should be educated, and the only way in which they can be made useful members of society.

From Mexico.

The Brownsville Ranchero doubts the report of the army observation under Cortina, and publishes an extract of a letter said to have been written by Escobeda to Gomez, in which he says by every means in his power he should make the country Mexican, and as all property in the hands of foreigners was made by Mexican misfortunes he should take it, and should have the power to hunt them from the country. "My motto," said he, "is death to all stangers."—There is no danger of the Yankees interfering with us as long as the Southern States are kept out of the Union besides the black men would side with us, and may at any time pronounce against the whites. Before we get through with foreigners, the Yankees will think we are in earnest, and the time will come when their notables will be begging their own heads instead of begging for the Austrian's.

Up to the 15th inst., Marquez and O'Haran had not been found. Some of the adherents of the empire were supposed to be secreted in the house of the English minister. Diaz ordered their capture.

The foreign representatives do not recognize the Liberal government.

Seven hundred Austrian prisoners were sent to Puebla.

From Colonels and twelve more generals had been shot at Quaretaro, amongst them Oltera and Castilio.

Juarez has issued an order for the convocation of Congress, to elect a new President.

Ortega is in prison at Monterey.

HAIR FROM THE TOMB.—Last week, while the burial detail from the Corinth garrison were disinterring the National Soldiers, killed near Egypt Station, in the fight between a portion of Smith and Grierson's cavalry, and the Confederate forces under General Gholson, a trooper was raised whose pockets were absolutely plethoric with plunder. Upon investigation, a lot of marked Silver Spoons were found in his possession, belonging to Captain Dillard, of Pontotoc. Weare assured that the spoons have been returned to their rightful owner.—Aberdeen Examiner.

Secretary Seward on the Capture of Santa Anna.

The reply of Secretary Seward, which is a lengthy document, to the application of Mr. Napheg is for the intervention of this government for the release of Santa Anna, and for his return to the United States, is furnished for publication. Secretary Seward demonstrates that the Virginius, at the time of the capture of Santa Anna, was engaged in her regular business as a merchant and passenger vessel, but was chartered by Santa Anna to convey himself and suite to Mexico on an illegal and belligerant expedition; that while at Vera Cruz he was in consultation with the enemies of the Republic, and that they had arranged to proclaim him Commander at Vera Cruz in opposition to the Republican government; that he falsely pretended that he went to Mexico with the sanction of President Johnson and Secretary Seward, and that he prevented the surrender of Vera Cruz after the terms of surrender had been agreed to and accepted by both parties, and this under a declaration that he was acting under authority of the United States.

The State department does not disavow or censure, but approves the proceedings of the United States consul and Commander Roe at Vera Cruz. He also quotes from the letter of Santa Anna to General Perrazo, to show that Santa Anna landed voluntarily, and that the captain of the Virginius protested, and against his capture, but against his landing, contrary to the orders of Commander Roe not to land him on Mexican soil. Secretary Seward concludes as follows; Upon this review of facts it seems proper that the government should wait for further and more definite information before entering upon communications in relation to the complaint of Mr. Napheg with the government of Mexico.

That nation seems at last to have triumphed over all its internal and foreign enemies, and to have reached a crisis, when, if let alone, it may be expected to restore tranquility and to reorganize itself, upon permanent foundations of union, freedom and republican government. Only some great national injury, wrong or offense would justify this government in suddenly assuming a hostile or an unfriendly attitude toward the republic of Mexico.

THE KILLING OF BRIDGEWATER.—A tragedy occurred in Stanford Ky., which has created intense excitement there. It seems that a party of men, well armed, left Crab Orchard this morning for no other purpose than to kill Capt. Bridgewater, a resident of Stanford. He had a party of followers, and between the two parties there existed an intense hatred. The party from Crab Orchard this morning went to Stanford, and seeing Bridgewater in a bar-room opposite the Myers House, they commenced firing upon him, and did not cease until they had fired sixteen balls into his head, body and limbs. When taken up he was dead, having been killed almost instantly. The party from the city from Crab Orchard went back and delivered themselves up to the authorities, and are now out on bail.—Louisville Courier.

HUGGING A REVEREND.—A ludicrous scene occurred within a thousand miles of Louisville one night last week; we suppress names, as, last week, we were visiting another young lady, their cousin. The three were fond of jokes, and continually played them off on each other. On the night in question, two of them attended a party, from which they returned at half-past twelve o'clock.—The third one remained at home, and to avoid disturbing her—for the three slept in the same bed—and others in the house, they entered through the window. Here a difficulty occurred, caused by the fact, that after they left home, a young Methodist minister arrived, on a visit. He was given the room occupied by the three girls, the one who had remained at home set up to inform the others that different sparrigrass had been assigned to them. She waited in the parlor for that purpose but unluckily fell asleep; and as the two young ladies did not come in by the door, but stepped into their room by the window, she slept on. When the two others entered, they saw Fanny's figure, as they supposed, in the bed, and were pained to see by the bedside a pair of boots.—The truth flashed upon them both at once. They saw it all. Fanny lost no time in getting to the room to do a good scare. They put their heads together and determined to turn the tables on her. Silently they disrobed, and as stealthily as cats they got in their positions on each side of the bed. At a given signal they both jumped into bed, one on each side of the unsuspecting person, laughing and screaming, "Oh, what a man! Oh! what a man!" they gave the poor bewilderred minister such a pre-misterious hugging and tickling as few persons are able to brag of in the course of a life time. The noise of the preceding scene in the old lady, who was sleeping in an adjoining room. She comprehended the situation in a moment, and rushing to the room, she opened the door and exploded: "My God, girls, it is a man; it is a man sure enough." There was one prolonged, consolidated scream; a flash of muslin through the door, and all was over. The first of the joke is that the minister took the wrong thing in earnest. He would listen to no explanations, but fled and made for the girls. He would hear no excuse, but solemnly folded his clerical robes around him and silently stole away. Was he mad at the girls, or—at the old widow.—Louisville Journal.

Mr. Thomas W. Conway is again on his way South to canvass the States of Mississippi Louisiana and Texas.

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At this office, Petitions in Bankruptcy, with the accompanying Schedules.

Hon. Felix M. Simonton, of Lowndes county, made a speech the other day in which he took strong grounds for reconstruction. Col. Simonton was colonel of the 1st Mississippi Infantry during the war; subsequently went to the State Senate from Hawarden county, and was elected President of that body. He is a gentleman of fine attainments, and will strengthen the friends of a Convention in Lee very materially.

Clarence Collins, of Pontotoc county, declares himself in favor of confederation, to a limited extent, if the "non-reconstructionists make it necessary by refusing to vote for a convention, or further, having voted a convention, send members there who will throw any effective obstacles in the way of reinstating our natural relations to the general government." Clarence is a young man of twenty-three years, and made a first-rate soldier during the war. To his youth we attribute his indiscretion. We favor reconstruction, but cannot say that voting down a convention warrants confiscation, though we fear it would bring about some species of agrarian legislation. Southern men should leave this subject to Sumner & Co., and not excite any further, the passions of the radicals by urging such baneful legislation here at home.

Better times will come, says the Handsboro Democrat, just as soon as the sober second thought of the people obtains, for then law and order will prevail. We must take such part in legislation as we can, or *be legislated for*. The course to be pursued should no longer be a question. The call upon every patriot was never so great before, in the history of this nation, because the entire machinery of a Republican form of government, with a large addition to the law-making power, is to be put in complete working order after a time.

NEW POST-OFFICE.—The Post Master General has established a new post office in Newton County, on the line of the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad, called "Lawrence."—Vicksburg Times.

The station where this post office has just been established is named after our young friend, Geo. D. Lawrence, the assistant superintendent of the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad. The name of the station is a well merited compliment to a young gentleman who has taken every position to which he aspired, as "the Osprey takes its prey, by sovereignty of nature."

The Court House at Greensboro, Choctaw county, was destroyed by fire last week. The fire was supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Crop prospects in Arkansas are very encouraging. Gen. Pillow estimates his corn crop at two hundred thousand bushels.

BONNETS FOR AUGUST.—Hats are larger than bonnets; bonnets have steadily grown smaller as the season advanced, until they now consist of nothing more than a mere spray of flowers, selected to match the trimmings of the dress, and laid on a light foundation of tulle.

The cholera seems to be "a great circumnavigator." We read the other day that it had broken out in Indianola, Texas, and now see it is raging in Central Kansas, and some parts of the Indian Territory. It is also prevailing to some extent at Memphis, Vicksburg, Pine Bluff and Helena. The plains, it would seem, where the air is pure and fresh, are as liable to be visited by the pestilence as the crowded alley with its smoky sewers.

A commiseration from some citizens of Memphis has been received by Brownlow's Secretary at Nashville, urging that, according to Grant's letter to Pope, General Albert Pike visit, and reside in advising citizens to go to the polls armed.

Reconstruction in the East.

We can assure our friends in other parts of the State that there is not the slightest reason to apprehend that East Mississippi will go against the Convention. Though a respectable number oppose the Convention, a large majority of the white voters will cast their ballots in behalf of the measure that is to reconstruct the country and inaugurate movements which will bring about our wonted prosperity. We are satisfied Lauderdale, Clarke, Jasper, Wayne and Green will give a VERY HEAVY for a Convention, and the figures with "added," about put the friends of reconstruction several thousand ahead in these counties. The opposition are strong in Scott, Newton and Smith, but intelligent gentlemen whom we have talked with from those counties express their opinion that even those the Convention will carry. Some lieutenants fought the military bills and that the Republican party intend reconstructing the South according to its own notion, and as nothing is to be effected by opposition, have determined to step aside and let the will of Congress prove forward.

There is much work for our friends yet to perform. The new bill should be explained, and what the future has in store for us, if reconstruction now fails, carefully explained. Show the opposition therefore will be utterly futile, and if successful will inevitably entail greater evil than any which can possibly result from acquiescence.

Resolved, That it is impossible to defeat the ends suffered and sought by the Union without it, we have reason to believe that the country would have *no repose*, and we would have nothing to hope for in the future but bitterness and strife, which we sincerely deprecate.

Resolved, That the colored people being now free, the interest of both races are identical—and must in our industrial pursuits, and in our political destiny prosper or suffer alike—it is therefore our duty to cultivate friendship and good will, one towards the other, and to encourage education and mental and moral improvement among all.

Resolved, That we deplore, and will discourage all bitterness of feeling which manifests itself in invective and personal abuse, at a time when reason and conscience should guide and govern all of us upon the solemn and important issues which are to be determined by us.

Resolved, That acceptance in good faith of the Congressional plan of Reconstruction of the Union, and a pledge to guarantee by State Legislation the civil and political equality of all citizens, without distinction of race or color, is in no wise a partizan measure, but to the contrary, is the only basis of Reconstruction.

Horrible Debravity.

Some years ago, E. C——a young and beautiful girl, came to Baltimore with prospects for future happiness. As bright as a virtuous life, a happy home, and kind friends could make her. The war came on and robbed her of her parents, dissipated her little property, and threw her tremblingly upon the cold charities of a heartless world. She formed the acquaintance of a young man who professed admiration for her beauty, respect for her virtues, sympathies and sympathy for her distressed circumstances. We will not dwell upon the story of her fall. *The sad old story!*

A few weeks ago being in a delicate situation, she was seen to leave the house of the woman with whom she was stopping, in great suffering. She was followed shortly afterward, but could not be found; the woman, however, found a newly born child lying in a *sand hole* with its head barely above the water, in a horrible condition. She took it up, attended to its immediate necessities, and returned toward her home. Before she reached it, however, she met two negro women, to whom she narrated the above facts. They begged that she would give them the child, which she did. They took it for two weeks. By unceasing care and attention it has been kept alive, and is doing finely. The mother now has the child; the negroes appealed to Mayor Donnell for protection, and to pay him all once to buy it clothes.—Columbus Sentinel.

DROWNED.—Two colored men, Henry Mills and —— Tillman—the former a wagon driver for Mr. Thos. White, and the latter a ferryman at White's ferry on Pearl river, were drowned in Pearl river, near this city, on Sunday last, by the upsetting of a skiff in which they and two other freedmen were attempting to cross the river. The body of Mills was discovered yesterday. That of Tillman has not yet been found.—Clarion.

Our readers doubtless remember reading a short paragraph that has been going the rounds of the newspapers for some time past, to the effect that the Emperor of Abyssinia had fallen desperately in love with Queen Victoria, of England, and finding his suit likely to prove unsuccessful, had seized upon the British Ministers stationed at his court, thrown them in prison, and threatened to keep him there for life, unless Her Majesty would look upon his advances with a favorable eye. This, in the opinion of the British Government, is no cause for serving matters to extremes, but is at direct variance to all the established rules of courtship, and the cable informs us that a large body of troops have been dispatched from London to Abyssinia for the purpose of releasing the Minister, who is no doubt heartily cursing the amorous disposition of the Emperor, and also to administer a wholesome chastisement to the royal and impetuous lover, which, it is hoped will somewhat dampen the ardor of his love, and make him more careful in future about offering to great an insult to the British throne.

General Howden has been detailed to take them disposition of Russian America, on behalf of the United States Government. Ex-Senator McDougal, of California, wants to be Governor of the walrus-es and comfort.

Reconstruction.

A reconstruction meeting was held in Brandon on the 20th which was presided over by Dr. Thos. J. Catchings. Here are the resolutions adopted:

Resolved, That we are in favor of the speedy reconstruction of the Union, that the Southern States may be restored to equality with the other States, and all enjoy alike the benefits of the Union, and protection and security which the Constitution affords.

Resolved, That we recognize the freedom of the colored people of these States as an accomplished fact, and regarding the colored people as citizens, we are in favor of laws that will enforce political equality and equal rights in the protection of their person and property.

Resolved, That the enfranchisement of the colored man being a part of the policy of reconstruction, which could not be avoided if we would, and which is deemed necessary for the protection of his rights as a freeman, and for the future peace and welfare of society and the country, we are in favor of a Convention and the adoption of a Constitution conforming in its provisions to the requirements of the laws of Congress.

Resolved, That we accept and receive the freedom and suffrage of the colored man as fully accomplished, and seeking only the best happiness of the people hereafter, we believe it to be the duty of the people of Mississippi and the other Southern States to acquiesce in the Congressional plan of Reconstruction. That all opposition thereto will be utterly futile, and if successful will inevitably entail greater evil than any which can possibly result from acquiescence.

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DEATH OF A CONGRESSMAN ELECT.—Flake's Galvestonian (Texas) Bulletin of the 16th inst., says: We have intelligence that Hon. Clark Hubbard, member of Congress elect from this State, was killed at Columbus in a bar-room fight, by a man named Speers, who was also killed in the quarrel while endeavoring to make his escape. The deceased has long been a prominent politician, having been a member of both the United States and Confederate Congress.

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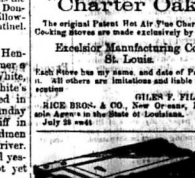

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Disease and Disinfection.

We find in the New Orleans Times a copy of the "Conclusions and Recommendations" adopted by the Chorera Conference held at Weimar, Germany, during last June. This Conference was composed of some of the most distinguished savans from Germany, Holland, Austria, Prussia, Hungary and Russia, who assembled together to discuss the duties of sanitary authorities and the most effectual means of averting the cholera. As this terrible scourge is now prevailing in various parts of the United States and liable to make its appearance in our own vicinity, we transfer to our columns the conclusions and recommendations of the German Conference and invite special attention thereto:

1. The Conference supposes as its deliberate conviction that the efforts to arrest and prevent cholera by disinfectants should be postponed in the most energetic manner.

2. Disinfection will be entirely successful only where experiments and matters are carefully gathered and kept from being cast about; when attention is given to the cleanliness and the means of health; and when the disinfection is performed by sanitary authorities in a compulsory manner.

3. In places where the entire locality or district cannot at once be disinfected, the houses and localities throughout the city visited by the previous epidemic of cholera.

4. The general disinfection should be performed at the proper time, that is, before the epidemic is actually prevalent in town or place. Every house or spot that becomes infected or is suspected to be so, must be kept constantly under the influence of disinfection.

5. In regard to the best substances as disinfectants, though the testing of various articles is not yet completed, there have been found to the present time, no more effectual substances than sulphate of iron (copperas) and the carbolic acid; and as experience proves, we have no other disinfectants that can be employed with greater facility. A combination of both these disinfectants is therefore recommended.

6. The disinfection of clothing that has become infected by cholera excrement is of especially an important matter. For that purpose the Conference recommends that all such clothing be disinfected by boiling in water, or by chemical treatment in a proper solution of "zie vitriol," (sulphate or chloride of zinc,) and the Conference also recommends that special arrangements be made by which disinfection can be employed in all places, and at any hour, anyone of for the poor.

7. For the disinfection of sewers and drains, the Conference advises the trial of Mr. Sauvern's method. The method used by Mr. Sauvren are not yet fully published, but they are believed to be similar to Mr. McDougall's—namely, a combination of carbolic or coal tar preparations, in a cheap form.

If cholera infects any house or spot, it is recommended that if practicable, the houses so situated in an infected place, or being infected, should be vacated, and their inhabitants should be removed from the infected spot.

9. It is especially recommended that the ground-water (that is the water in the ground) about dwelling houses, and all the grounds about habitations of every kind, should be preserved undefiled by any excremental matter of cholera also, that all drinking water be undefiled and pure, and that where no pure water can be had, that the water which must be used should be disinfected by boiling.

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F. T. RANFORD wishes to inform the public that he has on hand a large lot of Sash, Doors and Blinds, which he will sell cheaper than any lower class, and at any time. Those wishing to purchase will find it to their interest to call and examine my stock, at my old stand on Sydney Street, between Lee & Johnson Avenues. F. T. RANFORD.
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We are receiving for Shelby county, which they will furnish on application a quotation of Market prices. Will also receive and forward to the interior all goods consigned to the house, or purchased in our own name. Country, Chickens, and they desire to forward the whole country with a full supply of such articles. The especial attention of planters is directed to our Agency of the Lone Star Guano Company. June 30 ly

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A Chartered High School for Young Ladies.

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 3.22 P. M.
" " down ..... 2.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at ..... 2.30 P. M.
" arrives ..... 8.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7:20 A. M. Arrive at Hazlehurst 1:15 A. M. Enterprise 1:43 P. M. Meridian 3:55 P. M. Arrive at Jackson 8:30 P. M. Enterprise 8:53 P. M. Arrive 9:10 P. M. Meridian 11:30 P. M. Corinth 1:31 A. M. Humboldt 2:40 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10:5 A. M. Distance, 472 miles, time 26 hours and 25 minutes.

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Mail trains leave Columbus at ..... 10:30 P. M.
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Selma and Meridian.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 4.30 P. M.
" arrive ..... 11.30 P. M.
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Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 A. M., and arrives at Jackson at 12:30 p. m. reaches Forest at 12:50 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4 40 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 5 a. m., and 8:55 p. m. at Forest 2:30 leaves at 3:50 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

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Passengers for Meridian, and all points North, make quick time and save annoyance by first taking Trains on Southern Railroad, connecting at Jackson, Miss., with trains on M. O. & G. R. R. Railroad; at Canton with trains on Canton Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

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Leave Grenada daily at 1:55 a. m. and 6:55 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6 a. m. and 8:45 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points north.

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Rev. H. C. Harris preaches to-day at 11 a. m. and Rev. P. B. Lee at 7½ p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

SUMMERVILLE INSTITUTE.—The silver element of this Institution of learning or boys, and the Sophronia Institute for girls, will be found in to-day's Gazette. The fifteenth annual term begins on the first Monday in October next, and we would advise those wishing to enter, to make early application. The schools are delightfully situated, and Prof. Gathright has a reputation inferior to none as a disciplinarian, and importer of instruction. Conveyances will meet up and down trains on the M. & O. R. R., at Shuqualak, to convey students to the school, during the first week and the Saturday previous. For Catalogues, or other information, address Gholson P. O., Noxubee Co., Miss.

Men of the highest attainments in medical science are now using and recommending the reliable vegetable tonic, Red Jacket Bitters—as a restorative after fevers, and the best strengthening medicine for feeble convalescents.

An advertisement of the celebrated Charter Oak cooking stove appears elsewhere. Their world-wide reputation renders a "puff" entirely unnecessary. They are for sale by Giles F Filly, St. Louis and Rice Brothers, New Orleans, La.

Thos. B. Bodley & Co., of the famous machinery establishment of New Orleans, have an advertisement in the interest of special interest to our planting friends. They are again manufacturing the Gallet Steel Bush Cotton Gin with greatly improved facilities and offer it to the public as the best gin now made. They are also manufacturing for the present, one cog a cup, a press which will meet all the requirements of packing. It is of immense power and can be worked by hand, horse or steam power. Messrs. Bodley & Co. also deal in portable engines, corn mills, all kinds of machinery, agricultural implements &c. The house is one of the most reliable in the country and prices as moderate as the times will justify.

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Public Library.

MR. EDITOR:—The most important and hopeful enterprise started in our community, for intellectual enjoyment and mutual improvement, is the new public library. Nothing would contribute more to the elevation of every class of citizens, than access to a good library. It would be long the c... city. We can... rial or fanc... such facility ... institution would be a depository for best works on all subjects we ... our addition to all means of improvement. The pecuniary ... would be fully satisfied to do so, as engineer and vote a Convention.

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It is stated that a Mr. Carson died was in the Confederate army during the war, has been made a brigadier of militia, by Governor Sharkey, and was a colonel, and a regiment of returned ... as militiamen by any enemy of ... State.

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An amendment disenfranchising all who voluntarily went into the rebellion was adopted by the New York Constitutional Convention.

The steamer Granite State, from Brazos for New Orleans, struck a reef of rocks on the South end of Blackwell Island, East Bay, Thursday night. The crew and passengers were saved.

The Vice-Consul of Havana, has notified the State Department that a cargo of Coolies will be landed recently in New Orleans, in violation of the act of Congress of the 19th February, 1862, and the Emigration Act of July 4th, 1864. The Consul has reason to suspect that there is an extensive scheme on foot for the introduction of coolie labor in the South, contrary to law.

The defence in the Surratt case proposed to submit the case to the Jury without speeches. The prosecution objected. There will probably be two speeches made on each side.

The Peoria Bulletin gives the following items of news:

Gen. Almonte, Maximilian's Paris agent is so ill that the final news is withheld from him.

Rumors are the evening of Maximilian was held at the Tuileries on the 12th of July. Napoleon, Eugenie and the foreign ministers were present.

NEW ORLEANS, July 23.—Under the measures suggested by Heath and adopted by both houses of the City Council, the funding of the city issues for interest-bearing certificates is progressing. The currency incontinently is receding very rapidly from its depression. Some brokers are purchasing at three per cent. discount. Many counterfeits have been withdrawn from circulation and destroyed.

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For that war millions spent—three thousand millions dollars, and our bigger contemporary will cost us $600,000,000 apiece. Did ever a people before give so much for so little?

By its absolute failure to carry out its great purposes of the war, by wasting the energies of the nation in making its expenditures conducive only to securing seemingly results—results that the people did not care for—that are ridiculously incommensurate with the sacrifices made, the radical party has inconteatably shown its unfitness for a great trust, and has demonstrated to the people that their only safety lies in reposting it altogether—plans, theories, delusions, leaders and all.

The Louisville Journal describes the condition of things in that city as follows:

Nothing lively" is the burthen of conversation throughout the length and breadth of the city. Every store is a "castle of indolence," and every storekeeper resembles a "lubberly fisherman" whoslangles all day without getting a bite. This thinness is likely to endure for some time to come.

Gone Above.—John M. Langston, Gen'l. Superintendent of Freedmen's Schools, delivered and excellent address at the New Ark an Cha ch, Tuesday afternoon on the subject of education, to a large assemblage. His whole speech was excellent. He endeavored to impress upon his hearers the necessity for education and the fact that their destiny and their future was dependant upon this alone, and not upon any paltry privilege granted by fanaticism, and received and debased by ignorance. He ignored politics, and seems to desire alone, the improvement of his race, their advancement in all that can make them worthy of citizenship, and worthy citizens. Such speeches as that are calculated to pro. mote the happiness of the African race, and the general weal of society.—Aberdeen Examiner.

Hanged.—The negro, Bill Brooks, convicted of murder in the first degree, last fall, was executed near this place yesterday. He was asked by a colored friend if he killed the woman. He replied "Yes thank God; I killed her for revenge, thank God; I was leading a sinful life, and killing her will be the means of my salvation; I cannot go to heaven with a lie upon my lips."—Canton Citizen.

An Editor Killed by Lightning.—The Lynchburg Times (Lynchburg, Va.) comes to us draped in mourning for the death of one of its editors, Judge John M. Clendinen, from a stroke by lightning, during the intensest storm that has raged was standing at the time in the front po tch of his residence watching the approach of a cloud. Judge Mcclendinen was for many years a resident of Shelby County, Alabama, but removed to Louisiana some eighteen months ago.

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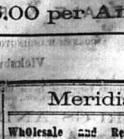

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HARD ON THE BRIDEGROOM.—A junior at Donaldsonville, La., who had buried his wife in the early part of May, married again in three or four weeks afterward. This so shocked the moral sense of the community, that a public meeting was called, and a procession formed and marched to his residence and took him out. After being marched out of his dooryard to the tune of the dead march, with lighted candles on each side of him, the procession formed, music in front, the latter consisting of oil cans, horns, tin pans, and a large bell carried on the shoulders of two of the party, which was tolled continually, while cries of mirth and jollity tended to enliven the scene. After traversing the principal streets and thoroughly arousing everybody in town who was not engaged in it, they proceeded to the final act, it now being near the hour of midnight. After forming properly, the procession moved to the graveyard, where the joke was finished by his kneeling down at the grave and asking pardon of his late wife's spirit; after which the party proceeded to a saloon, and taking a drink at his expense, he was permitted to rejoin his new made wife—thus being the third marriage bonds he has entered into.

WHY CONGRESS WAS IN SESSION.—The real reason why Congress has been holding a dog-days session was to rote away more money to carry on the campaign among the negroes in the South. It was early after Sickles had written to Washington, stating that he could not get along in the Carolinas without more money than was appropriated for the whole South, that it became certain that a majority of the Radicals would be present on Wednesday last. The more money is expended by the greedy the chance for their friends to enrich themselves by stealing. In the meantime the people are taxed until they are little better than slaves; but what do those who assume to be their masters, care for that? The negroes must all be trotted out to the polls with Radical tickets in their paws, no matter how many millions it may cost.—Gazette & Argus, Burlington, Iowa.

A FINANCIAL POLICY.—Mr Colgate, well known as an extensive dealer in gold and securities in Wall street, has addressed a letter to the Assistant Treasurer at New York, urging the adoption of a stable financial policy.—He suggests the following system, viz: That the substitution of legal tender notes for the national bank notes, the Treasury to purchase the bonds deposited as security at a premium, and assume the payment of the outstanding notes, the latter to be delisted from the roster of the bonds, and to be exchanged for greenbacks on presentation.

The reduction of the paper circulation, four millions per month, beginning May 1, 1868, until the outstanding volume is reduced to the minimum of five hundred millions, exclusive of fractional currency. This would continue the contraction until about 1872.

Our Book on Building, contains 422 illustrations of dwellings, churches, colleges, stores, moulding, architraves, base, cornices, stairs, &c., and many valuable information on build ing, will be sent free of postage on the receipt of 50 cents
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We were not present at the dinner given at Nonpareil last Saturday, but learn that it was quite a brilliant affair. The original object of the gathering, we believe, was to obtain the status of the people of that neighborhood on the subject of the Grenada and Meridian Railroad.—Louisville Bulletin.

Hon. Jacob S. Yerger.

After an eloquent reference to the death of the Hon. Lazarus W. Powell, of Kentucky, the Memphis Appeal weaves the following chaplet for the tomb of the Hon. Jacob S. Yerger.—It says:

Mississippi may mingle her tears with Kentucky, and wait for the day, close at hand, we fear, when Tennessee will complete the melancholy triad. The most eminent brother of an extraordinary family, one of the great good men of Mississippi, has been taken from that disinherited State; and she laments in all her borders. A week since, on Sunday the 14th day of July, 1867, J. Shall Yerger was communicated from the servants he had relieved from the sorrows and calamities, the miseries and dishonors that make intolerable the bondage in which this State with difficulty breathes. The Avalanche has so well said what it was just and proper to say of one so pure, so virtuous, so just, so true and so excellent, that we need only adopt its words as our own:

"Judge Yerger died of congestion of the brain, at Vicksburg, on Sunday last, while attending the bedding of his court in that city. In his death not only Mississippi, but the nation, has lost one of the brightest ornaments of the bench. For many years he has shed lustre upon the jurisprudence of his adopted State, and before his accession to the bench he ranked with the very first lawyers of the country. In fact, Judge Yerger had few equals and no superiors as an accomplished gentleman, learned lawyer, and an able and upright judge. His place cannot be well supplied upon the bench of Mississippi.

"*Of no larger, fragile, human ware is the earth and its calamities consequences—and here did even the sun and moon stand still, for one of the noblest of mortality.*"

The Blairs are quite severe on the Radical Congress. Gen. F. P. Blair is addressing the people of Tennessee, urging them to defeat Brownlow, and Montgomery Blair spoke on Tuesday at Alum Springs Va., and severely denounced the Radicals. Alluding to President Johnson, he said "he had defeated the Conservative party by reinstating the enemies in office. He would advise him to get rid of the spies that are around him, and make General Grant, whom he believed was just the man, temporary Secretary of War. About 3000 persons were present, among them were General Joe E. Johnston.

Mrs. Emma Martin is held to bail for an attempt to effect the escape of her husband from the Noxubee county jail, confined on charge of adultery. She charged the jailor with him, carried him off, but the poor fellow couldn't walk like a woman, so he excited suspicion, was re-arrested, and went to the "lock-up again.

The Chicago Times fears the South will prove a rival to the northwest in the production of corn.

EMIGRATION TO BRAZIL.—We have repeatedly warned our people against the folly of emigrating to Mexico, Brazil, and Central America. The Memphis Bulletin publishes the following extract from a letter from Buenos Ayres, which should serve as a warning. The writer says:

"Large numbers of those unfortunate men and women, driven out from the United States to emigrate to Brazil, begun to find their way there. They are poor, helpless, deceived, and are witnesses of the folly of leaving the United States for any country under the sun. Deceived by agents of various kinds, and finally enlisted in the fate of many a poor fellow. That Brazilian scheme (swindle?) ought to be exposed."

The oil of pennyroyal will keep mosquitoes out of a room, if scattered about, even in small quantities. The innerbark of a white ash will, if brought to contact with a mosquito, kill it, or stick in an instant, and a bit of fresh tobacco placed on his tongue will kill him dead as if struck by lightning, while cheese cloth used around the head gives perfect immunity. Roaches are exterminated by scattering a handful of fresh cucumber turnings about the house. No fly will light on the window which has been washed with water in which a little garlic has been boiled.

We have been told that in the northern parts of this county the people are commencing to cultivate rice in the woods, without clearing off the trees, and in fact without touching them. The dead leaves are turned under with a hoe, tongue flow, wherever it is practicable to do so and the rice planted. From eye witnesses who are competent judges, we learn that it works very well. Fair crops have been made in this way without any of the immense labor of clearing and cultivating, which is now deemed the means of a poor man.—Saint Louis Gazette.

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FOR SALE

At this office, Petitions in Bankruptcy, with the accompanying Schedules.

SHOCKING AFFRAY IN JASPER.—We learn that on last Sunday a difficulty occurred in Jasper county between Edward Y. Terrall and D. A. Morris, which resulted in the shooting of Morris by Terrall and the infliction of a most dangerous wound, which it is feared may result fatally. We have not received full particulars of the occurrence, but learn that the difficulty grew out of the shooting of Mr. Terrall's mules by a son of Mr. Morris. The parties are among the most respectable citizens of the county, and have long lived near neighbors, were relations and have heretofore been on the most intimate terms.

The generous people of Cairo, Illinois and Platte county, Missouri, and the firm of Sterling Price & Co., St. Louis, who have been courting the offices of soft humanity, are not forgotten by the recipients of the gentle deeds of mercy, in East Mississippi. In our issue of to-day will be found the proceedings of a meeting held in Jasper county by the indigent widows living near Rose Hill Academy, in which special mention is made of the citizens of Platte county, Missouri, Sterling Price & Co., St. Louis, Dr. Hurd, and Geo. Williamson, Cairo, and in fact the citizens of Cairo generally. Deeds of good stay with us forever. The widow and orphan who daily own the bounty of the generous hand will claim reward for it above the skies.

The first annual meeting of the Chickasabogue Paper Manufacturing Company, located near Beaver Meadow on the Mobile road, was held last Friday, when the following officers were elected : W. G. Clark, President ; Jacob Magee, Vice President ; W. B. Montgomery, Secretary and Treasurer ; Maj. B. Toomer, Member of Executive Committee. The following gentlemen compose the Directory: Jacob Magee, Benj. Toomer, F. B. Clark, John Parker, Wm. A. Buck, J. F. Holland and W. G. Clark.

Gen. Forrest has tendered to the Police Commissioners of Memphis his services as well as those of two hundred of his voluntary friends to act under him, in preserving order in Memphis to-day, during election hours.

The Anti-Slavery Standard still lives, and is engaged in advocating the elevation of the negro to office. It wants a black man put on the ticket for Vice President, and declares the Republican party dare not refuse to put some member of the African race on the ticket if the nomination is resolutely urged. The black man will never get "a fair proportion of the offices," and our advice is for him never to make the effort. In a fight the weakest man goes under, and whenever the negro forces himself into an attitude hostile to the white people, he will do likewise. The Northern people have no idea of dividing the "loaves and fishes" with Sambo ; he is first-rate material for carrying elections and keeping up strife, but must stand aside when the public patronage is to be distributed. Few freedmen, however, will believe this now ; but a few years hence it will be demonstrated to their perfect satisfaction.

Gen. W. L. McMillen, who commanded here just after the surrender, has been appointed a member of the Board of Levee Commissioners by Gen. Sheridan. Gen. McMillen is planting in Carroll parish, Louisiana.

A private letter from Pontotoc informs us that county contains quite a number of anti-convention men, but that the Convention will carry by a large majority.

SIGNIFICANT.—A Democratic meeting was held in the city of Baltimore on the 24th ult., at which one of the speakers declared that the "sovereignty of Maryland must not be given up, except at the point of the bayonet."

The New York Constitutional Convention recently adopted an amendment extending suffrage to the negroes. The amendment now goes to the people for ratification.

The registration of Lee county is completed except two days which are to be given for the county at large. The figures stand 1761 whites, and 522 blacks—making 2283 persons registered in the county.

The Coming Elections—What to Do.

An election will be held in Tennessee to-day pursuant to the Congressional reconstruction plan, and it is announced that in Louisiana preparations for the public choice of members to a State Convention, are progressing under the auspices of the military commander. In the good old State of Tennessee only about one-fifth of the white population are permitted to vote, and in our sister State, Louisiana, the freedmen have, according to the reports of the Boards of Registrars, majorities in all, except six, of the parishes composing the State. That the Republican party will carry these States there can scarcely exist a doubt. They are well organized by clubs, lodges, &c., and will prevent freedmen from voting to any extent for conservative candidates. The Radicals have been persistent in their efforts to secure the negroes ballot, and the prints of those States admit success has generally crowned their exertions. There has not been any organization among the whites, nor an attempt made in the last named State to counteract the influence of the ex-fremists, and of course the Republicans will carry the State, elect their officers and frame a constitution that may be odious to the great bulk of the Southern people. Here in Mississippi we have an opportunity to take a hand in remodelling the Constitution, and are able, if we will exert ourselves, to fill the various offices to which men are elected, with good, sound citizens, in whom we have confidence, and in whose hands the affairs of Mississippi will be fairly and honestly managed. The census of the State shows that the black population exceeds the white in twenty-six counties, and though they will outnumber us when the final report of registration is handed in, we can, with a little organization and exertion, undo some of the work of political missionaries, remove the distrust and suspicion they created, and retain possession of the State. If our people refuse to vote on account of the last supplementary bill, or with a hope of getting better terms, and fail to take an active part in securing a strong colored co-operation, the political complexion of Mississippi will be found similar to that already foreshadowed in Louisiana. Our people have this matter within their control yet, but there is no time to be lost if they wish to retain the reins of State government. "The game is certainly worth the candle."

The New Orleans Crescent has a finely written article on "fusion with the Republican party." There is no use in committing ourselves to any party, where we can only enter as captives pleading for mercy, and the Crescent is right in declaring such an effort would degrade human nature, and in every way do more harm than good. We can obey the mandates of the conquering party, with all their hardships, harrassments and burdens, but should stand proudly aloof from any party while we are outside of the Union, without representation or political rights of any sort. We happen to be "fancy free" now, and should remain so until the work of reconstruction is completed.

A WARM TIMES IN TENNESSEE.—Last week a terrible affray occurred at Rogersville, between the Radicals and Conservatives. Etheridge and Maynard both had appointments for meetings ; two procossions were formed, and while marching through the town, one party fired upon the other, killing one man and wounding two. The assailed party then fired, killing and wounding two or three of the assailants. Governor Brownlow has advices that the Conservatives were the aggressors. The latter charge it upon the Radicals.

Etheridge and Maynard had a personal encounter at Greenville. Maynard addressed Etheridge, who replied. "I don't speak to damned scoundrels." Maynard retumed, "I do." Etheridge then struck Maynard, who picked up an ink-stand and followed Etheridge into the room, when they were separated. This is the Brownlow side of the story.

The Mobile Advertiser wants the people to vote against "remodelling the State government and thereby remain under military law?" How is voting a convention down going to maintain military governments. Will not Congress, order the work of registration to be done over again on a strictly loyal basis, thus putting us in the Union with a disfranchised white population and millions of enfranchised negroes? We are bound to enter the Union again and whether we go as voters and office-holders or "proscribed rebels" deprived of any voice in the government under which we live, is left for the people to decide.

In the Northern States bribery and corruption and official fraud is progressing at an alarming rate if the public prints of that section are to be credited. Simon Cameron, we are told can, go into the Legislature of Pennsylvania, and buy up its members as easily and about as cheaply as a Southern planter used to buy likely field hands on the block. The New York Legislature is even worse. There, bold, bold bribery is so common as to have lost its novelty. Members sell their votes, and haggle and chaffer over the price as shamelessly as a farmer would sell his butter. The entire legislation of the State is mercenary. No measure, however beneficial, can be secured without money. And in Congress, the Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial tells us, it can be shown members own stock in the street railroads of Washington for which they never paid a cent, or rendered any other return than their votes for the acts of incorporation, and their subsequent votes to authorize the increase of fare from five to seven cents. It can be shown that the two Houses have been, time and again, influenced by the paltry consideration of free passes in their votes upon matters affecting the greatest railroad monopolies in the country. It can be proven that members of Congress have appeared in their seats as the attorneys for the railroad corporations. It can be proven that the members of the two Houses were directly bribed for their votes on the whisky tax two years ago. It can be proven that Senators positively agreed to confirm Mr. Cowan as Minister to Austria last winter, if he would get Mr. Johnson to appoint their relatives to office.

The crops are recovering from the effects of the recent rains, and everything indicates an area of plenty. It has been ascertained that the crop of wheat which has been gathered and is now gathering in the United States, is generally the largest and best which has ever been raised in this country. The cotton, sugar, rice and tobacco crops give promise of a larger and a better yield than has been known since 1860, while the corn gives an assurance that it will exceed in amount that of any previous yield. The breadth of wheat sown this year in the West, is greatly in excess of any previous year, and the crop has reached a successful harvesting more free from casualities of all kinds than has ever been known. Taking everything into consideration our people have much reason to be glad for the bountiful supplying of provisions that God is showering upon the country.

Up to Monday last there were 1875 voters registered in this county—772 white, and 1103 colored. Several precincts yet are to be visited. The entire vote of the county will be about 2500.

The Columbus Tournament Club have selected Hon. Ben. H. Hill, of Georgia, as orator on the 12th of September.

The whole number of registered voters in Louisiana is 119,396—the majority of blacks over whites being 37,004. That there will be very little alteration in the above figures may be judged by the fact that during the past two or three weeks only 1300 names have been added to the lists in the entire State. With the exception of six of the smallest parishes the blacks are in a majority throughout. These six are Calcasieu, Lafayette, Livingston, Vermillion, Washington and Winn.

The Brandon Republican asks us if we "or any other Conventionist is willing to vote for a negro or Northern Radical to represent the people of Mississippi in Congress?"

It is our desire to defeat that calamity. The policy inculcated by the Republican will induce harsher measures from Congress, and we believe will surely and speedily inaugurate a war of races. If the people vote for a Convention, and act with becoming prudence, that branch of the Republican party, to which our friend alludes, will never obtain a foothold on the soil of Mississippi. Extremes beget the like, and we regard the extreme Southern man, at this juncture, as dangerous to society as any "Northern Radical" in either section. The one is as acceptable as the other. The emergency demands men of enlarged charity, of sound patriotism, and of magnanimous views of government. Such persons will receive our cordial support and they are the basis of our society. We will find no difficulty in making judicious selections.—Lexington Advertiser.

From all points in the interior we hear the cry of terribly hard times in money matters. The circulating medium is so "tight" that, in some country places, when a one dollar note is seen, the fortunate owner has immediately to invest it for his friends consolation who "take eager in there." Picayune.

BANKRUPTCY.

Jasper Co., Miss., July 17th, 1867.

I will be at my office in Paulding on the 1st Monday in August, 1867, for the purpose of receiving the proofs of debts and the choice of Assignee of the estate of Thos. Hamilton, Bankrupt, and for the purpose of making a fair and equitable distribution may be made of the means placed in his care for their relief.

After being duly organized by calling Mrs. M. J. Cambell to the chair, and requesting C. A. Huddleston to act as Secretary, it was resolved.

That the President name a committee of three relative here to make known to G. W. Ryan in the proper time and manner the provisions consigned to him for the relief of the destitute and, in behalf of the request, all receipts, bills or other papers pertaining to said distribution, in order that he may silence any malcontents and may endeavor to censure the philanthropic motive of our esteemed friend.

And be it resolved, furthermore, That it to be a duty to make known our deep gratitude to those who, in the hour of suffering, furnished us and our children timely relief. That the President appoint a committee of five to draft a preamble and resolutions expressive of the true sentiments of those who compose this meeting.

Mrs. R. H. Hill, Mrs. J. W. Kennedy and A. J. Lewis, were appointed a committee of three.

The committee of five consisted of Mrs. N. E. Kennedy, Mrs. M. S. Sherman, Mrs. M. C. McNell, Mrs. M. B. Davis and Mrs. Mary Davis, who reported the following preamble and resolutions, which with great feeling were unanimously adopted :

For that, whereas, ourselves and our children (a multitudes and of other widows and orphans) were, at the close of the late disastrous war, left in destitute circumstances, without food or means to procure it, and whereas, while we esteem it a virtue, and are willing to suffer, and endure privation uncomplainingly, in honor of those, to the loss of whom, we were thus reduced to poverty, yet at the same time inasmuch as a merciful God has put it in the hearts of some of the noble and benevolent citizens of Missouri and elsewhere, to supply us and our children with bread, and that, too, when we were at a point of extreme destitution, to whom and for which we feel lasting *living* gratitude in our hearts, and feeling, above all, that an expression of our gratitude is our duty, and due to our benefactors, therefore, be it—

Resolved 1st. That we hereby (for ourselves and our children) return our humble and grateful acknowledgements to the citizens of Missouri, and especially of Platte County, Mo., for the timely and signal relief that has been afforded us through the firm of Sterling Price & Co., and also to the citizens of the city of Cairo, Ill., and especially D. Hurd and G. D. Williamson for similar benefits, as received at hand of our dear friend and sympathizer, Hon. G. W. Ryan, their appointed agent, with the assurance that the supplies reached us at the most critical period of our suffering—a period when our hearts and hopes had well nigh failed us, because every visible help and helper, like ourselves, seemed nearly, if not quite exhausted.

Resolved 2nd. That we hereby confer to Rev. Dr. Harmon, and Hon. G. W. Ryan, our hearty and sincere thanks for their unremitting vigilance and self sacrificing spirit they have manifested in our behalf, by seeking and obtaining food for us and our children, but for whose efforts we could not conceive how we could have survived until the ulterior proof of the present growing crop.

Resolved 3d. That it is the united, humble and heartfelt prayer of the beneficiaries of the relief referred to above, that the beneficient Creator may richly and mercifully reward each and every contributor and helper in the opportune relief that has come to us and our children.

Resolved 4th. That the Secretary, who is furnishing copies of these resolutions to the Editors of the Enterprise Star and Meridian Gazette, and request that they give the same one insertion in the respective papers, and that they mail a copy of each of their papers containing the same, to the firm of Sterling Price & Co., and the Cairo & S. R. Society, to be placed at their disposal and discretion, that this faint expression of the unutterable gratitude we feel, may be communicated to those who may have contributed to our relief.

On motion, the meeting then adjourned *sine die*.

MRS. M. J. COMBEST, President.

C. A. Huddleston, Sec'y.

As matters now stand, if we can, at any time soon, be permitted to place ourselves in a position so that our influence can be felt, that of will be a matter of no hesitation. Present discontent, especially about settled questions, does not at all look in this direction. Hard as it may be for us to believe or realize it, our only hope is from the government—though not the present administration of it—under which we live, and the more of discontent and disaffection we manifest the further will we be from justice at her hands.—Hazlehoro. Democrat.

The Radical Mayor of St. Louis has been arrested for an ungodly assault on a certain negress of his city. He visited her home in his official capacity, but, was refused admittance. He charged the doorway and vanquished the old woman with his cane.

An expectant bridegroom applied at the military headquarters in Mobile, for the use of the United States band to play at his wedding. The officer in charge of the musicians replied that he did not know about lending the band, but he thought that he could furnish a file of soldiers to fire over the house.

The Cassville (Barry county, Mo.,) Republican of the 17th inst. contains an astonishing and absorbing account of the effect that a little daughter of a Mr. Morris, of that county, had, while playing, accidentally shot and killed a brother of only four years. She said she killed her brother "because he pulled down," and declared "if the other children pulled any more of them she would shoot them too."

The DeKalb, Miss., Flag says Capt. H. B. Cunningham, a good Confederate soldier, lives near Wahalak, in Kemper county. He is the brother-in-law of John A. Logan, who was to have killed the Confederate cause at the right time the proper time, but after helping a good many others on their way backed out, and is now a Radical member of Congress, from Illinois.

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Hickory, July 11th, 1867. tf

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BANKRUPTCY.

We, the undersigned, have been appointed Commissioners by the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Mississippi, to receive and examine the claims of creditors against the estate of Jasper C. Wells, of Lauderdale county, Miss., who has been duly declared a bankrupt on his own petition. We have set apart the first Monday in August, A. D. 1867, at the office of Barry Sharp, in Meridian, Miss., as the time and place for the creditors of said bankrupt to present their claims for examination and allowance.

Given under our hands this 17th day of July, A. D. 1867.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian, Miss., Wednesday, July 7, 1867.

Mail Trains and Mixed.

Mail trains ... down ... 2.32 P. M.
... up ... 6.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.50 P. M.
arrives ... 1.445 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Meridian at 7.20 A. M.
Arrive at Buckatunna ... Enterprise ...
1.45 P. M. ... Collinsville ...
5.33 P. M. ... Artesia ...
7.05 P. M. ... Columbus ...
Arrive at ... 8.45
at ... Buckatunna 11
A. M. Mobile 3.40 P. ... Distance 422
miles; Time 20 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ... 7.50 A. M.
arrive ... 4.30 P. M.
leave Selma ... 10.30 A. M.
arrive ... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ... 7.30 A. M.
arrive ... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 9.10 P. M., arrives at Jackson at 4.30 A. M., reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m., arriving at Meridian at 4.20 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 3.00 p. m., and reaches Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, make quick time and same connections as by leaving Meridian at 7.30 A. M. Passengers leaving at 5.50 P. M., with trains on No. 2, 6, 10, 8, and 4, arriving with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad, and arriving with trains on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Grenada daily at 1.45 a. m. and 8.22 p. m., arriving at Meridian at 6.45 a. m. and 6.45 p. m., making close connections with trains to Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points north.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m., arriving at Grenada at 2 p. m. and 1.30 a. m., making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

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Capt. JAMES W. SUNDERLAND, Sub-Assistant Commissioner, B. R. F. and A. L., in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale.

NEWS.

On Saturday last, James Lynch, a colored minister of the Methodist denomination, by appointment, spoke at the African church in this place. About fifty whites, and three hundred blacks were present. His speech, though decidedly Republican, was moderate and conciliatory, and very respectful to those with whom he differed in opinion. He was very strong and forcible in his advocacy of a convention, explained the matter very clearly to the colored fellow-citizens. Lynch is a man of considerable talent, and is very forcible and pleasant speaker. We would like to see do more to improve the race by dwelling less on politics, and more on the other matters referred to in his speeches. While we dissent from several things that he said, on the whole, his remarks were entertaining, and contained much that was calculated to instruct and benefit the colored people.

It will be seen from his appointments published in another column, that he will speak at Enterprise on Wednesday, and on Thursday at the plantation of Major Sims, in Jasper, and on Friday at Paulding.

The friends of W. W. Shearer, Esq., will be interested to read his advertisement in another column. Mr. Shearer has started on his "own hook," and is rapidly filling up with a splendid assortment of dry goods, groceries, hardware, &c. His house is on Johnson Avenue, below the Gazette Office. Mr. Shearer has formerly been a merchant of the country and in business circles, that will procure him a very extensive patronage. D. C. Smith and John Heffernan are his chief salesmen.

We are under obligations to Capt. Phil. M. Jenkins, of the Lone Star News Depot, Galveston, Texas, for continued favors in the shape of magazines, papers, &c.

The Red Jacket Bitters is no worthless article, for what it claims to be a tonic, purgative, medical preparation, it possesses virtues. The name "Bitters" is too often used to cover a villainous compound of poor whisky and some bitter drug. Do not confound the Red Jacket with this class.

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A little child was run over by a wagon in D. C. Smith, Esq.'s yard, on the night of last Tuesday. We are glad to say that the child has passed the bright and happy stage of life, that died, for children are, after all, the bright side of life, yet we do not know but God is right in removing these little gleams of light ere they buckle on the armor of youth with all its trials and enemies. We must fade away into our mother heaven some day, and probably it is best we should go while we are young. The cares of manhood and womanhood bring joys and sorrows, but any one would rather be a child than a man.

Notice.—I, W. Bryant, do hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mary Bryant.

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Hubbard, Jerome & Co.,
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NEWS.

Several cases of cholera appeared in Memphis on the 1st inst. There was a sudden change in the weather, and the air became very cool. Advanced sheets of the Memphis Appeal say:

The epidemic has not yet reached the alarming proportions that it has in other cities, but the number of cases is daily increasing, and the mortality is very great. Many of the cases are of the most malignant character, and terminate fatally in a few hours. The weather is very favorable to the spread of the disease, being cool and damp, and the thirty thousand dollars and fifty thousand dollars appropriated by the Board of Health for the purpose of relieving any of them save Gen. Sheridan.

The Memphis Avalanche says:

Several cases of cholera have occurred in this city during the past week, and the same disease is prevailing in the country around us. The cases are of a very

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

THE TRUE HEART'S ASPIRATIONS.

I would be thine!
Oh! not to learn the anguish :
Of being first a deity enshrined:
Then, when the fever fit is past, to languish
Stripp'd of each grace that fancy round me twines,
Not such the lot I crave.

I would be thine!
Not in bright summer weather,
A sunny atmosphere of joy to breathe :
But fear and tremble when the storm clouds gather,
And shrink life's unrelenting storm beneath,
Falling when needed most.

I would be thine!
To lose all selfish feeling
In the sole thought of thee, far dearer one!
To study every look thy will revealing,
To make thy voice's ever varying tone
The music of my heart.

I would be thine!
When sickness doth oppress thee,
With love's unwearied vigilance to watch,
Waking—to soothe or caress thee—
Sleeping—to lie in dread each sound to catch
Thy slumbers that might break.

I would be thine!
When vex'd by worldly crosses,
To cheer thee with affection's constant ear :
To stay thee 'neath the burden of the losses,
By showing thee how deeply thou art dear—
Most so in thy distress.

I would be thine!
Gently and unreplying
To bear with thee, when chafed and spirit-worn,
The hasty word, the quick reproach, denying;
But by the soft submission which is born
Of steadfast love alone.

I would be thine!
Not passion's wild emotion
To show thee, fitful as the changing wind :
But, with a still, deep, fervent, life devotion,
To be to thee the help meet God designed—
For this I would be thine!

THE CHURCH CELEBRATION AT ROME.—The New York Herald's cable dispatches say the religious ceremonies at Rome in celebration of the 1800th anniversary of St. Peter's martyrdom and St. Paul's canonization and twenty-five Dutch, French and Spanish martyrs in Japan as saints, was one of the most gorgeous witnessed in the world since the days of King Solomon. The observances commenced with a general illumination of the city. St. Peter's looked like a great church on fire. At the same time there was a grand procession of prelates, priests, monks and soldiers from the Vatican to St. Peter's. The Pope was carried on the throne.

St. Peter's was magnificently decorated with cloths of gold, silver tapestries, paintings and 200,000 yards of crimson silk. The building was lighted with many millions of wax candles. There were one hundred thousand people inside the church, including the ex-King of Naples, foreign ministers, five hundred cardinals and archbishops, many thousand clergymen, priests, monks, nuns and soldiers from all parts of the world were present. The Pope celebrated Gregorian mass in Latin and Greek.

Two interruptions occurred. The curtain on one of the windows took fire, but were promptly extinguished. A man became crazed by the splendor of the scene and cut his throat. The pope at once reconsecrated the church stained with the blood of the suicide. Liszt composed extra music for the grand mass, which was accompanied by the choir at the dome of St. Peter and the firing of cannon from Castle St. Angelo.

HOW NEWSPAPER EDITORS ARE PAID IN PARIS.—Newspaper editors are well paid in Paris. It is affirmed in the journals that M. Clement Duvernois, who was recently one of the writers of the Liberte, and who is about to become editor of the Epoque, is to receive a salary of $4000 a year and an "indemnity on entering on his duties" of $20,000. A carriage is, moreover, to be provided for him. On some of the journals the remuneration is even higher than this; and it is to be remembered that a Paris editor does nothing like the amount of work that is expected in London. In fact the Parisian passes the greater part of his time in smoking cigars and talking; and if he knocks off an article or two a week he thinks himself wonderful industrious.—Sometimes he lets a week pass without writing a line

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CAVALRY FOR MOBILE.—The Montgomery Advertiser says that a cavalry company left that city on the 31st ult., for Mobile, having been assigned to duty at the latter place.

Dr. M. Emanuel, President of the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad, who has been on a visit to Europe, in relation to business of the road, arrived in New York on the 28th ult. His mission has been successful.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION.—The General Convention of Teachers of the State of Mississippi, assembled in the Senate Chamber of the Capitol, on Wednesday, 31st ult. The time and place for the next meeting of the Convention, was fixed at Oxford, on the first Wednesday in August 1868.

Lauderdale county, in this State, must have a rare population. While a committee from one of its towns, (Enterprise,) is at Cairo, Ill., begging corn and meat, and even "worn-out" clothing, for a starving and naked people, the citizens of another of its towns, (Meridian,) get off a Tournament.—Hinds County Gazette.

The editor of the Gazette must be very rusty in Geography, else he would not locate Enterprise in Lauderdale county.

A BIT OF NEWS.—The Vicksburg Republican says the skull of a Union soldier, taken from the battle-field at Ball Run, was on exhibition in the Hill City just before its capitulation in 1863. This will be news to the old Vicksburgers. The writer of this was in Vicksburg at the time referred to by the Republican, but never saw the skull of a Union soldier nor heard of its being on exhibition.

THE VICKSBURG TELEGRAPH.—A circular from T. B. Manlove & Co., announces that the Vicksburg Evening Telegraph will be issued on or about the 15th inst. We enter it upon our exchange list and wish the proprietors success. The Telegraph will, we believe, favor a convention and reconstruction under the present law.

The Mexican filibustering schemes, intended to avenge the death of Maximilian, have not met with success, and appear to have been quietly dropped. Sensible.

Near Sparta, Tennessee, the other day sons of Brownlow's militia had a difficulty with one of their own men named Bill Davis. They say he broketo run, when they shot him, then brought him back and staked him down to the earth, with his hands, feet and head all tied to the ground. He lay in this condition until the next morning, when he was untied, and turning over on his side, died in a few minutes.

Mrs. Sallie Gibson, a widow of Louisville, Ky., committed suicide the other day to escape the pangs of disappointed love.

We have noticed on the Mobile road recently a number of "Fast Freight Line" cars. These cars, it appears, have been built by the company for the new freight line between Louisville and Mobile, lately organized. Freight is taken from Louisville to Mobile and intermediate points without transhipment. Connection is made at Louisville with the Merchants' Dispatch and Star Union fast freight lines for New York and all points East.

At Darien, Conn., a few days since, an aged couple, who had been married sixty-six years, received 81 of their descendants, whose united ages were 2428 years.

Col. Dodge and his Captain, who are charged with administering one hundred lashes to a citizen, and also whipping a private soldier at Fort Sedwick, some weeks ago, are to have their actions inquired into by court-martial.

The Southern Opinion, E. R. Pollard's paper, is a strong advocate of negro suffrage, and of the best way possible in behalf of organization under the laws of Congress. It says: "We can have no substantial prosperity until the State is readmitted into the Union and the military government is superseded."

The Cotton Caterpillar—How to Kill It.

This dreaded scourge has made its appearance in Louisiana and Mississippi, and serious apprehensions are felt for the safety of the crop, as twenty days will suffice for it to destroy the cotton of an entire county. The East being liable to be visited by the worm at any time, we propose to collate the various remedies for its destruction that are now going the rounds of the papers, so that our planting friends may be ready to fight the enemy upon his first appearance. Prof. Wailes, State geologist in 1854, recommended the use of torches at night immediately after the perfect immigo or moth emerges from its puparium or chrisalis state, and flies abroad, it being well known that fire-light attracts insects of this class. If the hands of a plantation were each provided with a torch of pinewood, dried cane, or some similar material, and made to pass through the fields at intervals of five to ten rows apart, shortly after twilight had closed, myriads of the moth would perish in the flame, each of which would have deposited its hundreds of eggs in a few days. Others suggest powdering the leaves of the plant with finely pulverized quicklime, or the fumigation of each separate plant with sulphurous vapor produced by burning brimstone on chafing dishes, each plant being enclosed during the process, in a tight canvass hood. A gentleman in Tensas parish, Louisiana, has tried unslacked ashes, sifted over the plant, with great success. One hand can protect from one to four acres per day. The ashes will have to be applied after every rain, and, it may be, oftner. Another planter on Red river has tried molasses and vinegar, and is fully convinced of its benefits, if not of its entire efficacy. He placed a number of tin plates on stands the height of the cotton throughout the field, about one plate to each acre, filing them with a mixture of vinegar and molasses, and has caught from 15 to 35 flies in each plate every night. An exchange suggests the use of carbolic or phenic acid. This plan, however, Mr. Geo. W. Morse, of Natchitoches, who has been experimenting with the cotton worm for several years, pronounces impracticable. It might, he argues, produce the desired effect, if you can devise any means to touch them with it; but as the young worms are hatched, and remain some days on the *under side* of the leaf, this will be found impracticable, unless, indeed, you catch each one and subject them all to its action, and then you might as well crush them at once. Fires in the field might destroy many of the moths; but whenever they appear in such quantities as to make that plan available, enough eggs would have been already deposited in the leaves to produce worms sufficient to destroy the crop. His plan is for the entire force on each plantation to turn out and crush all the voracious insects and chrysalids that can be found, burning the leaves rolled up; and that the proper time for this is during the stage in their existence when the worms roll themselves up in the leaves of the plant. We have given the different propositions for the destruction of the worm without comment, because we are not prepared to recommend any one of the modes of proceedure enumerated, above another. The farmer must decide for himself which is the most efficacious remedy. Many are trying Prof. Wailes' plan, and on the Hurricane place in Warren county, we notice, with considerable success.

The Republican Congressional Committee have issued a circular appealing for money to give the Republican party control of the State organizations down South. "They cannot control unless money, the sinews of any struggle, is used to aid those who work for that success." Exactly. With all the Loyal Leagues, Army of the Republic organizations, political missionaries and documents and disfranchising enactments, the Radicals doubt their ability to control the colored vote, and want money with which to buy votes, and practice fraud. Our own people will remain in the ascendancy, if they are but true to themselves.

The South Carolina Radical Convention declares the right to put forward a black candidate for Presidential honors. This is a very nice bait with which to catch Sambo's vote. We warn the freedmen to stand clear of these proffered friends. They never intend to cover them with the mantle of power—never expect to give them any office of honor or profit. A few worthless bones will be tossed out occasionally over which the colored people are expected to scramble, while the white friends of the Radical persuasion are crawling into the fat places.

GENERAL HINDMAN.—In a letter to the Little Rock Gazette General Hindman indignantly and emphatically denies that he has ever affiliated with the Radical party. He advises every friend of the South, who is permitted to do so, to register and vote for a convention, and for good men and true as delegates, who will acquiesce in the military bills of Congress, not because these bills are constitutional, just or wise, but because such a course may be sustained by the reasoning which controlled Lee and Johnston when they surrendered to Grant and Sherman. On the general issue the General says:

Following out these views, it seems to me the plain and impurious duty of conservative men at once to organize as a party, throughout the State, and in every district, county and township, for the purpose of resisting radicalism at every step, whether in public debate, or at the road side, or in the cotton and corn rows, or under the cabin roof, whence the poor negroes are decoyed by wolves in sheep's clothing, to secret night meetings and Sabbath day conventicles, with the false threat held over them that they will be punished by fines and imprisonment if they refuse to attend, or to not swear to vote for radical candidates. If boldly met, such party tricksters as these are easily enough defeated, and the negro, notwithstanding his ignorance and credulity, may yet be saved from following radical leaders into a hopeless crusade against a superior race—a contest that will destroy him as certainly as it has destroyed the Indian.

The Old Guard, a New York monthly declares that the only hope of bestring the Republicans in this period of deutiel election is for the Democratic party of the North to refuse resolutely to recognize in the electorial college the votes of States reorganized under the military bills. It calls upon us to do our utmost against reconstruction, unless assured that we can by assisting reconstruction reinforce the opponents of the Republican party. But if the South will not oppose the plain purpose of Congress, and if the Democratic party of the North shall lack the backbone to dispute the title of a President elected by means of votes drawn from Southern "military colonies," then the Old Guard declares that chaos may rule for at least a season," and that the South may be at the mercy of revolutionary mongrels "a little longer." Now this question of the occurrence and duration of chaos and of mongrel domination, is one that peculiarly and vitally concerns the Southern people. It is something worse than impertinence for men at a safe distance from the scene of trouble to tell us that we ought, with joy, to assist in rendering our condition as miserable as possible, for the sake of throwing odium upon one party and improving the prospects of another. Such party tactics may be very profound, but they certainly lack the appearance of being magnanimous.—Crescent.

TROUBLE IN TENNESSEE.—A Bolivar telegram of the 29th says:

Last Saturday a difficulty occurred at Purdy, McNairy county, which resulted seriously. The following are the particulars as far as they can be learned:

Eight or ten negro militia attempted, by force, to make a negro boy speak at a political meeting. This the boy refused to do. Senator John Aldridge (Radical) remostrated with the militia, but failed to induce them to desist. The Sheriff of the county then attempted to use his influence in protecting the boy, when he was fired upon and mortally wounded, being shot through and through.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Our townsman, R. C. Kerr, while attemp ting yesterday morning, to get on a train in motion, near the Railroad Junction, was thrown on the track, and one of his feet so badly crushed as to necessitate amputation.—Clarion.

The little raft Nonpareil, which sailed from New York on the 4th instant has arrived at Southampton, England.

A shocking tragedy occurred at Chillicothe, Ohio, Tuesday evening. A young man named Hunter with three of his friends, were drunk together in a saloon, when they got into a "free fight." Hunter's mother came in to take him out, when he ran out into the street, got a stone, and, throwing it into the crowd, struck his mother on the temple, injuring her so severely that she lived about ten minutes afterward. Hunter is about twenty years old; his mother forty-five. The whole party were arrested and are now in jail.

HERALD LIBEL SUIT.—A New York dispatch of the 22d says: Before the Supreme Court to-day, the case of James F. Cummings against the Herald, consisting of an alleged libel—damages claimed at $200,000, were argued and a decision reserved.—The Herald merely published the charge in a former complaint made in the court by one Poultan, that the plaintiff had swindled the rebel government, under which he occupied a prominent position.

The State of North Carolina offers for sale, through her Governor, on the part of the Board of Literature of the State, all her public swamp lands, consisting of about one million and a half of acres. Some of these lands have been drained, and all are said to be susceptible of drainage at moderate expense. They are particularly adapted for grazing, and are very fertile. The object of selling the land is to secure the development of the State and to sustain the common schools.

Much attention is now being paid in the interior of Louisiana in the propagation of a new grass, called the Bungarian which yields two tons to the acre on bottom lands.

"The Poisoned Hash" is the title of a chapter of Lectures now being published in New York weekly paper. The same article is issued daily at several boarding houses in and out of the Union.

The race for governor is so strong in Chicago that a negro stand for a separation from a white woman will have to be fired, but to whom he had never been married.

For the Meridian Gazette.

LITTLE SORRELL.*
(Stonewall Jackson's Horse.)

Ah! "Little Sorrell!" soon will live in story,
Thy name and deeds renown with Ashby's fame;
Who, nobler steeds disdaining, loved thee well—
Whom thou so oft beat borne, bold shot and shell,
Where duty called him, and where unsought fame
Waited, to crown him with a matchless glory.

Thou art a gentle steed! Quietly feeding,
It seems thou dost forget the shock of battle.
Thy wide, green pasture, lazily wandering over,
Thou hapest not the cannon's roar;
Nor at the onpanion of breaking staff,
Little thou reckest of the dead and bleeding.

Hast thou no memory of thy master's bearing,
When eagerly advising at early morn—
After a few hours stolen for repose—
He vaulted on thy back to meet his foes!
Scent thou not the scrutiliant fires, soot-born,
That lit his eye, reflecting all his daring!

Can'st thou not see him, where the bayonet's gleaming,
In
Of countless foes advancing, charmed his vision?
Then, thundering on, he led thy impetuous charge
On, on, far past the battle's bloody margin
Where victory waited on his sword's decision,
And where the plain with dead was thickest, beneath!

Alas! thou hast no tongue for reminiscence—
The glories of the past are dead to thee.
Content beside the servile ox to graze,
Here will thou spend the remnant of thy days,
Emblem of those thy master fought for free.
And can they, too, forget their past existence?

J. D. A.

* "Little Sorrell," so well known is every soldier of Jackson's command, is still living, in well earned ease, an object of interest to all who love the memory of his illustrious master.

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" " Oriental " "	3 00
" " Water " "	4 00
" " Oil " "	5 00
Drawing " "	2 00
Embroidery—Silk " "	3 00
—French " "	3 00
Incidental fee for day pupils " "	10
" " " boarding pupils " "	20
Boarding, including room, bed, bedding, fuel and lights per month	$20 00
Washing, extra, for one doz. pieces about	1 00

The above terms will be required strictly in advance, monthly for day pupils, and every five months for boarding pupils. And no pupil will be received at the beginning of each month, or at the beginning of each five months, (except those taught gratuitously), without prepayment. In case of protracted illness &c., money will be refunded.

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Aug. 1, 1867 tf

LAUDERDALE COUNTY.

Registration of Voters

The undersigned, Board of Registration for the county of Lauderdale and State of Mississippi, in accordance with an act entitled "An act to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States," passed March 23d, 1867, and the supplementary act thereto, passed July 19th, 1867, will remain 10 days at the following places, and for the purpose of registering voters, pursuant to an act of Congress "to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States":

Meridian,	Saturday, June 15, '67,	remain	10 days.
Marion,	Friday, " 28,	"	5 days.
Lauderdale,	Friday, July 5,	"	5 days.
Lockhart,	Monday, " 15,	"	4 days.
Daleville,	Monday, " 22,	"	3 days.
Martin's Bar,	Thursday, " 25,	"	3 days.
Washington's B.,	Monday, " 29,	"	3 days.
Stonewall,	Friday, Aug. 2,	"	3 days.
Chunkyville,	Monday, " 5,	"	3 days.
Sageville,	Friday, " 9,	"	3 days.
Enterprise,	Monday, " 12,	"	3 days.
Alamouche,	Monday, " 19,	"	3 days.
Wolf Pen,	Monday, " 26,	"	3 days.
Antioch,	Monday, " 26,	"	3 days.

Office hours from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 12 M., and from 4 P. M. to 7.

Citizens generally are respectfully requested to give publicity to this notice. All who are entitled under the act of Congress to vote, are asked to observe the provisions of the act. Ministers of freedmen are requested to facilitate their attendance on the Board. The Board will endeavor to facilitate registration, and is desirable that all classes call at their respective places in their attendance at the places and times specified.

W. L. MATHEY, } Registers.
A. SLOAN, }
S. SMALLY, }

Lauderdale County, Miss., June 7, 1867.

BANKRUPTCY.

We are prepared to file petitions and attend to obtaining discharges under the Bankrupt Law. We have all the NECESSARY BLANKS and forms required.

Petitions filed in the next two weeks, can be acted on by the Register at Meridian the first week in August.

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Rebels and Onts	
Mail trains pass up at	2.28 P. M.
" " down at	5.55 A. M.
Accommodation train " "	4.50 P. M.
" " arrives at	5.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Meridian at 7.30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna at 9.42 A. M. Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 3.05 P. M. Arrive at 5.28 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Columbus 10.5 P. M. Corinth 1.50 A. M. Humboldt 6.30 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10.5 A. M. Nashville 4.30 P. M. 473 miles; time 30 hours and 15 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., at 7.30 P. M. Arrive at Humboldt 5.30 A. M. Corinth 8.30 A. M. Okolona 11 A. M. Artesia 1.35 P. M. Meridian 3.05 P. M. Arrive at 5.28 P. M. Buckatunna 6.45 P. M. Enterprise 8.30 P. M. Distance 111 miles.

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" arrive	4.30 P. M.
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" arrive	4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves	7.00 A. M.
" arrives	4.30 P. M.

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Our readers who visit Mobile, will find the Campbell House on St. Louis Street, at the old Hoper House, one of the most pleasant and comfortable stopping places in Mobile. The fare is excellent, and the charges most moderate. We stopped there recently, and we say what we know when we term it equal to any in Mobile.

HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS.—Rev. J. A. Smylie announces that the next session of this Institution will commence on the second Monday of September, and continue forty weeks. The Institute is now being remodled to meet the demands of our growing city, and will be in thorough repair by the opening day. Mr. Smylie the Principal, is a gentleman of fine attainments and unbounded energy, and will, with a little co-operation from our people, build up a Male Academy here that will be an honor to our country.

MR. W. A. PAYNE has our thanks for a few bends of very fine cabbage.

PERSONAL.—We had a call yesterday from Prof. Thos. S. Gathright, of Summerville Institute, who was just returning from the Teachers' Convention at Jackson.

A negro man broke jail at this place on Thursday night, and made his escape.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick's drug and medicine Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night. Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—A delegation of Alabamans waited on the President last evening, who urged the removal of Gen. Pope, on the ground that his policy was equally as obnoxious as Sheridan's. They would not say what policy would be pursued in the future in regard to the Reconstruction Acts.

Admiral Farragut expects to leave the Navy Yard in a few days for Europe. The exact date has not been determined upon. The Admiral will be accompanied by his family. Preparations are being made to fit up the flagship Franklin for the trip. It has been suggested that the Secretary of State send word to the American Ministers of Spain and Washington to tender the resignations of the Imperialists, in the event of Maximilian, and the reasons which led to the execution of the unfortunate Prince and his generals.

The various members of the Cabinet left Saturday to serve the Republican ticket in Ohio. Secretary Seward will address meetings with Mr. Rosecrans. Everything touched upon in these meetings will be favorable to the Republicans and the Imperialists are charged with the most atrocious and bloody crimes. It is asserted that Gen. Escobedo, Romero, and Castelnuovo, Hidalgo, May 31, 1867, in which General Diaz says:

Gen. Bazine, through a second party, offered to surrender to me the cities which they occupied, and also the Prince Salm Salm, Marquez, Miramon, etc., into my hands, provided I would accede to a proposition which he made to me, and which I rejected, as I deemed it not very honorable

Another proposition was also made me by authority of Bazine for the surrender of six thousand muskets and four cannon of rifled bronze, and if I desired it he would have sold me both muskets and powder, but I declined doing so. The interviews have taken place opened our eyes, and hereafter we should be more cautious in treating with foreign people, particularly with the Emperor of Europe, and especially so with France.

In the Surratt trial to-day, Mr. Merrick resumed and concluded his argument for the defence.

Mr. Bradley will probably make a short address in the jury to-morrow.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 1.—The registration of Louisiana is completed, but it will take several weeks to revise the rolls. Many persons who registered under the Attorney General's opinion will be stricken off. No accurate estimate of the State vote can be made, but no doubt the revised rolls will show a large majority.

The Board of Registration is soliciting the Republican nominations for the offices to be voted for under the orders. The senior members of the Board of Registration are also the senior officers of the Republican party in the State, and the lower which were elected on the Republican ticket. Of the most appointments, two in the upper and three in the lower Board are white; those in the upper and in the lower Board is a pure nigger, and one doubtful; none of the colored appointees being newly enfranchised, but all ten citizens of the State of Louisiana. He says: The reasons for the removal of these persons are to be found in the disordered condition to which they have reduced the city courts, and the efforts they have made and are making to impede the lawful execution of the law of Congress dated March 2d, and the acts supplementary thereto.

ELIZABETH, Aug. 1.—This morning at an early hour the Democratic Ward Club of this city was crowded by about three thousand blacks awaiting the opening of the dance, and that event was alive with others coming to the place appointed for the meeting of the Convention. Several speeches were made when the convention adjourned until to-morrow.

GALVESTON, Aug. 1.—The appointment of Pease as Governor gives satisfaction to the best men of all parties.

There is a steady increase of yellow fever at Houston, and business is unusually dull. Cotton is coming in slowly.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 1 4 P. M.—So far the election has passed quietly, and all there is to fear of a disturbance. Nothing as to the result can be learned.

NASHVILLE, August 1.—The election today was the quietest ever known here. Whites and blacks voted without molestation, and the whole affair rather party was given. At the polls a few parties were arrested for attempting to buy votes and others for carrying concealed weapons.

WASHINGTON, August 2.—Mr. Bradley, counsel for the defence in the Surratt trial, addressed the jury to-day. Pierpont, for the prosecution, closes to-morrow.

The dispatches received from Tennessee indicate that the election yesterday passed off quietly and without violence, as was anticipated. In Memphis a regiment of infantry was stationed so as to be called upon in case of emergency, but it was not necessary. A large vote was polled. Brownlow seeming to have the advantage. The entire Radical Congress, but fall enough to warrant speculations as the result.

CHARLESTON, August 2.—Gen. Sickles has removed the police of the town of Sumpter for alleged maltreatment of blacks, and inefficiency. He appointed two colored and three white man police-men to succeed late incumbents.

OPELOUSAS, August 2.—A. Knoxville dispatch to the Commercial says Brownlow estimates his majority at 30,000. All the eight Congressmen will be Radical and the Radical U. S. Senator instead of Patterson.

CLAY COUNTY, Aug. 2.—There were six interments on the 31st ult. The fever is pronounced epidemic.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 2.—All accounts from Tennessee agree that the State has given a Radical majority of 20,000 for Brownlow and the entire Radical Congress.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 2.—Many negroes have been discharged in consequence of the election. It is said they threaten retaliation. Every thing is quiet so far.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 2.—Cotton sales today, 600 bales; middling 29½ cents; receipts 660 bales; exchange 1 premium. Flour dull and unsettled. Bacon quiet at 13½@13¾c; shoulders 10½@10¾c.

A coquettish vehicle, called the "Excelsior," is now in the streets of Paris, having been introduced there by a Boston lady. There is just room in it for the occupants of one seat.

An amiable manufacturer in Boston died on Monday, from the continuous infusion of the poison into his system during his professional visits to his customers.

Palmer, Kentucky, has a ghost sensation. The departed wife of a man in that town recently made her appearance to one of her neighbors, and told her she had been lamp several times—at least, such is the report of those who declare that they saw the ghost.

Mr. Dumont, who, it will be remembered, was tried over a year ago by a military commission at Savannah, for homicide, and was convicted and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment in a fortress, and was convicted and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment in a fortress, and was convicted and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment in a fortress

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Congressional Reconstruction.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of both Houses concurring,) That the following article be proposed to the Legislatures of the several States as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by three-fourths of said Legislatures, shall be valid as a part of the Constitution, namely:

ARTICLE—Section 1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States, and of the State wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States; Nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of its laws.

Sec. 2. Representatives shall be apportioned among the several States according to the respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each State, excluding Indians not taxed. But when-ever the right to vote at any election for electors of President and Vice President of the United States, Representatives in Congress, executive and judicial officers, or the members of the Legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of such State, being twenty-one years of age, and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in the rebellion or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens twenty-one years of age in that State.

Sec. 3. No person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, elector of President and Vice President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any State, who having previously taken an oath as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; but Congress may, by a vote of two-thirds of each House, remove such disability.

Sec. 4. The validity of the public debt of the United States, authorized by law, including the debts incurred for the payment of pensions and bounties for services in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned, but neither the United States nor any State shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or any claim for the loss or emancipation of any slaves; but all such debts, obligations, and claims shall be held illegal and void.

Sec. 5. The Congress shall have power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this article.

THE MILITARY GOVERNMENT BILL, COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE SHERMAN AMENDMENT BILL OR THE RECONSTRUCTION BILL.

WHEREAS No legal State government or adequate protection for life or property now exists in the rebel States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas, and Texas; and whereas it is necessary that peace and good order should be enforced in said States until loyal and republican State governments can be legally established; therefore,

Sec. 1. That said rebel States shall be divided into military districts and made subject to the military authority of the United States, as hereinafter prescribed, and for that purpose Virginia shall constitute the first district, North Carolina and South Carolina the second district, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi the third district, Mississippi and Arkansas the fourth district, Louisiana the fifth district, and Texas the sixth district. The President shall assign to the command of each of said districts an officer of the army not below the rank of brigadier general, and to detail a sufficient military force to enable him to perform his duties and enforce his authority within the district to which he is assigned.

Sec. 2. That it shall be the duty of each officer assigned as aforesaid to protect all persons in their rights of person and property, to suppress insurrection, disorder, and violence, and to punish or cause to be punished all disturbers of the peace and criminals, and to this end he may allow local civil tribunals to take jurisdiction of and try offenders, or when in his judgment it may be necessary for the trial of offenders, he shall have power to organize military commissions or tribunals for that purpose; and all interference under color of State authority with the exercise of military authority under this act shall be null and void.

Sec. 3. That all persons put under military arrest by virtue of this act shall be tried without unnecessary delay, and no cruel or unusual punishment shall be inflicted; and no sentence of any military commission or tribunal hereby authorized, affecting the life or liberty of any person, shall have any force until it is approved by the officer in command of the district, and the laws and regulations for the trial and punishment of the army shall not be affected by this act, except in so far as they may conflict with its provisions.

Sec. 4. That when the people of any one of the said rebel States shall have formed a constitution of government in conformity with the Constitution of the United States in all respects, framed by a convention of delegates, elected by the male citizens of said State twenty-one years old and upward, of all races and colors, who have been residents in said State for one year previous to the day of such election, except such as may be disfranchised for participation in the rebellion, or for felony at common law; and when such convention shall provide that the elective franchise shall be enjoyed by all such persons as have the qualifications herein stated for electors of delegates; and when such constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the persons voting on the question of ratification who are qualified as electors for delegates, and when such constitution shall have been submitted to Congress for examination and approval, and Congress shall have approved the same; and when said State, by a vote of its Legislature elected under said constitution, shall have adopted the amendment to the Constitution of the United States proposed by the Thirty-ninth Congress, and known as article 14, and when such article shall have become a part of the Constitution of the United States, said State shall be declared entitled to representation in Congress, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom, on their taking the oath prescribed by law, and then and thereafter the preceding sections of this act shall be inoperative.

Provided, That no person excluded from the privilege of holding office by said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, shall be eligible to be a member of the convention to frame a constitution for any of said rebel States, nor shall any such person vote for members of said convention.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That until the people of said rebel States shall be by law admitted to representation in the Congress of the United States any civil government which may exist therein shall be deemed provisional only, and in all respects subject to the paramount authority of the United States at any time to abolish, modify, control, or supersede the same; and in all elections to any office under such provisional government, all persons shall be entitled to vote under the provisions of the fifth section of this act; and no person shall be eligible to any office under any such provisional government, who would be disqualified from holding office under the provisions of the third article of said constitutional amendment.

SUPPLEMENTAL RECONSTRUCTION BILL.

AN ACT supplemental to an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, passed March 2, 1867, and to facilitate restoration.

Be it enacted, &c., That before the first day of September, 1867, the commanding general in each district defined by an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, approved March 2, 1867, shall cause a registration to be made of the male citizens of the United States, 21 years of age and upwards, resident in each county or parish in the State or States included in his district, which registration will include only those persons who are qualified to vote for delegates by the act aforesaid, and who shall take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation:

"I ——, do solemnly swear, or affirm, in the presence of Almighty God, that I am a citizen of the State of ——, that I have resided in said State for —— months, next preceding this day, and now reside in the county of ——, or the parish of —— in said State (if the same may be), that I am 21 years old; that I have not been disfranchised for participation in any rebellion or civil war against the United States, nor for felony committed against the law of any State of the United States; that I will faithfully support the Constitution and obey the laws of the United States, and will to the best of my ability, encourage others to do so. So help me God." Which oath or affirmation may be administered by any registering officer.

Sec. 2. That after the completion of the registration hereby provided for in any State, at such time and place therein as the commanding general shall appoint and direct, of which at least thirty days' public notice shall be given, an election shall be held for delegates to a convention for the purpose of establishing a constitution and government for such State loyal to the Union; said convention in each State, except Virginia, to consist of the same number of members as the most numerous branch of the State Legislature of such State in the year 1860, to be apportioned among the several counties, districts, or parishes of such State by the commanding general, giving to each representation in the ratio of voters registered as aforesaid, as nearly as may be. The convention in Virginia shall consist of the same number of members as shall be apportioned the territory now constituting Virginia in the most numerous branch of the Legislature of said State in the year 1860, to be apportioned among the several districts, counties, or parishes of such State by the commanding general, giving to each representation in the ratio of voters registered as aforesaid, as nearly as may be. The convention in Virginia shall consist of the same number of members as shall be apportioned the territory now constituting Virginia in the most numerous branch of the Legislature of said State in the year 1860, to be apportioned among the several districts, counties, or parishes of such State by the commanding general, giving to each representation in the ratio of voters registered as aforesaid, as nearly as may be. The convention in Virginia shall consist of the same number of members as shall be apportioned the territory now constituting Virginia in the most numerous branch of the Legislature of said State in the year 1860, to be apportioned among the several counties, districts

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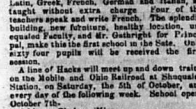

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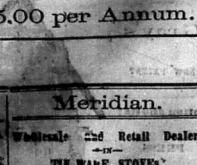

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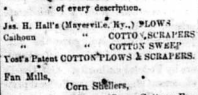

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At this office, Petitions in Bankruptcy, with the accompanying Schedules.

The Registration of Jasper county ceased, till further orders, on the first of this month. The total number registered is 1648—811 whites and 837 blacks.

The National Intelligencer, administration organ, said the other day that should an occasion unfortunately force itself, or be forced upon the President, "in which he must consent to be disobeyed, or supplanted from his constitutional jurisdiction, or else require his commands under the law to be implicitly obeyed, by the power of the army and navy, if necessary, there is, we are satisfied, no authority for saying what line of action the Administration would adopt."

Sea Island Cotton.—Accounts from all parts of the coast indicate that the present season will prove a disastrous one for this important product. Grass is greatly in the ascendant, and the bottom farms lost.

Otho, ex-King of Greece, and half brother of Maximilian's mother is dead.

Gen. Sheridan has appointed town officers for Lake Charles, La. Before entering upon their duties these officers will be required to take, in duplicate, the oath of office prescribed by act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862; one copy to be filled with records of the town corporation, the other to be transmitted to the Governor of the State.

All deeds of whatever kind recorded since the first day of October, 1862, the date at which the internal revenue law in regard to them took effect, are, by act of Congress, rendered invalid and of no effect if not stamped prior to the first of August, 1867. All who are interested in deeds made since the date named should have proper stamps affixed to them. To neglect this important duty may cause much loss.

The Change in New Orleans.—With the exception of F. A. Woolley, of the Board of Aldermen, and Dr. E. Goldman, of the Board of Assistant Aldermen, the entire Common Council of the city of New Orleans has been removed by General Sheridan, and new Boards appointed. The reasons given by Gen. Sheridan for this sweeping change are, that the gentlemen dismissed were not sufficiently attentive to the financial interests of the corporation, that they had reduced the city credit to a low ebb, and had made efforts "to impede the lawful execution of the law of Congress, dated March 2, and the acts supplementary thereto." The Times declares that as a whole the new Common Council are very *common*, and has but little to recommend it to public confidence.

Some months since the New York Herald declared Maj. Jas. F. Cummings, formerly of the Confederate Commissary Department, had swindled the Confederate Government and several citizens of North Carolina and Georgia, "on a scale far beyond the wildest imaginings of ordinary villians." Maj. Cummings has commenced a libel suit against the Herald for this publication laying damages at $200,000. The Maj. was always regarded as a high-toned honorable gentleman by those who knew him and we are satisfied has been greatly damaged by Bennett's unwarranted publication.

In Madison County 3,496 persons have registered—886 whites and 2,610 blacks. This gives a proportion of nearly three blacks to one white voter.

There were only three deaths from cholera in Canton last week. Efficient physicians have kept the disease from assuming a severe form.

Rev. H. W. Lambuth, of the Methodist church, died near Canton on Tuesday night of last week.

The Uniontown Herald says of a gang of horse-thieves arrested at that place some time since ago:

The whole gang of thieves except two, one of the Bains and the poor fool who turned State's evidence, are at large. Four escaped from jail, one some clear because he was not sent after by the proper officers of the county, and three released because the individual from whom each one had stolen a horse refused to pay their expenses to this place for prosecution.

Confederate General Joe Shelby has just returned from Mexico and gone to St. Louis.

Tennessee—Take Warning.

The first day of August, 1867, may be considered historic. On that day the first general negro ballot cast in this country was polled in the State of Tennessee. As was generally expected, the election resulted in the triumph of Brownlow and his party. He has been re-elected Governor by, it is said, a majority of seventeen thousand; the Legislature has been filled with men of the same type and Trumbull, Stokes, Arnell, Maynard Hawkins, Mullens, Munn and Butler, selected for Congressional honors.—This result has been brought about, as the reader is aware, by the disfranchisement of four-fifths of the white population, by the Legislature of the State. The Tennessee election should serve as a warning to the people of the other Southern States. If we permit the State of Mississippi to pass into the hands of "Loyalists" and freedmen we may expect a sweeping proscription. To steer clear of Brownlow rule here, we must battle manfully for a convention and for conservative delegates. If our people stand aloof radicals will slip in, and then comes a constitution similar to that which will always keep the Southern people bound with thongs in Tennessee. Extreme men can only be kept out of office by keeping conservative men in, and as things now stand it will take every man's vote and influence to hold the State in liberal hands.

General Grant and the Presidency.

The Presidential question has already begun to engage the attention of politicians and to affect the conduct of the two great parties into which the people of the United States are divided. The Union Republican General Committee eulogize and nominate Grant, but as said Committee is composed of gentlemen who either voluntarily left or were kicked out of the Radical organization, and cannot control five thousand votes, but little is expected from their action. The Tribune and the World oppose the nomination of General Grant for the Presidency and try to write it down; and the News, without meaning any disparagement to the "eminent representatives of the army and navy," wants some man of acknowledged statesmanship from the civil walks of life. The Herald thinks his success is beyond doubt, and believes he will reconcile all honest differences, pacify the country and destroy the demagogues. His chances for the Presidency are certainly very good, but if the Herald speaks correctly the Republicans of the Sumner type, will never consent to support him. They are the enemies of popular peace and public safety, and oppose every man and every measure looking to the nation's prosperity and the destruction of factions.

The Prison Question.

During the July session of Congress Mr. Eldridge stated, that during the war, the Confederate authorities proposed to return a large number of Federal prisoners to the United States authorities without equivalent, which was flatly denied by Gen. Butler, another member of the House. Butler's denial has drawn forth a letter from Col. Robert Ould, confirming Representative Eldridge's statement—that he (Ould) had offered to give up fifteen thousand prisoners, without any equivalent, to the United States, as the Confederate Government was unable to take care of them properly. the offer was made in August, but the prisoners were not sent for until the December following. During the internal the mortality among the Federal prisoners was very great, and several hundred died whose lives could probably have been saved if they had been taken away when Col. Ould offered to deliver them. He did deliver 13,000, and says he would have delivered the full 15,000 if the Federal transportation had been sufficient. At the same time that Federal ships went to Savannah to receive these prisoners, they brought down 3,000 Confederate prisoners for exchange, and these prisoners, Col. Ould says, "were in as wretched a condition as any detachment of prisoners ever sent from a Confederate prison." "He further says he is pretty certain he can prove the allegations about the delivery of prisoners by Federal authority. Col. Ould's statement shows that the Federal prisoners suffered more from the inhumanity of their own government than from the alleged cruelty of the Confederates. The South was willing to let this subject rest, but since Congress reopened it we hope the whole matter will receive a thorough investigation. The South has everything to gain by such an examination.

The National bank of Unadilla, New York, has failed. Causes, reckless speculation and fast living of the managers. Liabilities, $300,000 to $1,000,000.

How the Tenure Act Works.

The Thirty-Ninth Congress passed what is known as the Civil Tenure Act, which provides that no officer requiring confirmation by the Senate should be removed until his successor had been nominated to and confirmed by the Senate. It was intended on the part of Congress, by the Act, to harrass the President, to acquire control of the offices, and secure to Congress the political advantage of the immense amount of patronage which, under long-established usage, the President has dispensed. So intent was Congress upon depriving the President of power, that it did not look very closely at the effect of its enactments, and the result is that it has not accomplished what it intended. The Cincinnati Commercial informs us that some weeks ago, a special agent of the Postoffice Department reported to the Postmaster General that he had detected frauds perpetrated by the Postmaster at Greensburg, Indiana, and the Postmaster had admitted that his book-entries had been changed, &c. Upon this showing the Postmaster was suspended. When Congress met, the facts were certified to the Senate, and a new Postmaster nominated.—The Senate rejected the nomination, and under the Tenure-of-Office Law, the old Postmaster is reinstated in office. The Postmaster General has notified the reinstated officer of the action of the Senate, and added: "You are respectfully requested as a favor to the Department, to use as little of the money belonging to the Government, and make as few false entries, as possible." This is certainly a pretty state of affairs. The Congress of the United States in order to thwart, harrass, embarrass and humiliate the "man at the other end of the avenue," enact laws that retain swindlers and defaulters in office. In the end right will prevail. The days of partisan legislation must ere long close—draw to an end and forever.

The Crops in Mississippi.

In Panola and vicinity the crops look exceedingly well. Corn is better than it has been for several years, and there is little probability of there being any necessity for importing that article during the coming twelve months. Cotton is flourishing finely, and promises more than an average yield. Corn has received an impetus in Madison county that will secure an abundant harvest. Cotton is somewhat backward, but with continued good weather, that too may come to good maturity, and realize our fondest hopes for abundance. In Yallobusha the corn crop is unusually promising, and in point of maturity beyond any possible contingency.—The same may be said of Carroll, Calhoun, Lafayette and Tallahatchie.—Cotton is more promising than last year. The corn is now out of the way, and cotton gets all the work.—From the neighborhood of Water Valley, the statements are encouraging. The late rains in Holmes have done much damage to cotton, but an average crop is nevertheless expected. In Choctaw the corn looks vigorous, and promises an abundant yield. Cotton looks better than last year. In Sunflower planters are confident of a very good crop of both corn and cotton. Amite has an excellent stand of corn, and will make enough cotton to meet all necessary expenses, and do something towards paying their debts, if the worm does not destroy it. Copiah has better cotton and corn than for several years, but the cotton worm has appeared there. The yield of cotton will be very good in Jefferson, and corn is all that can be expected. Prospects are not very flattering in Marion and Pike, owing to the appearance of the army worm, which has already done much damage. Simpson county has fine crops, and in Hinds, corn equal to the wants of the people of the county has been made. Below Ellis' Cliffs in Adams, the second crop of army worm have appeared and gone to work. There are yet many persons who believe that the crop will not be injured by the worm to any great extent. Others are despondent and express the belief that the crop will be totally destroyed. In our own section, all accounts are favorable. The corn we may say is now made, and the cotton promises well.

Amputated at Last.—We learn that Rev. Mr. Potter, "a hot house" minister who preached here last winter, had the forefinger of his right hand amputated last week. While examining some new converts at prayer meeting to see if they had the right change, his finger was pierced by a little wire in a spiral bosom pin. The wound was but a mere scratch at the time. His blood being bad, the finger did not heal, and at last mortification ensued, and the result is as above stated, with a chance to lose his entire hand. It is to be hoped this style of pins will soon be out of fashion, or two more of the La Crosse clergy will be crippled before long.—La Crosse Democrat.

We find in our exchanges the ritual of the Union League. It would occupy over two columns in the Gazette—more space than we are willing to give to any political humbug of the kind. Here is the obligation, which is all we care to extract:

I, (repeat your name after mine) do solemnly swear, (or affirm) in the presence of God and these witnesses, that I will never voluntarily bear arms against the United States, while I am a citizen thereof; that I will support, protect and defend the constitution and government of the United States and the flag thereof against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I will also defend this State against any invasion, insurrection or rebellion, to the utmost of my ability. This I freely pledge without mental reservation or evasion. Furthermore that I will do all in my power to elect true and reliable Union men and supporters of the government, and none others, to all offices of profit or trust, from the lowest to the highest, in ward, town, county, State and General government. And should I ever be called to fill any office, I will faithfully carry out the objects and principles of this League. And further, that I will protect, aid and defend all worthy members of the U. L; and that I will never make known in my way, to any person or persons not members of the U. L., any of the signs or passwords, proceedings, debates or plans of this or any other U. under this organization, except when engaged in admitting new members into this U. Place your right hand upon the Holy Bible. And with my hand upon the Holy Bible, Declaration of Independence and the constitution of the United States of America, under the seal of my sacred honor, I acknowledge myself firmly bound and pledged to the faithful performance of this solemn obligation. So help me God.

(Response by the members,)

"To this we pledge ourselves."

P. Gentlemen, around you is a band of brothers, alike sacredly pledged. This circle is never to be broken by treachery. (Response by members:) "Never." P. Brothers, you will enlarge your circle to admit new members? (Response:) "We will.) P. Prepare then for accessions to your ranks. P. With closped and uplifted hands repeat after me the

FREEDMAN'S PLEDGE.

To defend and perpetuate freedom and the Union I pledge my life, my fortune and my sacred honor. So help me God.

By special order of Gen. Sheridan the names of William R. Fish, one of the proprietors of the New Orleans Republican, J. Morgan Hall and R. W. Eastlin have been struck from the registration rolls.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW DRUG STORE.

H. IZARD & CO.,

MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.

(Sanford's Old Stand.)

HAVE opened a Drug Store, and solicit a share of the patronage.

We will keep constantly on hand.

DRUGS,
CHEMICALS,
PATENT MEDICINES,
PERFUMERY,
FANCY ARTICLES,
—AND—
All other articles to be found in a
FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE.

All orders from the country promptly attended to, and satisfaction as to price and quality guaranteed.

Dr. HUGH A. LEE, an experienced Chemist and Prescriptionist, can be found at the House, at all hours. Terms Cash.

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DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The firm of HILL, HENDERSON & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the House, are requested to come forward and settle with Mr. J. A. Hill, at once. He will be found at the store of J. T. Mosely & Co., on Front street.

Meridian, August 6, 1867.

STAR STABLE!

MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI,

B. T. RUSH, Proprietor.

HAVING permanently located in Meridian, for the purpose of carrying on the Livery business, I flatter myself that I can give satisfaction.

I can send you further, faster and cheaper than any livery man I know of, (perhaps because I know but few).

Ladies always in attendance on arrival of the train.

Orders left at the Stable for conveyances, will receive prompt attention.

Strict attention paid to feeding Horses.

Stock taken well to, treated for any kind of Disease, at reasonable prices.

Good secure Lots for Droop Stock.

I have a good yard and connected with the Stable.

Thankful for past favors, I ask you to call again.

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REMOVAL.

M. S. STETSON & CO.,

DEALERS IN BOOTS AND SHOES,

AT WHOLESALE ONLY.

N. W. COR. ST. FRANCIS AND WATER STS.,

MOBILE ALABAMA.

(ESTABLISHED IN 1840.)

We have removed to a spacious store located as above, formerly occupied by Moore & Lyons, and more recently by DeVan & Mason.

Having more ample accomodations than heretofore, we shall at all times keep as large a stock and extended a variety of styles as can be found in any Northern or Western House. Our goods are received direct from factories, by sail vessels, at about one fourth of Steamer or Railroad freight, enabling us to offer our stock at a very small advance over manufacturers' prices. The attention of merchants and planters is invited.

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TAPPAN & CO.,

Dealers in

TENNESSEE CHARCOAL IRON,

HOOPED IRON,

Steel, Springs, Axles, Nails, Spikes, and Hook, News and Wrapping Paper.

HUBS, SPOKES, FELLOES,

AND

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF WOOD WORK.

☞ For sale low for Cash.

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MERIDIAN

FEMALE COLLEGE!

FACULTY OF INSTRUCTION.

ELD. J. B. HAMBERLIN, A. M., Principal and Professor of Mental and Moral Philosophy and Ancient Languages.

MRS. S. HAMBERLIN,

Presiding Teacher—Higher English Branches and French.

MRS. ROBERTSON,

Instrumental Music.

MRS. M. J. HARWELL,

Drawing, Painting, Embroidery, &c.

MISS MATTIE A. WALKER,

Preparatory Branches.

Primary Branches.

CHARGES FOR TUITION, &c.

Tuition in Primary Course, per month....	$2 00
Preparatory " "	4 00
Collegiate " "	6 00
Ancient or modern languages, each, in addition, per month.....	1 50
Music on Piano and Guitar, each per month	6 00
Use of Instrument	1 50
Painting in Grecian colors " "	3 00
" " Oriental " "	5 00
" " Water " "	6 00
" " Oil " "	8 00
Drawing " "	2 00
Embroidery—Silk " "	2 00
" —French " "	3 00
Incidental fee for day pupils " "	1 00
" " boarding " "	50
Boarding, including room, bed, bedding, fuel and lights per month	20 00
Washing, extra, for one dos. pieces about	1 00

The above terms will be required strictly in advance, monthly, and every five months for boarding pupils. And no pupil will be received at the beginning of each month, or at the beginning of each five months (except those taught gratuitously), without prepayment. In case of protracted sickness &c., money will be refunded.

Four weeks considered a month.

The cost of Text books will range from $1 to $25 per year.

All property carelessly or willfully injured or destroyed, will be charged.

Boarding can be had with the Principal in a new and elegantly finished dwelling, or with good private families. Pupils will furnish their own towels, napkins, toilet soap, and other toilet articles. Catalogues can be had of the Principal. The third term will open on Monday, Sept. 23, 13-7.

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E. P. ROBSON, D. MAGGARD,
Livingston, Ala. Meridian, Miss.

HOUSTON, MAGGARD & CO.,

(Successors to Greer, Houston & Co.)

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

☞ Orders solicited and promptly filled. Front Street, (Agitown) MERIDIAN, Miss

MERIDIAN HIGH SCHOOL

FOR BOYS.

Rev. J. A. SMYLIE, Principal.

THE next session of this Institution will commence on the Second Monday of September, (the 9th) and continue forty weeks.

TERMS.

Primary Dep't per month of four weeks	$3 00
Secondary " " " "	4 00
Higher " " " "	5 00
Ancient and Modern Languages each in addition, per month	1 50
Daily instructions in vocal music, Board- ing, including room, bed, bedding, fuel, and lights, per month of four weeks.	20 00

Payments strictly in advance, monthly for day pupils, and for boarding pupils, every five months, in advance.

No deductions made for absence, except in case of sickness, at the option of the Principal.

Pupils will be held responsible for any property carelessly or willfully injured by them.

No pains shall be spared to make this school, for efficiency and thoroughness of instruction, equal to the best in the country. aug4-f.

TO GUARD AGAINST CHOLERA USE Red Jacket Bitters

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

The great popularity of the

Charter Oak Cooking Stoves

HAS led some unprincipled Manufacturers to IMITATE the design and name. All those imitations are inferior and daily complaints of Stoves, but so nearly do some of them resemble the original in external appearance as to be easily mistaken for it.

I therefore warn the public that I shall promptly prosecute every person, whether dealer or manufacturer, who shall infringe on my rights by imitating, or using the name or design of the

"Charter Oak"

The original Patent Hot Air Plus Charter Oak Cooking Stove manufactured by the

Excelsior Manufacturing Co.,

St. Louis.

Each Stove has my name and date of Patent on it. All others are limitations and liable to prosecution.

GILES F. FILLEY.

RICE BROS. & CO., New Orleans, La., are sole Agents in the State of Louisiana.

GIVE TONE TO THE SYSTEM WITH Red Jacket Bitters

FARMS FOR ONE DOLLAR

SUBDIVISION OF PLANTATIONS.

CHANCES FOR ALL.

The Southern Asylum Land Company, in addition to their extensive purchase of City Residences and Lots, in which Col. M. C. Gellerson is the resident in Memphis, contributes the cash to several farms, for sale on very easy terms and chances in a scheme that embraces

FARMS FOR THE MILLION.

There is not in this scheme an acre of swamp or wild land, but every farm, or part, or the whole of a cultivated Plantation—each tract is on or within a few miles of a Railway, either on the

Memphis & Charleston, Mississippi Central,

Mobile & Ohio, Meridian & Vicksburg, or

Mississippi & Tennessee R. R.

The several tracts are disposed of at the low- est cash rates, in subdivisions of 40, 80 and 160 acres. Each subdivision constitutes a prize, and each prize

TICKET COSTS ONE DOLLAR.

For a description of the property refer to the new Pamphlet issued by the Company. Copies may be had of the Agents, or will be sent to the winner of the prize.

All land in this scheme is in the State of Mississippi. It is Central Prize within fifteen miles of Memphis, on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

The lands are adapted to the growth of grain, cotton, grasses and vegetables, and the settlement lands, in cold latitudes, at one dollar and a quarter per acre. The average cost of these lands to the Company is

A deduction of 10 per cent. in favor of the citizens. Title to each and all lands. Agents on the ground to show the lands. Lay out

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

All those wishing to emigrate to Hen- dricks, are requested to attend a meeting at the Court House in Meridian, on the Monday in August that being the first day of Circuit Court. The object of the meeting is to appoint committees to visit the lands in question and report the result of their observations.

July 22, 1867.

GRAYS COTTON AND HAY PRESS.

TO PLANTERS.

The latest, and by far the cheapest and most perfect Cotton Screw ever invented. One Man, with the greatest ease, can pack a heavy bale of Cotton.

Gray's

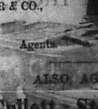
NEW PATENT

Cotton and Hay PRESS.

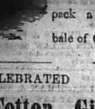
SPEAR & CO., Agents

ALSO AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED

Gullett Steel Brush Cotton Gin.



These Gins which obtained such great celebrity during the few years just previous to the war, are again manufactured by Mr. Gullett, the Patentee, with greatly improved facilities. We can offer this with confidence as the very best Gin made. The steel brush rends the Cotton from the bar brushes and deliv-



ers it through the saw perfectly straight, preserving the very longest staple, and cleans out all dust, motes and trash, thus insuring Cotton to sample as only a higher grade over rens Ginning planed in other gins to any entire cost of gin in case of any injury. Price $5 per Saw. Allows from 45 to 50 Saws.

☞ We have now on hand a supply of the above.

Also:

Leach & Avery's Plows, Isaac Straub's Corn Mills; Engines and Saw Mills, and Machinery generally.

Hoe & Co's. Circular Saws, Leather Belting and Lacing Leather, India Rubber Belting and Packing, Iron Pipes, Hose and Coupling.

Also, a General Assortment of

Tin and Lead Plate, Sheet, Boiler and Bar Iron, Rivets, Nails and Spikes, Brazes and Sheathing Copper and Metal.

Always on hand and for sale by SPEAR & CO., 12 South Commerce Street, Mobile.

F. H. PEPPER. M. FITZGERALD.

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Established 1847.

DIRECT IMPORTERS OF DRY GOODS,

Corner of St. Francis and Joachim Streets,

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Have constantly for sale much

THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTED STOCK OF DRY GOODS

ever offered in this Market.

THESE GOODS HAVE BEEN IMPORTED DIRECT

from the Manufactures of Europe and America, and will be sold as Cheap as by any other House on this Continent.

☞ P. H. Lavender of Greensboro, Ala., is with the above house, and will be pleased to serve his friends. aw1yr

J. J. NICHOLSON & CO.,

On Sydney Street, between Lee and Johnson Avenues.

(At Sanford & Bro's. old stand.)

—DEALERS IN—

DRY GOODS

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GROCERIES.

WOULD call the attention of the public to their house, and an examination of their goods, soliciting a liberal share of patronage, and hoping to give general satisfaction, which if we do not do, we shall fail of our intentions. We do not promise to sell lower than ANY ONE ELSE, nor do we think we will sell higher; but call and see.

June 30 aw3m

DR. N. B. KENNEDY, Meridian, Miss. JOE. GIBBS, Virginia.

KENNEDY & GIBBS,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

AND

Commission Merchants,

and dealers in

NORTH-WESTERN PRODUCE,

CORNER COMMERCE AND HALE STREETS,

MERIDIAN, Miss.

Having bought out Martin, Benton & Co., are prepared to carry on the Grocery business in all its branches.

Orders from the country solicited and promptly filled at the LOWEST CASH PRICES. We charge no commission for filling orders entrusted to our care.

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CONFECTIONERY.

WE have just opened a Fresh Lot of Confectionaries from the best of manufacturers, as prices to suit the times. We recognize the fact of the great scarcity of money, and we are determined to regulate our prices in accordance therewith, and to place our goods within the reach of all.

TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS we offer our Goods at prices as low as they can be had in the Mobile market.

Give us a call and exam ne our articles and prices for yourselves.

HALLORAN & HORWITH,

Front Street, above Masonic Hall,

may2swly MERIDIAN, MISS

Sash, Doors and Blinds.

T. T. SANFORD wishes to inform the public that he has on hand a large lot of Sash, Doors and Blinds, which he will most positively sell at prices to suit the times. You can find a good assortment on hand at any time. Those wishing these articles will do well to call on me at my old stand on Sidney street, Meridian, Miss.

T. T. SANFORD.

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CALHOUN INSTITUTE,

Macon, Noxubee County, Mississippi.

A Chartered High School for Young Ladies.

SEVENTEEN miles south of the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, in a very healthy section—similar to the University of Virginia in mode of instruction and government—with a full corps of teachers and professors, and the most modern improvements and conveniences. Three hundred students can be received in such that new pupils can enter at any time during the term which commences the 1st Monday in October, with a vacation of Monday in August.

Expenses from $200 to $300 for whole term.

W. H. FOSTER, A. M.,

Pres. and Pro. Calhoun Institute.

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W. W. SHEARER

HAVING permanently retired himself from the business of Jobbing and Commission Street, over the ditch, intends to keep a good supply of

STAPLE GOODS

—AND—

GROCERIES,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, &c., &c., &c., &c.,

which he will sell as low as he can afford; and asks his old friends and the public generally to give him a call.

His CLOTHING will be sold for the present at cost, and SADDLES below cost.

He is now running his own machine, and all he asks is a little grease from friends to make it go smooth.

Aug. 1, 1867 ly

J. C. LLOYD, A. E. WHITE, J. HILL, of Miss. of Ala. of Miss.

LLOYD, WHITE & CO.,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS,

GENERAL COMMISSION,

Receiving and Forwarding Merchants,

Front Street, (in the Brick Store,)

MERIDIAN, MISS.

☞ Agents for the Shelby Line Company, which they will furnish in any quantity at Mobile prices.

Those lines have an established character as being equal to the best, are promised in our own Southern country, (Alabama and Mississippi) desire to furnish the whole country convenient to their agency with their articles. The especial attention of dealers is directed to our Agency of the Shelby Line Company.

DR. N. B. KENNEDY, Meridian, Miss. THOS. W. KENNEDY, Sumter Co., Ala

N. B. & T. H. KENNEDY,

Wholesale and Retail Druggists,

CORNER HALE AND SIDNEY STREETS,

MERIDIAN, MISS.

Have for sale, at greatly reduced prices, a large assortment of Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Fine Liquors, Perfumery, Soaps, Flavoring extracts, Dye Stuffs, Paints, Oils, &c.

Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours of the day or night.

Dr. N. B. Kennedy's office is in the Drug store, where he may be consulted at all hours of the day, unless professionally absent.

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R. Y. R. CHADWICK,

DEALER IN

DRUGS, MEDICINES Chemicals,

FANCY SOAP, PERFUMERY, OIL OF GLASS, INK, &c.,

Hair Restoratives, Dyestuffs, Teeth and Nail Brushes, Cigars, Plaiting Reels, Books, Lines, &c.

Also a large Stock of AYRES', SCOVILE & CO.'S Patent Medicines which I am sole agent for.

No. 6 Front Street,

MERIDIAN:.....MISSISSIPPI.

☞ Prescriptions compounded day or night. aug6swly

THE RUBY

Price $1. Issued on 1st Tuesday Annual

MERIDIAN, MISS.

A FIRST CLASS BAR ROOM, where the best of liquors are served. Also, the very best Segars and Tobacco. Call in any style desired.

Open Sunday every day at 11 o'clock.

W. H. SWIZLER.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 3.23 P. M.
" " down at ..... 3.40 P. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.30 P. M.
" " arrives at ..... 8.45 A. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Meridian at ..... 7.20 A. M. Arrive at Enterprise 11.15 A. M.
1.45 P. M. Meridian " Enterprise 5.40 P. M.
5.53 P. M. " " Macon 9.55 P. M.
P. M. Connect at Okolona with Mail Train
473 south.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Enterprise at ..... 12.15 P. M.
Arrive at Meridian ..... 4.30 P. M.
7.50 P. M. Macon " ..... 11.15 P. M.
Leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
M. Enterprise " ..... 4.30 P. M.
A. M. Mobile 3:10 " 273
miles; Time 30 hours.

Selma and Meridian.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" " ..... 4.30 P. M.
Arrive at Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
Leave " ..... 4.30 P. M.
Arrive " ..... 6.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
Arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8:35 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 6 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 2:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, taking this line and same connections by taking trains for Jackson and Canton, Mississippi, will take the train at N. O. & O. & M. Railroad depot at Meridian, Mississippi Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Leave Grenada daily at 1:45 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 8:45 a. m. and 8:40 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad at both points.

Leave Memphis daily at 10:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 5 p. m. and 1:00 a. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

BVT. MAJOR THOMAS H. NORTON,
Assistant Subs Commissioner U. S. A. and A. L., Commanding Post.

1st LIEUT. WILLIAM R. KINGSBURY, 38th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

1st Lieut. THOMAS L. NYE,
Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

CAPT. JAMES W. SUNDERLAND,
Sub Assistant Commissioner U. S. C. F. and A. L. in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale.

Meridian Lodge No. 80—I. O. O. F.

This Lodge meets regularly every Monday night at 8 o'clock. Officers for present term—

H. Y. R. Chadwick, N. G.
E. V. Early, V. G.
C. R. Watson, Sec'y.
W. B. Switzer, Treas'r.
J. L. Duck, P. G.

All brothers in good standing are respectfully invited to attend.

C. W. WATSON, Sec'y.

August 6th, 1867.

Meridian Lodge No 80—I.O.O.F.

Next regular meeting of the Lodge will be held Monday night, August 12th. As there is business of importance upon the minutes to be transacted, a full attendance is requested.

C. R. WATSON, Sec'y.

August 8th, 1867.

The special term of the Circuit Court, of this county, will commence next Monday, at Marion. For the benefit of those interested, we will state that Judge Hancock will not be ready for business on that day, until after dinner.

MERIDIAN FEMALE COLLEGE.—This excellent institution will open Monday, September 2d, with an able faculty of instruction. Under the management of Rev. J. R. Hamboltin, it will, no doubt, continue to enjoy a large patronage.

ANOTHER TOURNAMENT.—We understand a grand Tournament, under the auspices of the Meridian Tournament Club, will come off here about the first of October. The Club is determined to excel on this occasion, anything of the kind ever gotten up in the State. The prizes will be very valuable, and all true knights are invited to come and compete for them.

NEW DRUG STORE.—Attention is invited to the card of H. Hart & Co. who have just opened a new Drug Store, in this place, at Sanford's old dry goods stand, on Sidney steet. The establishment is neatly fixed up, and well supplied with a select stock of drugs, medicines, and in fact, every thing pertaining to that branch of business. The new candidates for public favor solicit a share of the city and country patronage, and guarantee satisfaction. Prescriptions carefully filled by Mr. Lea, an experienced druggist.

Persons indebted to the late firm of Bill, Henderson & Co., are requested to make immediate payment to J. A. Hill, at the Bookstore of Jas. T. Mosley & Co. on Front street.

HOUSTON, MAGGARD CO.—In another column, the advertisement of this new house will be found. Speaking of the firm, the Vicksburg Herald says: As the members are there now so generally known in this town, it is unnecessary to say anything more than that they are prepared to transact any amount of business in their line. We have frequently spoken of the advantages of trading with Meridian, and new that the railroad connection has been completed there our people will no doubt avail themselves of the facilities afforded by the city.

Seven hundred and fifty-two persons have registered at Hot Springs.

NOTICE.—We observe that the sale for which we advertise our farm by mistake, is past. We intend to sell at the same time next year, and continue to do so annually, unless we can sell under the same.

MASON & CO.

MERIDIAN, MISS., August 8, 1867.

Council Proceedings.

Board of Councilmen met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—R. R. Henderson, Mayor; Messrs. Ramsey, Hunt, Hall, Hall, Hall

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Congressional Reconstruction.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of both Houses concurring) That the following article be proposed to the Legislatures of the several States as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States which, when ratified by three-fourths of said Legislatures, shall be valid as a part of the Constitution, namely:

ARTICLE—Section 1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States, and of the State wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States. Nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty, or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of its laws.

Sec. 2. Representatives shall be apportioned among the several States according to the respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each State, excluding Indians not taxed; but whenever the right to vote at any election for electors of President and Vice President of the United States, Representatives in Congress, executive and judicial officers, or the members of the Legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of such State, being twenty-one years of age, and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in the rebellion or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens twenty-one years of age in such State.

Sec. 3. No person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, elector of President and Vice President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any State, who having previously taken an oath as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; but Congress may, by a vote of two-thirds of each House, remove such disability.

Sec. 4. The validity of the public debt of the United States, authorized by law, including the debts incurred for the payment of pensions and bounties for service in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned; but neither the United States nor any State shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or claim for the loss or emancipation of any slaves, but all such debts, obligations, and claims shall be held illegal and void.

Sec. 5. The Congress shall have power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this article.

THE MILITARY GOVERNMENT BILL, COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE SHERMAN-SHELLABARGER BILL, OR THE RECONSTRUCTION BILL.

WHEREAS, No legal State governments or adequate protection for life or property now exist in the rebel States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Florida, Texas and Arkansas; and whereas, it is necessary that peace and good order be enforced in said States until loyal and republican State governments can be legally established; therefore,

Be it enacted, &c., That the said rebel States shall be divided into military districts and made subject to the military authority of the United States, as hereinafter prescribed; and for that purpose Virginia shall constitute the first district, North Carolina and South Carolina the second district, Georgia, Alabama and Florida the third district, Mississippi and Arkansas the fourth district, and Louisiana and Texas the fifth district.

Sec. 2. That it shall be the duty of the President to assign to the command of each of said districts an officer of the army not below the rank of brigadier-general, and to detail a sufficient military force to enable such officer to perform his duties and enforce his authority within the district to which he is assigned.

Sec. 3. That it shall be the duty of each officer assigned as aforesaid to protect all persons in their rights of person and property, to suppress insurrection, disorder and violence, and to punish and cause to be punished all disturbers of the peace and criminals, and to this end he may allow local civil tribunals to take jurisdiction of and try offenders, or, when in his judgment it may be necessary for the trial of offenders, he shall have power to organize military commissions or tribunals for that purpose; and all interference under color of State authority with the exercise of military authority under this act shall be null and void.

Sec. 4. That all persons put under military arrest by virtue of this act, shall be tried without unnecessary delay, and no criminal or unusual punishment shall be inflicted; and no sentence of any military commission or tribunal hereby authorized, affecting the life or liberty of any person, shall be executed until it is approved by the officer in command of the district, and the laws and regulations for the government of the army shall not be affected by this act, except in so far as they may conflict with its provisions.

Sec. 5. That when the people of any one of the said rebel States shall have formed a constitution of government in conformity with the Constitution of the United States in all respects, framed by a convention of delegates, elected by the male citizens of said State twenty-one years old and upward, of whatever race, color, or previous condition, who have been residents in said State for one year previous to the day of such election, except such as may be disfranchised for participation in the rebellion, or for felony at common law; and when such constitution shall provide that the elective franchise shall be enjoyed by all such persons as have the qualifications herein stated for election of delegates; and when such constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the persons voting on the question of ratification who are qualified as electors for delegates, and when such constitution shall have been submitted to Congress for examination and approval, and Congress shall have approved the same, and when said State, by a vote of its Legislature elected under said constitution, shall have adopted the amendment to the Constitution of the United States proposed by the Thirty-ninth Congress, and known as article X, and when such article shall have become a part of the Constitution of the United States, said State shall be declared entitled to representation in Congress, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom, on their taking the oath prescribed by law, and then and thereafter the preceding sections of this act shall be inoperative.

Provided, That no person excluded from the privilege of holding office by said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, shall be eligible to elective as a member of the convention to frame a constitution for any of said rebel States, nor shall any person holding any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any State, which may be created pursuant to this act, be eligible to any office under the provisional government, who would be disqualified from holding office under the provisions of the third article of said constitutional amendment.

SUPPLEMENTAL RECONSTRUCTION BILL.

AN ACT supplemental to an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, passed March 2, 1867, and to facilitate restoration.

Be it enacted, &c., That before the first day of September, 1867, the commanding general in each district defined by an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, approved March 2, 1867, shall cause a registration to be made of the male citizens of the United States, 21 years of age and upwards, resident in each county or parish in the State or States included in his district, which registration will include only those persons who are qualified to vote for delegates by the act aforesaid, and who shall have taken and subscribed the following oath or affirmation:

"I, ——, do solemnly swear, or affirm, in the presence of Almighty God, that I am a citizen of the State of ——; that I have resided in said State for—months next preceding this day, and now reside in the county of ——, or the parish of ——, in said State, as the case may be; that I am 21 years old; that I have not been disfranchised for participation in any rebellion or civil war against the United States, nor for felony committed against the laws of any State of the United States; that I have never been a member of any State legislature, nor held any executive or judicial office in any State, and afterwards engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof; that I have never taken an oath as a member of Congress of the United States, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, and afterwards engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; that I will faithfully support the Constitution and obey the laws of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, encourage others to do so. So help me God." Which oath or affirmation may be administered by any registering officer.

Sec. 2. That after the completion of the registration hereby required in any State, at such time and place therein as the commanding general shall appoint and direct, of which at least fifty days' public notice shall be given, an election shall be held for delegates to a convention for the purpose of establishing a constitution and civil government for such State loyal to the Union; said convention in each State, except Virginia, to consist of the same number of members as the most numerous branch of the State Legislature of such State in the year 1860, the basis of apportionment among the several districts, counties, or parishes of such State by the commanding general, giving to each representation in the ratio of voters registered as aforesaid, as nearly as may be. The convention in Virginia shall consist of the same number of members as represented the territory now constituting Virginia in the most numerous branch of the Legislature of said State in the year 1860, to be apportioned as aforesaid.

Sec. 3. That at said election the registered voters of each State shall vote for or against a convention to form a constitution therefor under this act. Those voting in favor of such a convention shall have written or printed on their ballots by which they vote for delegates, as aforesaid, the words "for a convention." The persons entitled to superintend said election, and to make return of the votes given thereat, as herein provided, shall count and make return of the votes cast for and against a convention; and the commanding general, to whom the same shall have been returned, shall ascertain and declare the total vote in each State for and against a convention. If a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a convention, then such convention shall be held, as hereinafter provided; but if a majority of such votes be against a convention, then no such convention shall be held under this act: *Provided*, That such convention shall not be held unless a majority of all such registered voters shall have voted on the question of holding such convention.

Sec. 4. That the commanding general of each district shall appoint such loyal officers or persons as may be necessary, not exceeding three in each election district, in any State, to make and complete the registration, superintend the election, and make return to him of the votes, list of voters and of the persons elected as delegates, and said commanding general shall call such election; and upon receiving said returns he shall open the same, ascertain the persons elected as delegates according to the returns of the officers who conducted said election, and make proclamation thereof; and if a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a convention, the commanding general, within sixty days from the date of election, shall notify the delegates to assemble in convention at a time and place to be mentioned in the notification, and such convention, when organized, shall proceed to frame a constitution and civil government according to the provisions of this act, and the act to which it is supplementary; and when the same shall have been completed, said convention shall submit it to the convention for ratification by the persons registered under the provisions of this act, at an election to be conducted by the officers, or persons appointed by the commanding general as hereinbefore provided, and to be held after the expiration of thirty days from the date of notice thereof to be given by said convention, and the returns thereof shall be made to the commanding general of the district.

Sec. 5. That if, according to said returns, the Constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the votes of the registered electors qualified as herein prescribed, cast at said election, at least one-half of such registered voters voting upon the question of such ratification, the President of the Convention shall transmit a copy of the same, duly certified, to the President of the United States, who shall transmit the same to Congress, if then in session, and if not in session, then immediately upon its next assembling; and the State shall, moreover, appear to Congress that the election was one at which all the registered and qualified electors in the State had an opportunity to vote freely and without restraint, fear, or the influence of armed force, and Congress shall declare that such Constitution meets the approval of a majority of the qualified electors in the State, and if the said Constitution shall be declared by Congress to be in conformity with the provisions of the act to which this is supplementary, and the other provisions of this said act shall have been complied with, and the said Constitution shall be approved by Congress, the State shall be declared entitled to representation, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom on their taking the oath prescribed by law, and then and thereafter the preceding sections of this act shall be inoperative.

Provided, That no person excluded from the privilege of holding office by said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, shall be eligible to elective as a member of the convention to frame a constitution for any of said rebel States, nor shall any such person vote for members of such convention.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That until the people of said rebel States shall be by law admitted to representation in the Congress of the United States any civil government which may exist therein shall be deemed provisional only, and in all respects subject to the paramount authority of the United States at any time to abolish, modify, control, or supersede the same; and in all elections to any office under such provisional governments, all persons shall be entitled to vote under the provisions of the fifth section of this act; and no person shall be eligible to any office under any such provisional government, who would be disqualified from holding office under the provisions of the third article of said constitutional amendment.

SUPPLEMENTAL RECONSTRUCTION BILL.

AN ACT supplemental to an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, passed March 2, 1867, and to facilitate restoration.

Be it enacted, &c., That before the first day of September, 1867, the commanding general in each district defined by an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, approved March 2, 1867, shall cause a registration to be made of the male citizens of the United States, 21 years of age and upwards, resident in each county or parish in the State or States included in his district, which registration will include only those persons who are qualified to vote for delegates by the act aforesaid, and who shall have taken and subscribed the following oath or affirmation:

"I, ——, do solemnly swear, or affirm, in the presence of Almighty God, that I am a citizen of the State of ——; that I have resided in said State for—months next preceding this day, and now reside in the county of ——, or the parish of ——, in said State, as the case may be; that I am 21 years old; that I have not been disfranchised for participation in any rebellion or civil war against the United States, nor for felony committed against the laws of any State of the United States; that I have never been a member of any State legislature, nor held any executive or judicial office in any State, and afterwards engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof; that I will faithfully support the Constitution and obey the laws of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, encourage others to do so. So help me God." Which oath or affirmation may be administered by any registering officer.

Sec. 2. That after the completion of the registration hereby required in any State, at such time and place therein as the commanding general shall appoint and direct, of which at least fifty days' public notice shall be given, an election shall be held for delegates to a convention for the purpose of establishing a constitution and civil government for such State loyal to the Union; said convention in each State, except Virginia, to consist of the same number of members as the most numerous branch of the State Legislature of such State in the year 1860, the basis of apportionment among the several districts, counties, or parishes of such State by the commanding general, giving to each representation in the ratio of voters registered as aforesaid, as nearly as may be. The convention in Virginia shall consist of the same number of members as represented the territory now constituting Virginia in the most numerous branch of the Legislature of said State in the year 1860, to be apportioned as aforesaid.

Sec. 3. That at said election the registered voters of each State shall vote for or against a convention to form a constitution therefor under this act. Those voting in favor of such a convention shall have written or printed on the ballots by which they vote for delegates, as aforesaid, the words "for a convention." The persons entitled to superintend said election, and to make return of the votes given thereat, as herein provided, shall count and make return of the votes cast for and against a convention; and the commanding general, to whom the same shall have been returned, shall ascertain and declare the total vote in each State for and against a convention. If a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a convention, then such convention shall be held, as hereinafter provided; but if a majority of such votes be against a convention, then no such convention shall be held under this act: *Provided*, That such convention shall not be held unless a majority of all such registered voters shall have voted on the question of holding such convention.

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Sec. 5. That if, according to said returns, the Constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the votes of the registered electors qualified as herein prescribed, cast at said election, at least one-half of such registered voters voting upon the question of such ratification, the President of the Convention shall transmit a copy of the same, duly certified, to the President of the United States, who shall transmit the same to Congress, if then in session, and if not in session, then immediately upon its next assembling; and the State shall, moreover, appear to Congress that the election was one at which all the registered and qualified electors in the State had an opportunity to vote freely and without restraint, fear, or the influence of armed force, and Congress shall declare that such Constitution meets the approval of a majority of the qualified electors in the State, and if the said Constitution shall be declared by Congress to be in conformity with the provisions of the act to which this is supplementary, and the other provisions of this said act shall have been complied with, and the said Constitution shall be approved by Congress, the State shall be declared entitled to representation, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom on their taking the oath prescribed by law, and then and thereafter the preceding sections of this act shall be inoperative.

Provided, That no person excluded from the privilege of holding office by said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, shall be eligible to elective as a member of the convention to frame a constitution for any of said rebel States, nor shall any such person vote for members of such convention.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That until the people of said rebel States shall be by law admitted to representation in the Congress of the United States any civil government which may exist therein shall be deemed provisional only, and in all respects subject to the paramount authority of the United States at any time to abolish, modify, control, or supersede the same; and in all elections to any office under such provisional governments, all persons shall be entitled to vote under the provisions of the fifth section of this act; and no person shall be eligible to any office under any such provisional government, who would be disqualified from holding office under the provisions of the third article of said constitutional amendment.

Sec. 7. That all expenses incurred by the commanding generals, or by virtue of any orders issued or appointments made by them under or by virtue of this act, shall be paid out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 8. That the Convention for each State shall prescribe the fees, salary, and compensation to be paid to all delegates and other officers, and to pay the same, authorized or necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this act, not herein otherwise provided for; and shall provide for the levy and collection of such taxes on the property in such State as may be necessary to defray the same.

Sec. 9. That the word "article" in the sixth section of the act to which this is supplementary, shall be construed to mean "section."

THE NEW RECONSTRUCTION, OR EXPLANATORY BILL PASSED JULY, 1867.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That it is hereby declared to have been the true intent and meaning of the act of the 2d day of March, 1867, entitled, "An act to provide for the more efficient Government of the Rebel States," and of the act, supplementary thereto, passed on the 23d day of March, in the year 1867, that the governments then existing in the rebel States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Florida, Texas and Arkansas, were not legal State Governments; if continued were to be continued subject in all respects to the military commanders of the respective districts, and to the paramount authority of Congress.

Sec. 2. That the commander of any district named in the said act shall have the power, subject to the disapproval of the General of the Army of the United States, to suspend or remove from office, or from the performance of official duties and the exercise of official powers, any officer, or person holding or exercising, or professing to hold or exercise any civil or military office, or duty in such district under any power, election, appointment or authority derived from, or granted by, or claimed under any so-called State or the government thereof, or any municipal or other division thereof; and upon such suspension or removal such commander is subject to the disapproval of the general as aforesaid; shall have power to provide from time to time for the performance of the said duties of such officer or person so suspended or removed by the detail of some competent officer or soldier of the army, or by the appointment of some other person to perform the same, and to fill vacancies occasioned by death, resignation or otherwise.

Sec. 3. That the General of the army of the United States shall be invested with all the powers of suspension, removal, appointments and detail granted in the preceding section to District Commanders.

Sec. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the acts of the officers of the army, already done, in removing in said districts persons exercising the functions of civil officers, and appointing others in their stead, are hereby confirmed; *provided*: That any person heretofore or hereafter appointed by any district commander to exercise the functions of any civil office may be removed, either by the military officer in command of the district, or by the General of the army; and it shall be the duty of such commander to remove from office, as aforesaid, all persons who are disloyal to the government of the United States, or who use their official influence in any manner, to hinder, delay, prevent or obstruct the due and proper administration of this act, and the acts to which this is supplementary.

Sec. 5. That the Boards of Registration provided for in the act entitled an act supplementary to an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States," passed March 23, 1867, and to facilitate registration, passed March 23d, '67, shall have power, and it shall be their duty, before allowing the registration of any person, to ascertain, upon such fact or information as they can obtain, whether such person is entitled to be registered under said act, and the oath required by said act shall not be conclusive on such question, and no person shall be registered unless such board shall decide that he is entitled thereto; and such board shall also have power to examine under oath to be administered by any member of such board, any one touching the qualifications of an person claiming registration. But in every case of a refusal by the board to register an applicant, and in every case of striking his name from the list as hereinafter provided, the board shall make a note or memorandum which shall be returned with the registration list to the Commanding General of the District, setting forth the grounds of such refusal or such striking from the list. Provided that no person shall be disqualified as a member of any board of registration by reason of race or color.

Sec. 6. That the true intent and meaning of the oath prescribed in the said supplementary act is, among other things, that no person who has been a member of the Legislature of any State, or who has held any executive or judicial office in any State, whether he has taken an oath to support the Constitution of the United States or not, and who has afterwards taken any oath to support the Constitution of the United States, or any State, and who has given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof, is entitled to be registered or to vote under the words executive or judicial office in any State in said oath mentioned shall be construed to mean any office the incumbent of which by law for the administration of any general law of a State, or for the administration of justice.

Sec. 7. That the time for completing the original registration provided for in said act, and in the directions of the commander of any district, be extended to the first day of October, 1867, and the Boards of Registration hereby have power to add to the list, commencing fourteen days prior to any election under said act, and upon reasonable public notice of the time and place thereof, to revise for a period of five days the registration lists, and upon being satisfied that any person not entitled thereto has been registered, to strike the name of such person from the lists, and such person shall not be allowed to register, the names of all persons who at that time possess the qualifications required by said act, to have been duly registered, and no person shall at any time be entitled to be registered, or to vote by reason of the possession by such person of, or any act or thing which without such pardon or amnesty would disqualify him from registration or voting.

Sec. 8. That section 4 of said last named act, shall be construed to authorize the commanding general assigned thereto, whenever he shall deem it needful, to remove any member of any board of registration, and to appoint another in his stead, and to fill any vacancy in such board.

Sec. 9. That all members of said boards of registration, and all persons hereafter detailed or appointed to office under said military districts, under any so called State or municipal authority, or by detail or appointment of the district commanders, shall be required to take and to subscribe the oath of office prescribed by law for officers of the United States.

Sec. 10. That no person, whether a member of the board of registration, or any of the officers, clerks or assistants thereof, shall be entitled to any fee or pay whatever for any service performed by him under any pretense or claim of right.

Sec. 11. That all the provisions of the said act, to which this is supplementary, shall be construed liberally to the end that the intent and purposes thereof may be fully and practically carried out.

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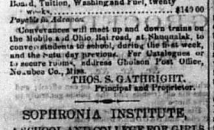

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FOR SALE

At this office, Petitions in Bankruptcy, with the accompanying Schedules.

Robert Toombs' letter to the Andrew Long Democracy, of Ohio, is being pretty roughly handled by the prints of that section. He sal', it will be remembered the first Kentucky resolution contains the principles of my whole life." "I will take immediate measures to organize the State of Georgia on that basis, and will urge the true men of the so-called ten rebel States to fall into line. I will leave home to-morrow with the view of beginning the organization in Georgia." "I regret nothing in the past but the dead and the failure, and I an to-day ready to use the best means I can command to establish the principles for which I fought." Mr. Toombs will experience much trouble in his undertaking. Slavery can never be established in this country, and the people are unwilling to make another vast sacrifice in experimenting upon any political issue determined by the war.

The prospect of the "man and brother" going to Congress from some of the Southern States, is beginning to bewilder the republicans of the North. Bennett thinks the spectacle will be one which will so disgust the people, that action against Black Republicanism ere long will be the inevitable result. The Times has no doubt but that young Africa will be on hand with his credentials at the next session, and he (the editor) does not see how the gentlemen with black complexion and kinky brain will be kept out. So the republicans are already "casting about" for means, by which the negro can be set aside. This is what we have been arguing all along. Sambo will do very well to vote radical into office, but he must not attempt to go there himself. It was only the other day we were reading that a resolution in favor of the black man for Vice President, was voted down in the South Carolina Radical Convention, sitting at Columbia. The negro will get an occasional crumb—no more.

Nine disbursing officers of the Freedman's Bureau—all but one—have been mustered out of office, by order of the President. Large reductions in the force of the Bureau, will probably be made soon as the other district commanders are believed to be able to attend to most of the business of the Institution.

The London Economist, very high authority, argues that up to the present time the national banks in this country have had every thing in their favor. They have run up their circulation from twenty-five to seventy-five millions sterling, and prices have been rising. They have now reached the limit to which they can issue notes, and the process of reaction has set in, which, by slow stages and after a considerable interval, will render cash payments again possible.

Capt R. C. Slaughter, late Chief Engineer of the Vicksburg and Shreveport Railroad, died in Port Gibson last week. He was a gentleman in the truest sense of the term, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

A couple of the Texas papers, Flakes' Bulletin and the Houston Telegraph, are discussing the question of selling the public lands of the State to the Federal Government. Flake proposes to sell the public domain for forty cents per acre and apply the proceeds to educating the children of the State, white and black, and to the interest of emigration, while the Telegraph proposes to sell at 25cts. per acre and apply the money arising from the sale to Railroad purposes. Some of them think it should be appropriated for the freedmen.

The army worm has made its appearance in the prairie region of Clarke and Wayne counties, in large numbers, and have commenced its work of destruction to the cotton crops.

JEFFERSON DAVIS IN VERMONT.—Mr. Davis visited Stanstead, Vermont, last week, and was the guest of Hon. T. Lee Terrill. Fred. Terrill, Esq., brought him from Sherbrooke, in a very quiet manner, professedly to see the country and to consult in regard to an investment in the gold mines of Bailey.

The following notice of our clever friend Chas. A. Smith, District Attorney, is from the Entetprise Star. His numerous friends in this section, will be glad to hear that he is recovering:

We are happy in meeting our old friend Chas. A. Smith, Esq., Attorney of this District, and to hear that his health, which has been so long impaired by Rheumatism, is improving although very slowly. We hope Mr. Smith will soon entirely recover, and be himself again.

A BOY KILLED UNDER CHASTISEMENT BY HIS FATHER.—On Saturday evening a son of Andrew Jackson, of Cumberland, N. J., was charged by his mother with stealing twenty-five cents, and the father on chastising him, the cane broke the second blow when the boy sank down and almost immediately expired. They boy was but nine years old.

THE TRAITOR LOPEZ.—The Ranchero of the 20th says: Col. Miguel Lopez, the traitor, after selling Maximilian and his Generals, went to Puebla to visit his wife. His reception was decidedly cold. His wife advanced to meet him, leading their little son by the hand, and addressed him thus: "Sir, here is your son; we cannot cut him in two, take him. You are a base coward and traitor. You have betrayed your country and your benefactor. From this hour we are strangers, for I shall this day retire to my family. Go."

TAXES ON TOBACCONISTS.—According to a recent decision of the commissioner of internal revenue, manufacturers of all kinds of tobacco, costing over a dollar in value, except those operated by public or private contributions or donations, and the surviving of the Union soldiers who have fallen in battle, are subject to a tax at the rate of five per cent. ad valorem.

Emigration from the South.

The letters we read in the public prints from Brazil are not very encouraging.—Many of the people are suffering for the common wants of life. They have found out to their sorrow, that it is better to share the evils which press upon their own country, than to seek political rights elsewhere, and to cast their lot among strangers. If they go there with money all their wants are supplied, but compelled to accept the tempting offer of a government ticket, there is nothing better, very often, than laboring side by side, with the lazy, ignorant, half fed slaves. On the back of the ticket is printed in Portuguese the agreement of the party not to leave the empire without refunding that passage money, and this ticket is retained by the government as a pass port. Mr. Campbell, of Choctaw County, Alabama, writing from Campinas, says there "are too sides to nearly everything, and men here have been writing to the United States, and have shown up the bright side of the picture in glowing colors. The other side, however, has been left blank, or at least a great portion of it. They claim, of course, that their accounts are true, but to say the least some letters have been highly colored, and I think very extravagant on one side, while they play mum on the other. You have seen in the papers and heard a great deal of the beauty of the country—unequaled scenery, wild blooms dotting the entire landscape, and in fact, after crossing the Brazilian range of mountains, that it was almost a paradise, &c. But if this is a representation of that goodly land, I never wish to enter its blissful portals, and those who are here, have made their happiness complete by reaching this the promised rebel land, I do not envy them their lot. But their wants are more easily satisfied than my own, and I must say that we differ widely in our opinions." His advice is to stay here and do the best we can. A letter in the Memphis Bulletin from Buenos Ayres says, says the emigrants there are poor, helpless, deceived, and are witnesses of the folly of leaving the United States for any country under the sun. Deceived by rumors of various kinds, and finally enlisted in the army is the fate of many a poor fellow. That Brazilian scheme (swindle), ought to be exposed. The accounts from that little strip of country, known as British Honduras, are equally unfavorable. In Belize much is seen that is calculated to make a good impression, but from away in the interior, where man never before thought of settling, far from civilization and refinement, letters come bearing a cold and desolate tone. Our own opinion all along, has been that there is nothing to be gained by an exchange of countries. In a few years we will surmount the difficulties which now environ us at home, and then the South will pick greater riches than can be found in any of the rugged provinces of the old world.

The Kentucky Election.

Kentucky, the home in happier days of many illustrious men, has gone again the dominant party, by a majority almost without precedent in the State. The result is a Democratic triumph, by a majority variously estimated at 45,000 to 60,000. Louisville city and the county of Jefferson have elected their entire legislative ticket—twelve in number. It is believed that the Democrats in the State have elected seven-eights of the Legislature. In Louisville the Radical and third party men made a very poor rally. Orth, the Democratic candidate for Governor, beating both his opponents by about 3,300 majority.

Crop Intelligence.

In our last issue we gave a short synopsis of the condition of crops in this State gathered from our exchanges. In nearly every other State the crops, we are glad to see, are generally good, and will be amply sufficient for home consumption.—The wheat crop also yielded largely in Virginia, Tennessee and Georgia and has turned out well wherever planted in other Southern States. The wheat crop is now harvested, and has relieved from suffering thousands both white and black, in the States of South Carolina and Georgia, which States have suffered severely for the want of breadstuffs thus far during the year. In Alabama grain and corn are most plentiful and cotton is doing very well. Corn promises well in Maryland and of wheat there will be a fair crop.—Arkansas has such a corn crop as is rarely paralleled. Cotton prospects are brightening.

FIRST CONVENTION OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.—The following list of members of the Convention which formed the Constitution of the State in 1817, will be interesting to our readers:

Adams county—Isaiah Simpson. James C. Wilkins, John Taylor. Christopher Rankin. Edward Turner, Joseph Sessions, Jno. Steele.

Jefferson county—Cowles Mead. Henry Kiah J. Balch, Joseph E. Davis, George W. King.

Marion county—John Ford, Dougal M'Laughlin.

Hancock county—Noel Jourdan, Amos Burnett.

Wayne county—James Patton, Clinch Gray.

Green county—Laughlin McKay, John M'Rea.

Jackson county—John M'Leod, Thomas Bilbo.

Lawrence county—Harmon Runnels.

Claiborne county—Walter Leake, Thos. Barnes, Daniel Burnett, Joshua G. Clark.

Warren county—Gerard D. Lewis, Andrew Glass.

Franklin county—James Knox.

Wilkinson county—George Poindexter, Daniel Williams, Abraham M. Scott, John Poor, Gerard C. Brandon.

Amite county—Henry Hanna, Thomas Batchelor, John Burton, Thomas Torrence, Angus Wilkinson, William Lattimore.

Pike county—David Dickson, William J. Minton, James Y. M'Nabb.

Louis Winston, Secretary.

THE HEALTH OF NEW ORLEANS.—The number of deaths which have occurred in this city during the week ending on Saturday morning, the 3rd inst., was 267, being less than the number in the previous week. Of these 6 died from yellow fever and 5 from Cholera-Dreadful.

A terrible famine is prevailing in the west of Ireland.

Thousands of the poor people have already died from want of food. It is literally starving to death. Here is a chance for sinking Ireland better than ever extended by any Fenian subscription agent or lieutenant-general.

Meridian Manufacturing Company.

The following note shows that there is still some prospect of establishing a manufactory at this place. We hope the company will go actively to work, and get the enterprise under way:

OFFICE OF THE MERIDIAN MAN'G. CO.,
Meridian, August 6, 1867.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—Will you please announce through your columns, that this Company have organized under the charter granted by the Legislature. At the last meeting they passed a resolution in regard to the Land Agent, as follows:

That the Land Agent of this Company be instructed to proceed, without delay and have the lands subscribed perfected, (when not done,) to have the valuations satisfactorily made of the lands, and the deed properly signed and recorded, with accompanying plats and descriptions of it as to quality, location, the amount cleared and uncleared. They will receive information from me further by writing to me.

L. S. O. G. GREER,
President.

Jno. T. Ball, Secy.

NEWS ITEMS.

The President of the Cuba and Florida Telegraph Company is General William F. Smith, widely known as "Baldy." He has gone to Cuba to superintend operations and expects to have the line working very soon.

Little girls believe in the man in the moon—big girls believe in a man in a honey-moon.

Why is a man ascending Vesuvius like an Irishman trying to kiss a pretty girl? Because he is trying to get at the crater's mouth

The new colored policemen of Mobile have a habit of sleeping at their posts. One of them was found by the Sergeant, who wrenched his club out of his hand before he could wake him. He was fined $10.

Radicalism is sweeping everything before it. Day before yesterday it carried twenty-one of the twenty-two members of the New Orleans City Council. The only unwilling agency it had in the work was a "special order" from Gen. Sheridan.

It was rumored in New York a few days since that General Logan was about to proceed to San Francisco to take possession of a section of Lower California, which was sold some time since to the United States by the Mexican Generals. The deal is to be accompanied by a large force of miners, to work in silver mines owned by a company of which Gen. Butler is said to be a director.

The managers of the Society for the Suppressing of Gambling in New York have begun prosecuting against lottery-policy dealers.

The Connecticut House of Representatives has passed a bill to tax incomes derived from Government bonds. A motion to reconsider failed.

"Grant Clubs" are forming in New York and Brooklyn to aid in the election of the General to the Presidency.

A New York paper thinks of starting a dog-fight column as a matter of justice to dogs.

A New York preacher advertises his place of worship as "the coolest hall in the city."

Henry Ward Beecher has been nominated for Presi lent by the Troy (N. Y.) Times.

The Mexicans are beginning to talk about a general amnesty, excepting certain doomed officials. Santa Anna is detained in prison. Juarez is to be the next President, or if he is not, it is said he will be sent as Minister to Washington. We do not want him.

The following is the amount of available funds in the Treasury of the United States: Currency, $61,626,676; gold, $102,965,174; of which $10,476,969 is in gold certificates.

The Chicago Fenians met on Thursday evening and talked about another invasion of Canada.

In reference to the Iron Mountain Railroad the St. Louis Dispatch says: A section of seventeen miles is under contract, to be finished in November, and thirty miles more will be finished in January, and the whole line to Belmont will, it is thought, be completed in two years—giving to St. Louis a route to the South, open all the year, and destined to be of incalculable value.

A woman was brought before the Police Court in Cleveland Ohio, a few days since for drunkenness, she wore jewels estimated to be worth $5,000.

Another cyclone visited Cuyahoga in Ohio, near Kenton. Two little girls were trying to kindle a fire with that dangerous fluid. Both dead.

The Mobile Register says: We learn that Gov. Patton has returned from Washington, and during his absence has succeeded in a satisfactory arrangement for the extension of the State debt and renewal of the $75,000 bonds of last year, maturing this month. Every effort and efforts in behalf of the public interests and credit, are worthy of commendation and prove his zeal and ability. We had preliminary that the attorney general has rendered a decision exempting the issue of State bonds from taxation.

A Canadian commission is in session in New York, taking evidence in behalf of the United State in a suit against Jacob Thompson, in Chancery in Toronto, to recover the rebel privateer Georgian intended by Thomas to depredate on the lakes during the rebellion.

At Cincinnati, on Saturday, the foundry of Charles Kilgour on third street, was destroyed by fire. The loss will probably reach $20,000, on which there is about $8,000 insurance.

Rev. Wm. Holman, of the Methodist church, so long extensively and favorably known in Kentucky, died last Thursday night, the 1st inst., at the residence of his brother at Centerville, Indiana, 87 years.

There is a piece of gossip afloat to the effect that a charming young lady residing in one of the suburbs of this city, was engaged the other evening in a friendly chat, with two or three friends of either sex and carelessly fondling a pet dog, when the fondling from her hand, was thrown in to a confusion of blushes by the sudden playful spring of Fanny D. Towns, the crowning ornament and the moulding of the "striped, snaky, golden locks," the discovery of a second hand into her lap—Pleasure.

The friends of Capt. M. F. Maury are about to move for permission that he resume his old position as Superintendent of the Virginia Military Institute. It is said that he ardently desires to return.

On Sunday week one drug store in Atlanta sold thirteen hundred ounces of quicksilver to parties engaged in mining operations.

THE CHOLERA RAGING AMONG THE INDIANS.—A New York correspondent of the Southern Agency, dating July 16th, says: "The Cholera is raging fearfully among the Cheyenne Indians at Holly Springs, in the Creek Nation, and it is reported that the female Superintendent of the Industrial school at Fort Gibson. The disease has broken out in the western portion of the Cherokee Nation, and has carried off with the cholera last week. So far it has not made its appearance in this part of the country.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the

WELCOME HOUSE.

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THE first semi-annual session of twenty weeks will begin on Monday, August 12.

Miss A. H. Hazeltine, one of the most successful and experienced teachers in the State, will have charge of the School as Principal.

In addition to the branches usually taught in English, schools, the undersigned will, for the present, teach the ancient Languages.

Applications for admission should be made without delay in order to secure entrance.

Paying pupils will be received on the same terms as at the other schools, and the proceeds will go to sustain the school.

Further information will be given by Mrs. Thompson, who is to be seen at the Factory, or by the undersigned.

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Valuable Property for Sale,

A HOUSE AND THREE ACRES OF LAND in corporation of the town of Hickory—well watered, and a fine young orchard of choice fruit trees. The place rents $50 per month in the Railroad, and is certainly a very desirable one. Also a House and 320 acres of fine land within five miles of Hickory, 160 of which is in a fine state of cultivation, well watered, timbered, &c., the residue on the Bat road. Terms easy.

This property lies 30 miles east of the city of Meridian on Southern Railroad

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Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing AID SOCIETY,

AT VICKSBURG, MISS.

Chartered by an act of the Legislature of Mississippi, passed February 15th, 1867.

The following receipt from the State Treasurer exhibits the fact that the Society has paid into the State Treasury, the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS for the benefit of the

STATE UNIVERSITY.

COPY OF RECEIPT.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
State Treasury, Jackson, Miss.

No. 127] [$5,000

Received of W. D. Lyles, Pres't., &c., per C. R. White, the sum of five thousand dollars in full of Auditor's Receipt Warrant No 127, dated July 15th, A. D. 1867, in his favor on account of University of Mississippi, under 8th section of acts of Feb. 16, 1867, entitled an act incorporating the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 17th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN R. ECHOLS,
State Treasurer.

In the three Preliminary Distributions and Grand Scheme, there will be distributed 6,250 Premiums amounting to $120,800 in 6,000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $30 to $30,000

First Preliminary Distribution.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of		$4,000	$4,000
1	"	2,000	2,000
1	"	1,000	1,000
5	"	500	2,500
10	"	100	1,000
20	"	50	1,000
200	"	30	11,600
450 Premiums amounting to			$20,600

Second Preliminary Distribution.

OCTOBER 16th, 1867.

1 Premium of		6,000	6,000
1	"	3,000	3,000
2	"	1,500	3,000
2	"	750	1,500
5	"	150	750
10	"	75	750
430	"	30	12,900
450 Premiums amounting to			$28,650

Third Preliminary Distribution.

NOVEMBER 18th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$6,000	$6,000
1	"	3,000	3,000
2	"	1,500	3,000
2	"	750	1,500
5	"	150	750
10	"	75	750
430	"	30	12,900
450 Premiums amounting to			$28,900

GRAND SCHEME.

DECEMBER 11th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$30,000	$30,000
1	"	15,000	15,000
2	"	10,000	10,000
2	"	5,000	5,000
5	"	2,000	4,000
10	"	1,000	10,000
30	"	500	15,000
45	"	300	13,500
75	"	200	15,000
100	"	100	10,000
845	"	70	59,150
1000 Premiums amounting to			$153,650

Whole Certificates, $25, 1st Instalment, $15.00
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Prof. Mathematics.
J. J. WHEAT, D. D.,
Prof. Greek.
A. J. QUINCHE, M. A.,
Prof. Latin and Modern Languages.
A. L. SHOOP, M. A., Secretary,
Prof. Applied Mathematics and Civil Eng.
S. G. BURNEY, D. D.,
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Books and Stationery, about "	30 00
Washing about $2, and Lights about $1 per month, "	40 00
Total necessary expenses,	$8 4 00

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J. M. BOWRY,
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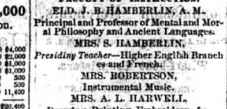

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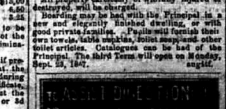

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Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

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" " ..... 8.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.20 P. M.
" arrives ..... 8.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 2.30 A. M. Arrives at Meridian 11: A. M. Enterprise 1.35 P. M. Meridian 2.33 P. M. Macon 5 P. M. Corinth 7.50 P. M. Humboldt 9.50 P. M. Columbus, Ky., 12 M. Cairo 5.30 P. M. 473 miles; time 39 hours and 30 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., at 12 M. Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 P. M. Corinth 7.05 P. M. Meridian 9.30 P. M. Macon 10.30 P. M. Enterprise 11 P. M. Meridian 11.30 P. M. Mobile 473 miles; Time 39 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma ..... 4.30 P. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 8 10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 6.55 p. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 2.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

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A. R. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
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1st Lieut. THOMAS L. NYE,
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Capt. JAMES W. SUNDERLAND,
Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale.

We had the pleasure of meeting who get city yesterday, Hon. B. G. Gleen, who is here to attend our Circuit Court next week.

We call attention to the advertisement by Mrs. M. A. Cox, who offers for sale her house and lot in town, known as the Welcome House, together with the furniture, &c. The house is pleasantly located, well furnished, and will be an excellent investment for those desiring to purchase property in Meridian.

Our town is improving rapidly, and is daily increasing in population. We expect our merchants will do a much larger business than ever during the coming winter, and that the advantages of Meridian as a place for business, will increase the number of customers and enable them to do a growing city.

The St. Bede.—Those of our friends visiting Marion during court, are respectfully reminded that the celebrated St. Ben's, on Front Street, will be supplied with the very best brands of all kinds of Liquors, Cigars, &c. This pleasant resort is so famous that it is scarcely necessary to do more than mention its name. It is well known that the St. Ben's is the "best" and "only chance."

Wanted to the Spirit Land.—A funeral ticket from Galveston, Texas, announces the death of Weller S. Duly child of Walter M., and Maggie E. Robinson, formerly of this city. Since all must come to the land of the dead, how sweet it is when they are baptized who die early—the light of whose life goes down ere the soul is contaminated with sin.

University of Mississippi.—The institution will open on the 9th of September. Tuition for the session of nine months, $125; deposit for incidentals, $15; board $18 per month. Rooms for boarding in hall, $12½ per month; for families from $10 to $20 per month.

Refrigerator Soda.—We publish to-day the advertisement of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society. A greater number of premiums (in money) are offered by the Association than is any scheme of chance known to us. The object of the society is declared in its name, and we are very liberal donation of $5,000 to the University of Mississippi, is an evidence of its usefulness. The society is managed by well-known citizens of Mississippi. Every stockholder or ticket is interested in speculate in self-defense, and we advise all to do so when assuming their official positions. We call the attention of the public to the advertisement of the society. A man's face will decide his fortune as far as the society is concerned, which causes the necessity of all the associates of a like character.

The Mail Carrier.—A letter package intended for Meridian was picked up on the Mobile and Ohio railroad by the mail woman Thursday afternoon. The package was found a couple of miles North of this place and we suppose was dropped from the mail train. Route agents attend to more careful.

A Surprise.—The fire bell rang over half the city Tuesday night about 12 o'clock, we were awakened from our slumbers by a strains of sweet melancholy music, and on our driveway seems on the midnight air, and being unable to ascertain the source of the music we listened and both agreed that it was the most delightful of all serenades we had ever heard. The music was discontinued after the conclusion of the serenade.

Prescriptions Filled at All Hours.—Our friend Chas. W. Ellis, a old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours, day and night—Calls promptly attended to. Mr. Ellis's experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded. 1f

Keep up to the Waste of the Public.—The reliable and popular house furnishing establishment of Pillon, Fulton & Co., has just received an additional assortment of goods, to which we would call the attention of the wedding saything in their line. The terms are moderate, and the stock unexceptionable in quality.

Herlburt, Sturges & Co.—This house has always enjoyed a reputation second to none in the city. Their stock is as complete now as ever, and the prices astonishingly low. The dry goods department is filled with the choicest of these goods for ladies' wear, and the boot and shoe department can safely be denominated a paradise for those familiar with such things, and the grocery and hardware house complete.

Mr. Hampton, a son of Wade Hampton, has been appointed by Governor Sharkey, a son Robert, to proceed from their residence in west Meridian, at 10 o'clock this morning.

Masses' Free School.—This institution will open on the 15th inst, under the auspices of Mrs. Hampton, a lady of great experience, and in every way qualified as a teacher. The school will be opened to the public, but intended to educate those who are unable to educate themselves, paying pupils will be received at the rates established by the other institutions of learning in the city. For information apply to Mrs. A. G. Hampton, or Rev. H. G. Hanks at the Rectory.

No. 46.

An Ordinance to provide a revenue for the city of Meridian.

Sec. 1st. Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Meridian, That there be and is hereby levied a tax of one half of one per cent on the assessed value of all property of the city for the year 1867, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the city for the year 1867.

One half of one per cent upon the value of all real estate with the improvements thereon. Provided that all the real estate in said city shall be exempt from taxation under this ordinance that is exempt under the statute laws of the State.

One fourth of one per cent on all money loaned at interest or usury by individuals or corporations, or employed by them in the purchase of lands, bills, notes, or other securities for money.

Two per cent on all sales of vinous and spirituous liquors sold by the gallon or in larger quantities, except when sold by retailers.

One half of one per cent on the value of all saddle horses, pleasure carriages, clocks and watches, (except such as are kept for sale by merchants or citizens) and Piano kept for use.

One dollar upon every repeating pistol and bowie knife.

A poll tax of one dollar upon every male citizen between the ages of twenty-one and fifty years.

On all sales of merchandise of every description by merchants, dealers, commercial merchants, confectioners and druggists, where the amount of said sales exceed the sum of five hundred dollars, one fifth of one per cent upon all amounts in excess of said sum.

Sec. 2d. Be further ordained, That the following rates upon licenses shall be demanded and collected to be known as the tax on privileges.

Commission merchants, wholesale and retail dealers in groceries, confectioners, bakers and druggists.....$ 50 00
Hotels—First Class 50 00
" second 25 00
Restaurants 25 00
Private boarding houses not exceeding 10 boarders 10 00
" " exceeding 10 boarders 20 00
Coffee stands 10 00
Fruit stands 10 00
Market stands 10 00
Saddle shops (each chair) 10 00
Cigar and Tobacco stands 25 00
Brewery 100 00
Retailers of vinous and spirituous liquors 200 00
Billiard 100 00
Picture Galleries 25 00
Concerts (charity excepted) each 10 00
Circuses 50 00
Cleaning and Mangering carriages 10 00
Billiard 10 00
Side shows to Circuses and menageries, each exhibition 10 00
Drays and wagons 15 00
Livery and sale stables 25 00
Beer and Ale houses 25 00
Corn and flour mills 10 00
Lumber 10 00
Lath and Shingle 10 00
Brick and stone yards, (each) 10 00
Banks or Bank agency 50 00
Insurance agency 50 00
Land and city plats, (each) 10 00
Auctioneers 50 00
Cotton Brokers or Factors 10 00
Shooting or Fancy Galleries 10 00
Soda Fount and Ice Cream saloons, exclusively 10 00
Domestic 5 00
Newspapers and Periodical Depots 10 00
Peddlers, per day 5 00
" per month 25 00
" per year 100 00
Every person or firm engaged as agents or agents, or selling for commission, or receiving money for the delivery of goods, wares, and merchandise or in procuring money to be loaned or invested, and every person engaged in the purchase and sale of exchange, gold, silver, bullion, or coin 50 00

Sec. 3d. And be it further ordained, That all persons engaged in any business not specified in this ordinance, shall pay a tax of ten dollars.

Sec. 4th. Be it ordained, That all taxes levied by this ordinance shall be due and payable on the first day of January, 1867, and if the tax is not paid by the first day of March, 1867, the tax payer have to pay a penalty of twenty per cent on the amount of his tax, and if the tax is not paid by the first day of June, 1867, the tax payer have to pay a penalty of fifty per cent on the amount of his tax, and it shall be the duty of the Marshal to collect and enforce the collection of said taxes.

Sec. 5th. Be it ordained, That all ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6th. Be it ordained, That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Sec. 7th. Be it ordained, That the Mayor and Clerk of the city of Meridian be and they are hereby authorized to issue warrants for the collection of the taxes levied by this ordinance.

Sec. 8th. Be it ordained, That all persons who shall refuse or neglect to pay the taxes levied by this ordinance, shall be liable to be sued for the same before any Justice of the Peace in the county, and by law, it shall be the duty of the Justice of the Peace to issue a summons for the delinquent tax payer, and if the tax is not paid by the time specified in the summons, the Justice of the Peace shall issue an execution against the property of the delinquent tax payer for the amount of the tax, and the costs of the suit, and it shall be the duty of the Marshal to collect the same.

Sec. 9th. Be it ordained, That the Marshal shall receive for his services in collecting the taxes levied by this ordinance, the sum of ten per cent on the amount collected.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

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LOVE.

Though pride for a moment
Sweep by like a blast,
We cannot, we cannot
Expel the sweet past!
It hangs like some sunny
Cold song round the heart,
It hangs there forever!
And will not depart.

Wherever we go or whatever we be,
There are moments of nature
When pride bows its knee;
When the will is no more
Than a wild little fern;
When the spirit of what we have loved
Will return.

Oh! love is the angel
Of heaven I know,
To sling, to entrust,
To compassionate so!
It follows us, crying
"Farewell!" O farewell!
Yes, into the desolate
Shadow of hell!

Let's turn from the serpent;
There's death in his sting!
Let's recide in prayer
Under love's enemy wing;
And when we are dying
That calvary dove
Will shall us to heaven
The country of love.

JULIA M. CRANE.

NEWS ITEMS.

Stonewall Jackson's widow has been compelled by poverty to sell the war horse presented to her husband by the citizens of Augusta, Georgia.

A Rock Island, Ill., newspaper asserts that the cruelty extended to Confederates imprisoned at that point were fully as severe, in proportion, as those committed upon the prisoners at Andersonville. The white-washing committee appointed by Congress will effance all such stains.

We see by a telegram that the Cretan war is not over, as the Turks have boasted. They have lately met with success, and the French have sent vessels to convey refugees to Greece.

The fifteen cent currency will soon be issued and the five cent small pox rags to be superceded by nickel coins—then every well-to-do American can own specie.

Nashville merchants in some instances, have discharged negroes for not voting the Radical ticket: General Carlin has directed efforts to be made to find them other situations.

Every article which is published in the London Times goes through the hands of the paper's editor no less than six times—and if, after the paper goes to press, an error is discovered in it, the typo who is responsible for the same is subjected to a fine—The best compositors employed on this sheet earn, upon an average, twenty-five dollars per week.

The N. O. papers mention the suspension of the banking house of Mr. M. Judson, corner of Camp and Common streets. The police had been on the watch to prevent the removal of the assets of the house.

The St. Joseph Gazette of the 30th, says that fill on the breaks in the levees in Tensas Parish are passable. The back bayous are fast filling up. Crops are very indifferent; cotton six inches high, and grass twelve; the cholera making sad havoc with the negroes, and the worm with the cotton.

The New York and New Haven railroad intend soon to put a new invention for ventilating cars on their road. The air presses in at the front window, over water, where it is purified, and then is distributed through pipes opening into varlous parts of the car.

One-third of the students at Mercer university, in Georgia, were once soldiers in the Confederate army, and one-fifth of them were wounded.

Much attention is now being paid in the interior of Louisiana to the propagation of a new cane, called the Hungarian, which yields two tons to the acre on bottom lands.

In New Orleans, according to a journal of that city, a large number of business mechanics and planters are preparing to take the benefit of the bankrupt law. It is added that the desire seems to be to attend to this matter during the present dull summer months, so that when the fall business commences they can go into business with a clear record.

The Indians have cut the telegraph wires west of Fort Sanderson. Protection to the stage coaches and telegraph is entirely inadequate.

During a severe thunder storm which passed over Memphis last Friday, a bolt from a gas pipe was set on fire by a flash of lightning, and some workmen engaged in repairing the streets were badly burned. The gas continued to burn after the explosion until nearly a cart load of earth was thrown on the flame.

YELLOW FEVER.—The existence of an aggravated type of billious fever, on board of some vessels of our city, gave rise to many reports that yellow fever was prevailing, and that we were in danger from it. That we are now more or less subject to it at all times when it prevails in cities of the tropics where our shipping visits, is a fact that we are all aware of, and that it was at this time prevailed is well known—It is equally as well established a fact that no case has yet appeared in our harbor.—Pensacola Observer, 25th.

The Rev. Mr. Key, a local Baptist preacher, who lived on Bushy Creek, in Burke county, about twenty miles from Augusta, Ga., committed suicide, the 21st. Sabbath morning. It appears that he placed the muzzle of the gun at the lower extremity of the chest, and struck the hammer with a stick, which he held in his hand. The cause of the rash act is known.

The Lafayette (La.) Advertiser of the 20th says: "We learn that les avant courriers of the army worm have made their appearance in several parts of the parish. Should the real army worm make its appearance within the next two or three weeks, the cotton crop of this parish will be a total failure."

It is stated by a letter-writer from Atlanta that the memorable Fourth, a coffin containing a whip and cowhide, was buried by the white and black Radicals of that city with imposing ceremonies, meaning that slavery was dead and buried forever.

The "rebel" General L. E. Ward, of Texas, now lives in Middleton, Connecticut, and working at his trade, that of brick mason.

Gov. Murphy of Arkansas, wears a pair of common soldier's blue pants, and looks like a discharged soldier.

The Aberdeen Examiner, though ardently opposed to reconstruction, defends, in a manly manner, General Reuben Davis, and Mr. R. B. Barker, of that town, from the charge of Radicalism, preferred against them by the Verona Times, doubtless upon the authority of some well-disposed person. The Examiner differs from both these gentlemen as to "the best course to pursue," but he pronounces the declaration that either General Davis, or Mr. Barker, sympathizes or affiliates with radicals or radicalism, as utterly groundless.

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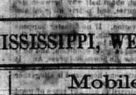

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SHOOTING AFFAIR IN ATLANTA.—In the St. Elmo Saloon, on Wednesday last, Daniel Connor was shot twice and killed by James W. Lloyd. The parties are spoken of as "sporting characters," and a quarrel had existed between them for some time. We are told that this is the third or fourth murder committed by Lloyd.

SUFFRAGE IN NEW YORK.—The Convention of New York have agreed upon the section to be inserted in the Constitution defining who shall be voters. It provides that every male citizen, twenty-one years of age, who shall have been a resident of the State one year and a citizen thirty days, and a resident of the county where he offers his vote four months, shall be entitled to a vote. No person in the military service in time of war shall lose his vote by reason of his absence, and the Legislature is authorized to provide the means for securing the votes of absent citizens. Mr. Murphy moved to amend the first section by inserting the words "white male citizen," but after debate this was lost—yeas 48, nays 94. The terms of residence for foreigners was reduced from thirty to ten days. An amendment proposing to extend suffrage to women was lost—yeas 19, nays 125.

The St. Louis Democrat draws a parallel between the wheat prospect of this year and the year 1862. It shows that while thousands of men were forsaking the fields of the west to go into the army, while contracts were being made for millions of pounds of flour, and gold was at 248, the highest grade of flour, that year brought only $7.50 per barrel. The price of wheat the same year varied at from 95 cents to $1.371 per bushel, and while corn 50 to 75 cents per bushel. There can be no doubt that corn and flour will settle down to low figures, because in Europe the yield has been as good as in America. If the speculators and others are holding up the wheat now in hand, with the hope of controlling the market, they will be badly hurt, if not absolutely ruined. Just now flour in New Orleans is high because the stock on hand is nearly exhausted, and but little new has made its way to market. This will not continue long, and in a short while it will be in reach of the most limited. There can be no doubt of wheat and corn crops because they are made beyond contingency, and it is therefore safe to estimate as to the probable price and quantity.—Mobile Tribune.

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The Clarion of the 9th states that a genuine case of cholera occurred in that city last week. A negro woman at the Washington Horse died from the disease. She had eaten excessively of cucumbers, muskmellons and other trash.

NEW ORLEANS CITY MONEY.—Our New Orleans exchanges regard the election of the new city council as very favorable to this measure, and believe through their action legalizing and placing all issues on the same footing, confidence will be restored and the city notes circulate as here-tofore.

The report of yellow fever at New Iberia is contradicted. Several cases of bilious and congestive fever have occurred but no yellow fever.

The whole number of registered voters in the city of Mobile is 6,838. Of these 2,234 are white and 3804 black. The black majority is 1,480.

Gov. Wells got $8,000 from the State of Louisiana for engraving and lithographing Levee bonds. He appointed a Mr. Jewell to go to New York to make the contract. Hatch & Co. did the work for $1,200, for which Wells and Jewell pocketed $8,000.

A Nashville telegram of the 8th contains some mournful news for the children of the Freedmen's Bureau. It says, General Carin will publish a circular letter to-morrow, notifying colored people that, in obedience to orders from Washington, no rations will be issued under any circumstances, to the destitute after the 20th of August. The General in a letter to Judge Lea even broadly intimates that certain politicians are preventing blic negroes from going to work in the country, in order to secure their votes in the municipal election in September.

The late Convention at Richmond was not very harmonious. Hunnicutt and the freedmen who followed him had every thing their own way, and the Botts men, or Conservatives, were treated most shabbily. When any of the latter attempted to address the negroes they were hooted, jeered and saluted with contemptuous epithets. Time or four times, while the delegates were in Richmond, violent disturbances took place. The Convention was in session two days and adopted a platform embracing all the advanced ideas of Wendell Phillips.

A courtezan's throat was cut in St. Louis the other day by a jealous lover.

In Mobile, the other day, Mayor Horton appointed fourteen negroes on the police force. One of them was made Lieutenant of the day police.

A NEW NATIONAL PARTY.—A meeting was recently held in Meridian, Illinois, for the purpose of considering the financial state of the country. Among the resolutions adopted was one declaring that the same inflation of currency under which the national debt was contracted shall be maintained until the debt shall have been paid. That to carry out this policy there could be organized a New National Political Party. The people of Illinois will hardly be able to organize a National party on a platform of this kind. Come out fairly and squarely for repudiation and a repeal of the oppressive tax law, and you can build up a National party that will accomplish something.

COTTON TAXES.—Cotton dealers in Philadelphia have been not a little disturbed by the action of Collector Delano in ordering cotton found without the internal revenue taxes. In their wisdom, the government officials declare that a certificate of payment of taxes is not a sufficient evidence that the United States dues have been paid.

A poor, one-legged negro man, Chas. Archie Johnson, who has been engaged in selling the Mobile Tribune containing jokes about Military Mayor Horton, was ordered to leave that city last Friday by Mr. Horton. The editor of the Times filed an affidavit against the Mayor, charging him with committing an outrage on the personal rights of a freedman, and the trial took take place Monday, before U. S. Commissioner Turner.

The report to the Freedmen's Bureau at Washington, from the Inspector of Schools in Mississippi notices a very thorough earnestness on the part of the white people of Mississippi to see that the freedmen are properly educated, and schools are being organized and established in almost every part of the State.

The jury in the Surratt case, it is announced, were unable to agree and make up a verdict, and Judge Fisher has discharged them. Instead of being admitted to bail, we suppose Surratt will be sent back to his cell, to be tried again, when another jury can be empanelled—if that should ever be possible.

The people of Columbus are preparing for a tournament at that place in September. The prizes for the successful contestants are as follows: For the first day, the prize is a gentleman's gold watch, valued at $300, and the second prize is a lady's gold watch, valued at $125. For the second day, the first prize is a fine horse worth $400, and the second prize a double rel shot-gun, valued at $125. For the third and last day, the first prize is a diamond ring, valued at $125, and the second prize is a silver-plated tea set, worth $100.

The President and Mr. Stanton.

The ambitious Senator-of-all-work, which has lately given rise to considerable variety of opinion, comes up again in the Johnson-Stanton imbroglio. Mr. Stanton declines to give up the office of Secretary of War, unless the President makes a peremptorily demand. It is the purpose of Mr. Johnson to allow the whole matter to remain in abeyance, for a few days, giving time for reflection on the part of Mr. Stanton, and the friends who advised him as to the course he should pursue. If he then persists in the refusal to resign, the President, we are advised by telegrams, will suspend him, by giving him notice he is thereby suspended from the further execution of the functions of the office of Secretary of War, and that the reasons for this suspension will be submitted to the Senate at the next session of Congress. The subject has been fully discussed in the Cabinet, and the course above indicated unanimously approved as being with the 2d section of the tenure of office law. The Cabinet was nearly unanimous in the opinion that the first section of the law gives Mr. Johnson power to remove Stanton, who was never regularly appointed by Mr. Johnson and confirmed as his appointee by the Senate. Here is the section under which the President argues he can act:

That the President shall have power to fill all vacancies which may happen during the recess of the Senate, by reason of death or resignation, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session thereafter; and if any such appointment, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall be made to such office on the recess of the Senate, or if no appointment be made to such office at the next session of the Senate, made after the vacancy shall have occurred, then and in either of such cases the President may designate and appoint a person to discharge the duties of such office until the next session of the Senate, or until such office shall be filled by the regular appointment; and such person so designated and appointed shall have power to discharge the duties of such office, and shall receive such salary, fees, or emoluments as are attached thereto until the same shall be filled by the appointment in the manner prescribed by this act, and not otherwise: Provided, That no person shall be employed under the provisions of this act for more than ten days, unless he shall be appointed by and with the advice and consent of the Senate; and nothing in this act contained shall be construed to extend the term of service of any person duly appointed by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Provided, That the Secretaries of State, of the Treasury of War, of the Navy, of the Interior, and the Postmaster-General, and the Attorney General, shall hold their offices respectively during the term of the President by whom they may have been appointed, and one month thereafter, subject to removal by and with the consent of the Senate."

As to how the matter will finally end, we shall not attempt to foretell. Stanton's double-dealings cannot be tolerated much longer; the President will execute his decisions, and Gen. Grant, who is familiar with the army officers, will act in the war office temporarily. Stanton will appeal to Congress this fall, where he has "troops of friends" and then we shall see the end of the rupture. The President is right, but the crafty Stanton has partisan passion on his side.

Official Crop Intelligence.

Favorable reports relative to the crops reach us from all quarters. The Department of Agriculture has never before received so large a report so favorable a prospect for uniformly good crops. The statistical returns for July show an improvement in the condition of the winter wheat over last year in every State but Texas, Nebraska and Minnesota, the diminution in the latter case being but four per cent. Spring wheat was a far less variable product than last year, consequently less variation in the figures used in the comparison. All the States, however, except Vermont, New York and Pennsylvania, show an increase on last year. The average in form is unusually large, every State showing a material increase, except Maine, New Hampshire, New York and South Carolina. In the Southern States the increase ranges upwards of 100 per cent in Arkansas. The condition, as reported, is a little deficient in the Northern and Western States on account of the lateness of the Spring. Rye is in fine condition, and shows a decided improvement on last years' yield. Barley promises an increase of twenty per cent. The average of oats points to a full average, particularly in the West. The hay crop is unusually large, and that of potatoes is above last year's crop. Apples are promising in portions of New England, the Allegheny region and the West. Grapes are more uniform in the average of states, and generally appearing unusually well. It has been a more successful year for clean berries than usual. The sorghum is poor. The numerous enemies of taking cotton' paragraphs, the bureau of statistics from estimating the staple.

The Future of the South.

We give the following view of the probable course of things in the South for the next ten years, from the Springfield Republican, a Radical paper:

"The prospect that at the first election under the reconstruction acts the Southern States will be repelled by the Republicans is in itself gratifying. But the way in which this is to happen gives to thoughtful men a sense of fear for the future. The foresight that the negro vote is to control everything is not inspired by favorable indications in the white men of the South, and we cannot forget that the whites constitute two-thirds of the population of the States that are to be surrendered to the control of a mass of ignorant blacks, and that these whites must inevitably become the dominant class very soon, whatever happens this year. A majority of the whites will refuse to register, or are excluded if they attempt, and of those registering it is thought that a majority will vote against reconstruction on the Congressional plan. The blacks, and a small fraction of the whites, will do the voting and reconstruction will have possession of the State machinery under the new government. It will be a good enough for the obstructionists, indeed, but how is it coming out? We know what the Alabama and Louisiana leaders of the negroes have threatened, and what hopes and purposes they have cherished among their colored followers. Shall we see Brownlow despotism and avenely extended over the entire South for the next ten years, and order be preserved only by keeping the eight millions of whites eaten under the rule of four millions negroes by the arms of federal bayonets?

We find in the Mississippi Index an account of an affair at Morton Springs about thirty miles from Columbus in which Mr. J. S. Boggs shot Mr. W. D. Bird three times, once with a pistol, and twice with a double-barrel gun. Boggs fled while Bird was dangerously wounded.

The Legislature of the Late Tennessee Election.

The Republican party have carried Tennessee by forty-five thousand majority. We have said that it would be a God-send to the down-trodden people of that State, if they were permitted to organize their State government under the terms of the Military Bills. Not less than one hundred thousand white citizens are disfranchised who would be permitted to the polls by those acts. With this accession, the conservatives could have elected Fisher's enemies in spite of all opposition by a large majority.

Unfortunately for the disfranchised people of Tennessee, the ground-work of the present despotism was laid by President Johnson, (then Military Governor,) while they were absent from the State in the Southern armies, or in exile under the ban, which he inaugurated after the advent of the Federal armies, and they had no opportunity whatever of securing themselves the privilege of voting which is enjoyed by the great body of our people under the Reconstruction laws of Congress. They returned to their homes after the surrender of the Southern armies to find the work accomplished—the chains rivited—and the reign of despotism firmly established.

The condition of Tennessee should be a warning to the people of the unreconstructed States.—Clarion.

The Washington correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune thus refers to the speech of Mr. Merrick in defence of Surratt:

The speech of Mr. Merrick, counsel for John H. Surratt, in defence of the prisoner, made during the last two days, was unilversally acknowledged by the bench and bar to be one of the finest forensic efforts ever heard in Washington. He electrified the court and jury by the boldness of the positions which he assumed, and the ability and eloquence with which he maintained them. He evidently carried the jury with him on every point. The jury himself to him, one and all, without fail, but with evident pleasure. His analysis of the evidence was most masterly. He showed clearly how utterly worthless was the evidence that had been adduced by the prosecution and so annihilating was his exposure of Weichmann's treachery and villainy, that that brazen faced creature, who has had the effrontry to sit through the whole of Merrick's speech, and never once covered with shame, and has not been seen or heard of since. The most perfect quiet prevailed in the crowded court during the whole of Mr. Merrick's speech, and every part of it was listened to with the closest attention. Many parts of it was so touching as to cause tears to spring to the eyes of the listeners, and at one period the judge, the jury, and many members of the bar were all weeping together. Mr. Merrick may well look upon this as a proud day for him.

Official Figures.

Votes registered in parish of Orleans at close of registration, July 31, 1867:

	White	Black	Total.
First District	6,111	4,924	11,035.
Second "	5,063	3,871	8,934.
Third "	2,719	3,396	6,115.
Fourth "	2,603	1,312	3,915.
Right Bank	939	2,242	1,611.
Total	14,865	14,836	29,670.

The above makes the list complete. It will be seen that there is a meagre majority of six white voters admitted to registry in the parish, inclusive of the city, though the white population is universally conceded to be four times their number.—The name of the Ex-Governor will therefore legion. Presuming that all the registered blacks are males, twenty-one years of age, and the registered whites also allowing seven females and under age to each voter, our black population must reach near 104,000 souls. If the city and parish have four times the number of whites, the total population reaches over half a million. If a census could be taken now it might be found that the ballot box has been or is to be unduly stuffed.—Picayune.

SOUTH CAROLINA.—Cheraw has erected and dedicated with very interesting ceremonies, a monument to the memory of the soldiers of her sons who fell in the war.

The Columbia Phœnix chronicles the death of Hon. E. G. Palmer, a prominent citizen of Fairfield District, who died suddenly at his home at Winnsboro. He had filled many important positions, representing for some years his district in both branches of the Legislature.

A COLORED U. S. DEPUTY MARSHAL.—The Charleston Mercury says:

United States Marshal J. P. Epping has appointed a Mr. Miller colored, his deputy for the city of Columbia. Mr. Epping says that the white men who can take the oath are not fit to hold office. He appointed one of them as Deputy Marshal a short time since, and he had been in the performance of his duties but a few days before his removal became necessary on account of his having received a bribe.

The Charleston Courier announces the death of the Rev. Thomas A. Flynn, a young Catholic clergyman. The deceased, who was a native of Columbia, was about twenty-eight years old.

ALABAMA.—The Selma Times learns from a gentleman who has recently travelled over the greater part of Middle Alabama, that the crops are looking finely. The entire country looks like a land of promise, and there is no doubt that this year's crop will be one of the finest ever raised in the State.

The Tuscaloosa Observer says that the farmers in the Warrior Valley are beginning to engage their corn in the fields at 40 cts. per bushel.

THE MOBILE PRESS.—The Mobile Tribune of Saturday last, under the head of "Black Sheep Ball Ticket," then names as Hon. Frederick Douglass, of New York, and Mr. Moses Avery,—the colored register of Mobile—for Vice Presidential and Prince Albert of Mobile for Senator from Ala. and another negro named Johnson, of Mobile, for representative to Congress.

The Tribune says this ticket is at its "ne plus ultra" only.

The Mobile Times hoists the names of Gen. Grant for President, and Senator Chandler for Vice President.

The Mobile Register is in favor of sending some negroes to the Convention, which it has no doubt will be called—and a negro representative to Congress.

OPENING THEIR EYES.—The Boston Traveller, a print of the "progressive party," recently contained this paragraph:

Government is swindled out of $100,000,000 annually by counterfeiting whiskey. The greater part of this immense sum could be collected were our government in earnest. What it ought to be is of nothing but a political club, it has to submit to the loss and also has to plunder the poor because it cannot reach the rich—while key manufacturers pay their just proportions of the taxes.

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THE subscriber in consequence of dull state of health, is anxious to sell his land on which he now resides. The tract contains eight hundred acres, with some few hundred and fifty in cultivation. It lies immediately on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, about half way between Meridian and Enterprise, and nearly in point of soil and timber, is unsurpassed, and is peculiarly suitable for cultivation. If no disaster happens the present crop will be very large. The dwelling house with the out-buildings is comfortable and convenient. There is a never-failing supply of good water with fine pasturage. A large orchard of choice fruit is just coming into bearing. A good portion of the land is cleared and in a high state of cultivation, and will be sold in one body or in parcels to suit purchasers. There is also connected with said tract of land a good level land adjoining, with about 100 acres in a good state of cultivation, with improvements, also belonging to Col. B. L. Lewis. These contracts will be sold jointly or separately, to suit purchasers, and the subscriber will divide the tract to effect a sale, if he can do a whole before the 1st of September next. He will also have a pair of excellent mules and horses and a quantity of corn. There is a considerable supply of good laborers with their families on the premises, and anxious to remain. For further information apply to us on the premises, or address me at Enterprise, Mississippi.

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Sugar Cake.—One pound of flour, diluted in three gills of milk or water, half a pound of butter, two eggs, half a pint of milk or water and two pounds of flour.

Sponge Cake.—One cup of powdered Sugar and one cup of flour, well mixed together, beaten in two eggs, stir quickly in a cup of water, a square tin immediately in a moderate oven. Flavor with lemon or otherwise to suit the taste.

Gold and Silver Cake.—One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, four cups of flour. Divide this dough into two equal parts; to one add two eggs and one table spoonful of sugar, the whites for the silver cake. Flavor with lemon or otherwise and bake in covered bread pans.

Dough Nuts.—One pound of Sugar a little shortening, two eggs, three pounds of flour, one pint of water.

Soda Cakes and Dumplings.—Prepare the dough to every respect the same as for biscuit. Use a little melted sugar and butter for sauce.

Fruit Cake.—Two pounds of flour, one of sugar, Butter and Griddle Cakes, etc., are very superior—see from Self-raising Flour.

Any cook can handle this flour the better. Never stir it over the fire like the oven is before you touch the flour. The quicker the dough the better. Do not knead it.

Put up in every style to suit the trade.

For A 1 cook Grocer for sale pound packages, Manufactured by DARCY & PUTNAM,

27 South Water st., corner Cecil. Memphis, Tenn.

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EXECUTORS SALE.

WILL be sold on Saturday, the 7th day of September next, at the late residence of Jno. H. Horne, deceased in Wayne county, Miss., on six months credit, the purchaser giving bond with good security, the following personal property. Seven mules (40 horse power) boiler, and all necessary running gear, (all in good order,) one cotton gin and three screws, 1 set of two pair mill rocks, and one old boiler, engine and fixtures much worn.

J. E. P. HORNE,
JOHN H. HORNE.

Executors Estate John H. Horne, decd.

August 6th, '67. 1-d-s.

Valuable Property for Sale.

A HOUSE AND THREE ACRES OF LAND in corporation of the town of Hickory—well watered, and a fine young orchard of choice fruit trees. The place fronts 700 feet on the Railroad, and is certainly a very desirable one. Also—a House and lot and one acre of land within 12 miles of Hickory, 160 of which is a fine state of cultivation, well watered, timbered, &c., lies immediately on the Rail road.

This property lies 30 miles east of the city of Meridian on Southern Railroad.

SHANON & GALLAGHER,
Att'ys at Law and Real estate Agents.

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NOTICE.

All persons who failed to register when the Board for Lauderdale county was in session at the precincts in which they reside, will have an opportunity of so doing at Meridian, Miss., on Thursday and Friday, August 22nd and 23th, 1867.

WM. CATHEY, }
A. EDAL, } Registers.
A. L. SKALLY, }

Lauderdale County, Miss., Aug 9, 1867.—ad.

FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the

WELCOME HOUSE.

MRS. M. A. COX.

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STAR STABLE

MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.

P. T. RUSH, Proprietor.

HAVING purchased the Livery Stable in Meridian, I am now prepared to carry on the Livery business, I feel that I can give satisfaction to all who may favor me with their patronage.

I can send you further, faster and cheaper than any Livery Stable in the city. Remember I am the quickest run horse in Meridian.

Buckeye Buggies, Barouches on arrival of the next train.

Orders left at the Stables for conveyances, will receive prompt attention.

Horses taken to board at reasonable rates.

Stables on Front street, between Barrett's Hotel and the Railroad.

P. T. RUSH.

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Sash, Doors and Blinds.

P. T. RUSH, Proprietor.

HAVING purchased the Sash, Door and Blind Factory, I am now prepared to fill all orders for Sash, Doors and Blinds, and will keep constantly on hand a large supply of the above articles, which I will sell at reasonable rates. Orders solicited and promptly filled.

Factory on Front Street, between Barrett's Hotel and the Railroad.

P. T. RUSH.

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DUNCAN & HARDY

AUCTIONEERS

Meridian, Miss.

Will attend to all sales entrusted to them in Meridian and surrounding country. Office at Barrett's Hotel.

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MERIDIAN FEMALE COLLEGE.

FACULTY OF INSTRUCTION.

ELD. J. B. HAMBERLIN, A. M.,

Principal and Professor of Mental and Moral Philosophy and Ancient Languages.

MRS. J. HAMBERLIN,

Presiding Teacher—Higher English Branches and French.

MRS. ROBERTSON,

Instrumental Music.

MISS. HARVEY,

Drawing, Painting, Embroidery, &c.

MISS MATTIE A. WALKER,

Preparatory Branches.

Primary Branches.

CHARGES FOR TUITION, &c.

Tuition in Primary Course, per month.... $3 00
Preparatory " " " 4 00
Higher " " " 5 00
Ancient or modern Languages, each, in addition, per month.... 1 00
Music on Piano and Guitar, each pr month 8 00
Use of Instrument " " " 1 00
Painting in Grecian colors " " " 5 00
" " Oriental " " " 5 00
" " Water " " " 5 00
" " Oil " " " 8 00
Drawing " " " 3 00
Embroidery—Silk " " " 3 00
" " French " " " 5 00
Incidental fee for day pupils " " 50
" " boarding pupils " " 50
Boarding, including room, bed, bedding, fuel and lights per month 20 00
Washing, extra, for one doz. pieces above 1 00
The above terms are required strictly in advance, monthly for day pupils, and every five months for boarding pupils, and no deduction will be received at the beginning of each month, or at the beginning of any five months, except in cases of protracted sickness &c., money will be refunded.

Pupils will be received a month.

The Collegiate Year will range from $1 to $25 per year.

All property carelessly or wilfully injured or destroyed, will be charged.

Boarding may be had with the Principal in a new and elegantly finished dwelling, or with good private families. Pupils will furnish their own towels, table napkins, counterpanes and other toilet articles. Catalogues can be had of the Principal. The third Term will open on Monday, Sept. 2d, 1867.

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MISSION FREE SCHOOL.

THE first semi-annual session of twenty weeks will begin on Monday, August 19, Miss A. H. Hawton, one of the most successful and experienced teachers in the State, will have charge of the School as Principal.

In addition to the branches usually taught in an English school, the undersigned will, for the present, teach the ancient Languages.

Applications for admission should be made without delay in order to secure entrance.

The primary object of this will be given to orphan and indigent children.

Paying pupils will however, be received on the same terms as at the other schools, and the proceeds will go to sustaining the school.

Further information will be given by Mrs Hampton, who is to be seen at the Rectory, or by the undersigned.

H. C. HARRIS.

GRAND DISTRIBUTION,

$230 PREMIUMS AMOUNTING TO $53,950 DOLLARS IN 9000 CERTIFICATES IN

THREE PRELIMINARY

DRAWINGS,

AND

ONE GRAND SCHEME

Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Association,

AT VICKSBURG, MISS.

Chartered by an act of the Legislature of Mississippi, passed Feb. 15th, 1867.

The following receipt from the State Treasurer proves the fact that the Association has paid into the State Treasury the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, for the benefit of the

STATE UNIVERSITY.

COPY OF RECEIPT.

No. 127 | STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, | $5,000

State Treasury, Jackson, Miss.,

Received of W. D. Lyles, Pres't., &c., per C. B. Pike, the sum of five thousand dollars in full of Auditor's Warrant No. 127, dated January 26, 1867, in favor of Board of Trustees of University of Mississippi, under 8th section of act of Feb. 15, 1867, entitled an act to incorporate the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Association.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 16th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN H. ECHOLS,
State Treasurer.

In the three Preliminary Distributions and Grand Scheme, the last of which has already been drawn, the Premiums amounting to $453,950 in 9000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $30 to $30,000

First Preliminary Distribution.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of	$4,000	$4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
2 "	500	1,000
5 "	100	500
10 "	50	500
20 "	30	600
450 Premiums amounting to		$9,600

Second Preliminary Distribution.

OCTOBER 16th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$6,000	$6,000
1 "	3,000	3,000
1 "	1,500	1,500
2 "	750	1,500
5 "	150	750
10 "	75	750
20 "	35	700
450 Premiums amounting to		$15,200

Third Preliminary Distribution.

NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$8,000	$8,000
1 "	4,000	4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
2 "	1,000	2,000
5 "	200	1,000
10 "	100	1,000
20 "	40	800
450 "	30	20,200
5.0 Premiums, amounting to		$40,000

GRAND SCHEME.

DECEMBER 11th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$20,000	$20,000
1 "	10,000	10,000
1 "	5,000	5,000
2 "	2,000	4,000
5 "	1,000	5,000
10 "	500	5,000
15 "	200	3,000
20 "	100	2,000
845 "	50	42,250
900 Premiums, amounting to		$96,250

Whole number of Premiums, 9000. Amount, $453,950

Whole number of Tickets, 9000. Amount, $453,950

Halves, $25. $225

Quarters, $12½. $112 50

TABLE SHOWING the certificates per $ to be paid for in Instalments of $5 per month, the whole sum for One Dollar.

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PREMIUMS PAID WITHOUT DEDUCTION.

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DUNCAN & HARDY,
Meridian, Miss.

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The latest, and by far the cheapest, and perfect Cotton Screw ever invented.

One Mule, with the greatest ease, can pack a heavy bale of Cotton.

ALSO, AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED

Gullett Steel Brush Cotton Gin.

These Gins which attained such great celebrity during the few years just previous to the war, are again manufactured at Gullett, the Patentee, with greatly improved facilities. We can offer them with confidence that every purchaser will be satisfied in one crop of fifty bales. Price $6 per Saw. All sizes from 40 to 80 Saws.

We have now on hand a supply of the above.

Also:

Leach & Avery's Plows, Isaac Stevens's Corn Mills, Engines and Saw Mills,

Hoe & Co's. Circular Saws, Leather Belting and Lacing Leather, India Rubber Belting and Packing, Iron Pipes, Hose and Coupling.

A General Assortment of Tin and Lead Plate, Sheet,

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio.

Mail trains pass at ..... 4.32 P. M.
" " ..... 8.55 A. M.
Accommodation leaves at ..... 5.50 P. M.
" arrives ..... 9.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.00 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna at 1.46 P. M. Enterprise 1.46 P. M. Arrive at Meridian 4.32 P. M. Quitman 472 miles; time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Meridian at 8.55 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna at 11.40 A. M. Mobile 7.05 P. M. Enterprise 472 miles; time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 2.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, make quick time and sure connections by first taking trains on Southern Railroad connecting at Jackson, Miss., with through train for Memphis; or at Canton with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad, with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Leave Grenada daily at 1.45 a. m. and 2.25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 9.45 a. m. and 6.30 p. m., making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points North.

GOING SOUTH

Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 5 p. m. and 1.00 a. m., making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. R. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

In the notice published a few days since of a meeting in Jasper county for the return thanks to the firm of Sterling Price & Co., St. Louis, and to D. Hurd and Geo. Williamson, of Cairo, for the timely assistance rendered the poor of that section, mention was made of Dr. Hurd, of Cairo. It should have been R. Hurd of the well known firm of D. Hurd & Son, Cairo, whose card can be found in the Gazette. Mr. Hurd is a liberal and enterprising merchant, does a large business, and deserves a liberal share of the patronage from this part of the State. Those having who desire goods from Cairo, should not fail to remember D. Hurd & Son. See their advertisement.

NESHOBA COUNTY.—We are in receipt of a note from Capt. D. G. Cooper, clerk of the Board of Registers for that county, stating that the Registration was completed in that county on the 4th inst. He also writes that Neshoba will give a handsome majority for a Convention.

The result is, whites 656; blacks 175; Indians 35. Total 866.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY.—It will be seen from the advertisement of the Executors of John H. Horne, that they will offer for sale on the 5th of September next, at the late residence of Col. Horne, in Wayne County, a steam engine, and three superior cotton gins, two sets of mill rocks, and all the fixtures connected therewith. The steam engine and the gins are of the most superior quality, and in good condition. The sale will be for six months credit. For further particulars address the executors at Shubuta, or Capt. W. C. Ford at Meridian.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved. See their advertisement.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world-wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Buchlow's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen's see also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, uses equalling the best English Inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician. tf

NOTICE.—W. W. Shearer has this day withdrawn from our firm by mutual agreement.

LEVI HURLBUTT & THEODORE STURGES will assume the liabilities of the old firm and continue the business at the old stand under the same name and style.

HURLBUTT, STURGES & CO.

MERIDIAN, MISS., July 1, '67.

DECOSSOLUE & CO.'S RED DIARRŒA REMEDY.—Of all compounds ever offered to the public for Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, Cramps, and Bowel complaints whatever, nothing equals this above Remedy. It is exceedingly pleasant, refreshing and cooling to the stomach, is not a syrup, nor is it astringent, but is thin, mucus, gallic, &c. Send note like and it will be sent you by return mail. Agents and canvassers wanted. Address DECOSSOLUE & CO., No family should be without the Red Diarrhœa Remedy.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

We copied from the Forest Register an announcement of the death of Maj. J. Madison Hood, of Leake county, who, it was said, lost his life by shipwreck while on route to Honduras. It appears that the adventurous J. Madison Hood has called on the Clarion office and desires to inform the public that the Register is slightly mistaken as to his death. Instead of going by the way to Honduras and ship-wrecking the Major has a shop on Pearl street in Jackson and is engaged in making boots and shoes as good as new from the wrecks of old ones.

The Southern steamship Ohio, [illegible]

No. 60.

An Ordinance to provide a Revenue for the city of Meridian.

Sec. 1st. Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Meridian, That the following taxes be assessed and collected for the year 1867, for improvements and government of said city for the fiscal year beginning the 1st of August, 1867, to-wit:

One half of one per cent upon the value of all real estate with the improvements thereon, situated within the limits specified in said city shall be exempt from taxation under this ordinance that is exempt under the statutory laws of the State.

One fourth of one per cent on all money loaned at interest or usury by individuals or corporations, except banks, for gold for the purchase of lands, bills, notes, or other securities for money.

Two per cent on all sales of vinous and spiritous liquors sold by the gallon or in larger quantities, except when sold by retail dealers.

One half of one per cent on the value of all saddle horses, pleasure carriages, coaches and watches, (except gold watches, for sale by merchants or citizens) and Pianos for hire.

One dollar upon every repeating pistol and bowie knife.

One dollar upon each and every male citizen between the ages of twenty-one and fifty years.

One dollar on all sales of merchandise of every description by commission, wholesale and retail merchants, confectioners and druggists, where the amount of sales, per annum, exceed the sum of five thousand dollars, one fifth of one per cent upon all amounts in excess of said sum.

Sec. 2d. Be it further ordained, That the following taxes upon trades be and the same is assessed and collected to be known as the tax on privileges.

Commission merchants, wholesale and retail dealers, grocers, confectioners, bakers and drug-gists.

Hotels—First class	50 00
" second	50 00
Restaurants	25 00
Private boarding houses, not exceeding 10 boarders	10 00
" " exceeding 10 boarders	15 00
Coffee stands	5 00
Fruit stands	5 00
Pool tables	10 00
Barber shops, (each chair)	5 00
Cigar and Tobacco stands	5 00
Express Companies	100 00
Retailers of vinous and spiritous liquors	500 00
Pleasure Galleries	25 00
Concerts (charity excepted) each exhibition	5 00
Circuses and Menageries, each exhibition	20 00
Side shows to Circuses and menageries	10 00
Livery stables	15 00
Drays and wagons,	5 00
Livery and Feed Stables	50 00
Beer and Ale houses	25 00
Corn and flour mills	25 00
Auctioneers	25 00
Hawkers and Peddles, (except vegetables)	25 00
Each and every Bank, branch Bank, or Bank agency	50 00
Insurance Agencies, each company	30 00
Brokers and Exchange dealers	25 00
Cotton Brokers or Actors	20 00
Shooting or Rifle Galleries	10 00
Soda Fonts and Ice Cream saloons, except when taxed as Confectioneries	5 00
Newspaper and Periodical Depots	5 00
Gift enterprises	50 00
Circus Pin Alleys	25 00
Billiard and Bagatelle Tables each	25 00

Every person or firm engaged as agent or agents, or acting for himself in buying or selling produce or goods, wares, and merchandise, or in vending, shipping or selling on cotton or produce not being licensed as merchant, and liable by law to pay

	50 00

Sec. 3d. Be it further ordained, That all Commission Merchants, Wholesale and retail Merchants, Confectioners and druggists, shall render an amount of their sales to the City Assessor every three months, and when failing such return of their sales such persons are taxable under section second of this ordinance, they shall be requested to pay the taxes assessed in said ordinance every three months, by the assessor and the City Assessor shall have the same remedy for the collection of said taxes by the quarter, that he now has in investing writs for the collection of the taxes generally.

Sec. 4. Be it further ordained, That in case any tax payer shall refuse or neglect to pay his or her tax after demand made by the tax collector in the manner provided by law, he shall be liable to said collector to seize and advertise for sale a sufficiency of any personal property that said tax payer may have for the delinquent taxes, and if the tax to be levied is on real estate and the tax payer have no personal property, then said real estate, or a sufficiency thereof to pay double said tax and costs, shall be advertised for thirty days, and sold, and the said tax, fine, or sufficiency thereof to pay double said tax and costs, shall be collected, besides all other expenses, additional thereto.

Sec. 5. Be it further ordained, That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Approved:

R. L. HENDERSON,
Mayor.

J. C. Lloyd, Clerk. Aug. 5, 1867.

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Let not those around you hear;
Put bands on the ear.

Speak kindly,
For tender and frail,
For you been blasted
The pitiless gale.

Whisper it gently,
Why not? Does he pain?
Gentle words rarely
Are spoken in vain;
Threaten not reproaches
The stubborn may move—
Nobody the conquest
Adding he love."

Whisper it kindly,
Twill pay thee to know
Penitent tear drops
Down her cheeks flow,
Has she from virtue
Wandered astray?
Guide her gently
Rough is the way.

She has no parent,
None of her kin;
Lend her from error,
Keep her from sin.
Does she lean on thee?
Cherish the trust;
God to the merciful
Ever is just.

Nature bids me love myself, and hateth that hurt me; reason bids me love my friend, and hate those that envy me; religion bids love all, and hate none, and overcome evil with good.

Teno said that an avaricious man was like a barren, sandy soil, which sucks in all the rain and dews with greediness of thirst, but yields no fruitful herbs or plants to the inhabitants.

Envy is only fixed or herd, and, like a sore eye, is offended with everything that is bright.

A negro boy imprisoned for threatening to burn the town of Brandon, Miss., and rob the ordinaries, broke the jail in Rankin county jail a few days since. He was pursued, but dodged his pursuers until evening, when, being hailed, he broke again, but a shot in his leg prevented his going far and he was conducted back to his old quarters.

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The negro George, who was hanged a raise upon a white girl eight miles south of Oxford, Miss., a few weeks ago, was recently arrested, near Abbeville, and hung by the freedmen of the neighborhood.

The Brandon Republican mentions the death of Mr. Lyman Cameron, who died near Forest from the effects of a terrible disease that is killing many whites and the negroes by the hundreds. Mr. Cameron was a prosperous planter and highly esteemed. Soreness after possible appearance on his wrist, hand and arm, and finally his body commenced swelling, and he died only 76 hours.

Congressional Reconstruction.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of all of both Houses concurring), That the following article is proposed to the Legislatures of the several States as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which, when ratified by three-fourths of said Legislatures, shall be valid as a part of the Constitution, namely:

ARTICLE—Section 1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States, and of the State wherein they reside. No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States. Nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty, or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of its laws.

Sec. 2. Representatives shall be apportioned among the several States according to the respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each State, excluding Indians not taxed; but whenever the right to vote at any election for electors for President and Vice President of the United States, Representatives in Congress, executive and judicial officers, or the members of the Legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of such State, being twenty-one years of age, and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in the rebellion or other crime, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens twenty-one years of age in that State.

Sec. 3. No person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, elector of President and Vice President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any State, who having previously taken an oath as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; but Congress may, by a vote of two-thirds of each House, remove such disability.

Sec. 4. The validity of the public debt of the United States, authorized by law, including the debts incurred for the payment of pensions and bounties for services in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned, but neither the United States nor any State shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or claim for the loss or emancipation of any slaves, but all such debts, obligations, and claims shall be held illegal and void.

Sec. 5. The Congress shall have power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this article.

THE MILITARY GOVERNMENT BILL COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE SHERMAN-SHELLABARGER BILL, OR THE RECONSTRUCTION BILL.

WHEREAS, No legal State governments or adequate protection for life or property now exist in the rebel States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Florida, Texas and Arkansas; and whereas, it is necessary that peace and good order be enforced in said States until loyal and republican State governments can be legally established; therefore,

Be it enacted, &c., That the said rebel States shall be divided into military districts and made subject to the military authority of the United States, as hereinafter prescribed; and for that purpose Virginia shall constitute the first district, North Carolina and South Carolina the second district, Georgia, Alabama, and Florida the third district, Mississippi and Arkansas the fourth district, and Louisiana and Texas the fifth district.

Sec. 2. That it shall be the duty of the President to assign to the command of each of said districts an officer of the army not below the rank of brigadier-general, and to detail a sufficient military force to enable such officer to perform his duties and enforce his authority within the district to which he is assigned.

Sec. 3. That it shall be the duty of each officer assigned as aforesaid to protect all persons in their rights of person and property, to suppress insurrection, disorder and violence, and to punish and cause to be punished all disturbers of the peace and criminals, and to this end he may allow local civil tribunals to take jurisdiction of and try offenders, or, when in his judgment it may be necessary for the trial of offenders, he shall have power to organize military commissions or tribunals for that purpose; and all interference under color of State authority with the exercise of military authority under this act shall be null and void.

Sec. 4. That all persons put under military arrest by virtue of this act, shall be tried without unnecessary delay, and no cruel or unusual punishment shall be inflicted; and no sentence of any military commission or tribunal hereby authorized, affecting the life or liberty of any person, shall be executed until it is approved by the officer in command of the district, and the laws and regulations for the government of the army shall not be altered by this act, except in so far as they may conflict with its provisions.

Sec. 5. That when the people of any one of the said rebel States shall have formed a constitution of government in conformity with the Constitution of the United States in all respects, framed by a convention of delegates, elected by the male citizens of said State twenty-one years old and upward, of whatever race, color, or previous condition, who have been resident in said State for one year previous to the day of such election, except such as may be disfranchised for participation in the rebellion, or for felony, at common law; and when such constitution shall provide that the elective franchise shall be enjoyed by all such persons as have the qualifications herein stated, for election of delegates, and when such constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the persons voting on the question of ratification who are qualified as electors for delegates, and when such constitution shall have been submitted to Congress for examination and approval, and Congress shall have approved the same, and when said State, by a vote of its Legislature elected under said constitution, shall have adopted the amendment to the Constitution of the United States proposed by the fourteenth Congress, and known as article 14, and when such article shall have become a part of the Constitution of the United States, said State shall be entitled to representation in Congress, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom, on their taking the oath prescribed by law, and then and thereafter the preceding sections of this act shall be inoperative.

Provided, That no person excluded from the privilege of holding office by said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States shall be eligible to election as a member of the convention to frame a constitution for any of said rebel States, nor shall any such person vote for members of such convention.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That until the people of said rebel States shall be by law admitted to representation in the Congress of the United States, any civil government which may exist therein shall be deemed provisional only, and in all respects subject to the paramount authority of the United States at any time to abolish, modify, control, or supersede the same; and in all elections to any office under such provisional government all persons shall be entitled to vote under the provisions of the fourth section of this act; and no person shall be eligible to any office under any such provisional government who would be disqualified from holding office under the provisions of the third article of said constitutional amendment.

SUPPLEMENTAL RECONSTRUCTION BILL.

AN ACT supplemental to an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, passed March 2, 1867, and to facilitate restoration.

Be it enacted, &c., That before the first day of September, 1867, the commanding general in each district defined by an act entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, approved March 2, 1867, shall cause a registration to be made of the male citizens of the United States, 21 years of age and upwards, resident in each county or parish in the State or States included in his district, which registration will include only those persons as are qualified to vote for delegates by the act aforesaid, and who shall have taken and subscribed the following oath or affirmation, namely:

"I ——, do solemnly swear, or affirm, in the presence of Almighty God, that I am a citizen of the State of ——, that I have resided in said State for — months next preceding this day, and now reside in the county of ——, or the parish of ——, in said State, as the case may be, that I am 21 years old; that I have not been disfranchised for participation in any rebellion or civil war against the United States, nor for felony committed against the laws of any State of the United States; that I have never been a member of any State Legislature, nor held any executive or judicial office in any State, and afterwards engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof; that I have never taken an oath as a member of Congress of the United States, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any State, to support the Constitution of the United States, and afterwards engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; that I will faithfully support the Constitution and obey the laws of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, encourage others to do so. So help me God." Which oath or affirmation may be administered by any registering officer.

Sec. 2. That after the completion of the registration hereby provided for in each State, at such time and place therein as the commanding general shall appoint and direct, of which at least thirty days' notice shall be given, an election shall be held for delegates to a convention for the purpose of establishing a constitution and civil government for such State loyal to the Union; said convention in each State, except Virginia, shall be composed of the same number of members as the most numerous branch of the State Legislature of such State in the year 1860, to be apportioned among the several districts, counties, or parishes of such State by the commanding general, giving to each representation in the ratio of voters registered as aforesaid, as nearly as may be. And the convention in Virginia shall consist of the same number of members as represented the territory now embraced in Virginia in the most numerous branch of the Legislature of said State in the year 1860, to be apportioned as aforesaid.

Sec. 3. That at said election the registered voters of each State shall vote for or against a convention to form a constitution therefor under this act. Those voting in favor of such a convention shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "for a convention." The persons appointed to superintend said election, and to make returns of the votes given thereat, as herein provided, shall count and make returns of the votes given for and against a convention; and the commanding general shall open the same and have been canvassed, shall ascertain and declare the total vote in each State for and against a convention. If a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a convention, then such convention shall be held as hereinafter provided; but if a majority of such votes be against a convention, then no such convention shall be held under this act: *Provided*, That no such convention shall be held unless a majority of all such registered voters offer to vote have voted on the question of holding such convention.

Sec. 4. That the commanding general of each district shall appoint such loyal officers or persons as may be necessary, not exceeding three in each county in said district, to register all loyal male citizens of any State, to make and complete the registration, superintend the elections, and make returns to him of the same, and the voters and of the persons elected as delegates by a plurality of the votes cast at said election; and upon receiving such returns he shall open the same, ascertain the persons elected as delegates according to the returns of the officers who conducted said election, and make proclamation thereof; and if a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a convention, the commanding general, within thirty days from the date of election, shall notify the delegates to a convention to assemble in convention at a time and place to be mentioned in the notification, and said convention, when organized, shall proceed to frame a constitution and civil government according to the provisions of this act, and the act to which it is supplementary; and when the same shall have been so framed, said constitution shall be submitted by the convention for ratification to the persons registered under the provisions of this act, at an election to be conducted by the officers, or persons appointed by the commanding general as hereinbefore provided, and held after the expiration of thirty days from the date of notice thereof to be given by said convention, and the returns of said election shall be made to the commanding general of the district.

Sec. 5. That if, according to said returns, the Constitution shall be ratified by a majority of the votes of the registered electors qualified as herein specified, cast at said election, at least one-half of all the registered voters voting upon the question of such ratification, the President of the Convention shall transmit a copy of the same, duly certified, to the President of the United States, who shall forthwith transmit the same to Congress, if then in session, and if not in session, then immediately upon its next assembling; and if it shall, moreover, appear to Congress that the election was one at which all the registered and qualified electors in the State had an opportunity to vote freely and without restraint, fear, or the influence of fraud, and if Congress shall be satisfied that such Constitution meets the approval of a majority of the qualified electors of the State, and if the said Constitution shall be declared by Congress to be in conformity with the provisions of this act to which it is supplementary, and the other provisions of said act shall have been complied with, and the said Constitution shall be approved by Congress, the State shall be entitled to representation, and Senators and Representatives shall be admitted therefrom as herein provided.

Sec. 6. That all elections in the States mentioned in the said Act to provide for the efficient government of the rebel States," shall, during the operation of said act, be by ballot; and all officers making the said registration of voters and conducting said elections shall, before entering upon the discharge of their duties, subscribe an oath faithfully to perform the duties of their said offices, and the oath prescribed by the act approved July 2, 1862, entitled "An act to prescribe an oath of office." *Provided*, That if any person shall knowingly and falsely take and subscribe to any oath in this act prescribed, such person so offending, and being thereof duly convicted, shall be subject to the pains, penalties and disabilities which by law are provided for the punishment of the crime of wilful and corrupt perjury.

Sec. 7. That all expenses incurred by the commanding generals by virtue of this act, and of the several boards provided for by them under or by virtue of this act, shall be paid out of moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 8. That the Convention for each State shall prescribe the qualifications and compensation to be paid to all delegates and other officers and agents herein authorized or necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this act, not herein otherwise provided for, and shall provide for the levy and collection of such taxes on the property in such State as may be necessary to the same.

Sec. 9. That the word "article" in the sixth section of the act to which this is supplementary, shall be construed to mean "section."

THE NEW RECONSTRUCTION, OR EXPLANATORY BILL PASSED JULY, 1867.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled: That it is hereby declared to have been the true intent and meaning of the act of the 2d day of March, 1867, entitled, An Act to provide for the more efficient Government of the Rebel States," and of the acts supplementary thereto, passed on the 23d day of March, in the year 1867, that the governments then existing in the several States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Florida, Texas, and Arkansas, were not legal State Governments; if continued were to be continued subject in all respects to the military authority of the respective districts, and to the paramount authority of the United States.

Sec. 2. That the commander of any district named in the said acts shall have power, subject to the disapproval of the General of the Army of the United States, to remove from office, and the exercise of official powers, any officer, or person holding or exercising, or professing to hold or exercise any civil or military office, or duty in such district under any power, election, appointment or authority derived from, or exercised by, or claimed under any so-called State or the government thereof, or any municipal or other division thereof; and shall fill vacancies occasioned by death, resignation or otherwise.

Sec. 3. That the General of the army of the United States shall be invested with all the powers of suspension, removal, appointment and detail granted in the preceding section to District Commanders.

Sec. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the acts of the officers of the army, already done, in removing in said districts persons exercising the functions of civil officers, and appointing others in their stead, are hereby confirmed; *provided*: That any person heretofore or hereafter appointed by any district commander to exercise the functions of any civil office may be removed at any time by the said district commander, and the acts to which this is supplementary.

Sec. 5. That the Boards of Registration provided for in the act entitled "An act supplementary to an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States," passed March 23, 1867, and to facilitate registration, passed March 23d, '67, shall have power, and it shall be their duty, before allowing the registration of any person, to ascertain upon such evidence as they may require whether such person is entitled to be registered under said acts, and any such Board may administer such oaths, and examine such witnesses touching such question, and no person shall be registered unless such Board shall decide that he is entitled thereto; and said Boards shall also have power to administer the oath, to be administered to voters at the polls, which each person shall take before registration, and to examine any one touching the qualifications of an applicant claiming registration, but in every case of a challenge by the Board, or by any one on behalf of the Board, of an applicant, and in every case of striking his name from the list as hereinafter provided, the Board shall make a note or memorandum which shall be returned with the registration list to the Commanding General of the District, stating the grounds of such refusal or said striking from the list. Provided that no person shall be disqualified as a member of any board of registration by reason of race or color.

Sec. 6. That the true intent and meaning of the oath prescribed in the said supplementary act, is among other things, that no person who has been a member of the Legislature of any State, or who has held any executive or judicial office in any State, whether he has taken an oath to support the Constitution of the United States or not, and whether he was holding such office at the commencement of the rebellion or had held it before, and who has afterwards engaged in the existing rebellion against the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof, is entitled to be registered, or to vote under the words executive or judicial office in any State in said oath mentioned shall be construed to mean all civil offices created by law for the administration of any general law of a State, or for the administration of justice.

Sec. 7. That the time for completing the original registration, provided for in said acts, may, in the discretion of the commander of any district, be extended from the 1st day of October, 1867, and the Boards of Registration shall have power, and it shall be their duty, commencing fourteen days prior to each election, to revise the registry of voters and upon reasonable public notice of the time and place thereof to revise for a period of five days before each election lists, and upon being satisfied that any person not entitled thereto has been registered, to strike his name off; any person may file a list, and such persons shall also add to such register the names of all persons who at that time possess the qualifications prescribed by said act, who have not been already registered, and no person shall at any time be entitled to be registered or to vote by reason of any executive pardon or amnesty, for any act or thing which without such pardon or amnesty would disqualify him from registration or voting.

Sec. 8. That section 4 of said last mentioned act, shall be construed to authorize the commanding general named therein, whenever he shall deem it needful, to remove any member of any board of registration, and to appoint another in his stead, and to fill any vacancy in such board.

Sec. 9. That all members of said boards of registration, and all persons hereafter elected or appointed to office in said military districts, under any so called State or municipal authority, or by detail or appointment of the district commander, shall be required to take and to subscribe the oath of office prescribed by law for officers of the United States.

Sec. 10. That no district commander or member of the board of registration or any of the officers or appointees acting under them shall be bound in his action by any opinion of any civil officer of the United States.

Sec. 11. That all the provisions of this act, and the acts to which this is supplementary, shall be construed liberally to the end that all the requirements thereof may be fully and completely carried out.

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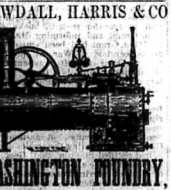

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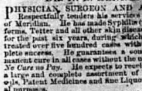

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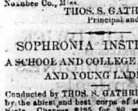

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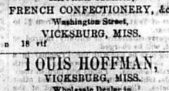

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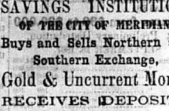

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It has been announced frequently within the last few months that several eminent scholars and sciens, chiefly professors in the University of Louisiana, were engaged in preparing a series of school books important especially for the use of Southern children, from which all sectionalism and partizanship should be excluded, and which should furthermore become models for instruction, both by their style and the information given in them.

The geographies of the series have been prepared by Lieut. M. F. Maury, the greatest of living geographers, whose reputation is such that they will, in all probability, be adopted in Europe as the standard for instruction. The arithmetics are by Prof. Venable, the English grammars, spellers and readers are by Prof. Holmes, the Latin grammar by Prof. Gildersehen, and Prof. Schele de Vere's French works are already well known. All these are now ready for examination and trial, and we would advise teachers and others interested in education, to apply to Gen. D. H. Maury, at 188 Gravier street, who will advise them respecting prices, etc., and the obtaining sample copies.—Picayune.

RELEASE OF MR. FILES.—Our readers will remember that some time ago Mr. Files, of Mobile, was arrested by the military authorities, and tried as the ringleader in the Kelly riot. The following account of his discharge, which we take from the Mobile Tribune, of the 8th, will be read with interest:

We take pleasure in announcing that our well known fellow-citizen, Mr. David E. Files, has been released from Fort Gaines, and will be in the city to-morrow. The decision of the court was that the prisoner pay a fine of $100 to Capt. Grierson, A. Q. M., which decision has been approved by Gen. Pope, and an order issued directing his release on payment of the fine. The $100 has already been paid, and the information sent to Fort Gaines.

TERRIBLE CALAMITY.—The public was shocked this morning by news of a calamity which has few parallels. It seems that sometime this morning, not long after midnight, Mrs. Carter, wife of one of the guards, was murdered in her own house. Mr. Carter living on St. Louis street—was alarmed at noises which seemed to indicate the presence of thieves. She hurried to the apartment of her son Jesse, in order to awaken him. The room was dark, suspecting his mother to be a robber, rose hastily and seizing a pistol, fired. He shot his mother. She lived long enough to have the accident explained to her; and mother and son left each other in that way.—Mobile Tribune.

MERCY FOR MRS. SURRATT.—A Washington correspondent says that the Commission in the case of Mrs. Surratt, made by the members of the Military Commission which tried that unfortunate woman, has been. The document reads as found follows:

The undersigned, members of the Military Commission detailed to try Mary E. Surratt and others, for the conspiracy and murder of Abraham Lincoln, late President of the United States, especially pray of the President the commutation of the sentence of the said Mary E. Surratt, if he can upon all the facts of the case, that is developed by his trial, to imprisonment for life in the country, to commute the sentence of death which the Court have been constrained, by the testimony, to pronounce, in the penitentiary for life. Respectfully submitted. Signed: E. D. Hunter, President; A. Ayer, Brigadier General; Thos. H. Thompkins, Brevet Colonel and A. Q. M.

The recommendation was drawn up by Hon. John A. Bingham, Judge Advocate, and the following members of the Commission refused to sign it: Gen. Lew. Wallace, A. J. Hover; F. M. Harris, and Col. D. R. Glendearing.

The next question to be determined is, who was the villian who kept this appeal for mercy from President Johnson?

For deriving the supremacy of the laws of Congress, and saying that he would not obey them, Governor Sheridan has been removed from that office by Gen. Hancock, and has been appointed Judge of that District, in his stead.

POISONED ARROWS.—A writer in Harper's Magazine tells how the Indians poison their arrows:

A rattlesnake is or sgit and pennel. He is made angery by oeing poked with sticks, when a piece of deer liver is held toward him on the end of a stick. Into this he strikes his fangs. The liver is then withdrawn, and a piece of dogwood about four inches long carefully sharpened, is thrust into the incision made by the fangs. The stick is permitted to dry for a short time, when it is dipped into a gluttinous solution, which, drying, hermetically seals the poison, which would otherwise decompose. This piece of dogwood is used at the head of an arrow. To be wounded with such an arrow is almost certain death.

The Memphis Avalanche says that since the election horrible is no longer heard when turned off by employers who did not need their labor nor feel compelled to support political cronies, but that the first question now is to discovered of a Radical giving a dinne to the discharged blacks.

"If you ever marry," said a Roman Consul to his son, "let it be to a woman who cannot speak." The unfortunate victim of the meeting of a meal of victuals, taste enough to wish to fore breakfast, and sense enough to bite her tongue when she has nothing to say."

THE STATE FAIR ELECTIONS.—The next election outside of the unreconstructed States will be that of Vermont, which will occur on the 1st of September, and Tuesday after the election in Maine will be held in every Union will follow. A few days afterwards, on the 5th of September, Maine will be clapse, at the end of which time the great State of Pennsylvania, Indiana and Ohio will engage in the political struggle—their day of election being the 8th of October. Next will come Iowa, on that day occur on the first Tuesday of November—the 5th. They are New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri and Nevada. Colorado will vote on the 12th of November, which will close the list of Fall elections.

IS the centre of Hancock county, Miss., there is an immense, almost impenetrable swamp, called the Devil's Swamp, which is filled with all manner of wild and ugly devilvines, creeping parasites, mud, bog, water, abounding in alligators, moccasins and other venomous snakes, gigantic mosquitoes, bear, deer, etc. This wild wilderness is said never to have been explored beyond its outskirts.

REAPPOINTED.—We learn, from the Register of the 7th instant, that Gen. Sheridan has reappointed the Mayor of Holly Springs, and the members of the City Council, their term of office having expired.

TOO MANY CONVICTS ESCAPING.—The Clarion has the following:

Several convicts made their escape at Lake Station between the convicts and the guard we failed to mention that nine of the former succeeded in escaping.

Horace Greeley says now that Bourbonism is to converge again, let him stop in skirting and not go through it. He would escape its acts well. But he talks at times in a wild, extravagant way which only does harm.

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SPACE.	1 MONTH.	3 MOS.	6 MOS.	12 MOS.
1 square	$ 5 00	$10 00	$ 15 00	$ 25 00
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1 column	25 00	50 00	75 00	125 00
2 columns	40 00	80 00	120 00	175 00
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The Atlanta Intelligencer says: It is the opinion of a good many well-informed minds that Georgia is rapidly drifting into the condition of Tennessee, and the opinion is based mainly on the fact that the whites, instead of uniting and harmonizing for self-defense, are permitting themselves to be divided, distracted and led off from the true policy of criminations and recriminations.

The total registration in Louisiana is as follows: Whites, 42,662; blacks, 73,129; total, 121,791.

REGISTRATION.—The total number of votes registered in Tishomingo county is 3,231, of these 2,637 are white and 596 colored.

Lee county—whites 1,813; blacks 769.

South county—whites 1,000; blacks 238.

Tippah county—whites 800, blacks 174. (This county will register 2,500, and the relative ratio of whites and blacks will not vary materially from the precincts already registered.)

Copiah county—whites 1,320 blacks 1,500.

YELLOW FEVER.—We learn that there is some yellow fever in the city of Pensacola.

James Hendibert, of Jackson, a native of France, and for twenty-five years a citizen of this State, formerly American consul to Lyons, died at his residence in Jackson on the 10th inst.

D. R. Corley, an old and highly esteemed citizen of Tishomingo county, died recently at Columbus, Miss. At the time of his death, Mr. Corley was R. W. Grand Tyler of the Grand Chapter of the State.

THE HEALTH OF VICKSBURG.—The mortuary report of the City Sexton, for the week ending Monday, shows a gratifying improvement on several previous reports. The report shows only *eighteen* interments against *twenty-two* last week, and *thirty-eight* for the week immediately preceding that. Of the eighteen interments reported, it will be observed that there was only *one death from cholera*.

JUDGE HANCOCK.—We fully endorse the following complimentary allusion to this gentleman which we find in the last Meridian Chronicle:

Judge H. was, in former years, a citizen of this county, he has held his present office for twelve years and during that time been five times elected by the people. We believe he is the right man in the right place; that his decisions are generally characterized by justice and impartiality. He has on all occasions meted strict and impartial justice to the citizens, and we learn he is now a strong advocate for reconstruction. If all the public officials in the country pursued the same course, work of reconstruction would go on smoothly, and Mississippi be restored to her place in the Union and prosperity attend her citizens.

Punch thinks the industry of the ladies in Paris surpasses belief. They dye—their hair; they enamel—their faces; they gild —their locks; they paint—their cheeks; and now they bronze—their complexions!

The Memphis Bulletin calls attention to the case of Lieutenant Blaine who is still confined in a penitentiary at Brooklyn, New York, under a charge of murder growing out of the capture of the steamer Chesapeake. He has been imprisoned nearly a year, in violation of the amnesty proclamation of the President, within the terms of which he was included and on the faith of which he returned to the United States, and no trial has been offered him. The Bulletin calls on the Northern journals to demand that the public honor shall be preserved, either by trying the prisoner or releasing him.

State Teachers Association.

This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler, Butler's Grammar, Towne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geology.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text-books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a supply of these books for their pupils. With the exception of the Geology, which is just being issued from the press, these books are already used in all the public and private schools of New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but, as regards schools off the lines of railroads a difficulty will occur unless prompt steps be taken. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to aid the association in its work, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, stating the number of books likely to be needed. Our acquaintance with the members of that house warrants us in assuring teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every reasonable request complied with.

During the week ending Saturday last, there were 174 deaths reported in New Orleans. There were only 14 of yellow fever and 14 of cholera.

Secretary Stanton.

Judge Thurman of Ohio, recently made a speech in which he asserted that Stanton had not denied that he told Governor Brown of this State, that Mississippi had a just right to secede, and that he had been charged, upon unimpeachable authority, with declaring that a speech of Jeff. Davis, vindicating secession, was the greatest ever delivered in the Senate Chamber, and unanswerable.

The Cincinnati Commercial in referring this statement says:

It is a curious fact in this connection that when citizen Corry made his visit to Wheatland and endeavored to raise a cheer for Mr. Buchanan's election and before his inauguration—in a mice to being to prompt the old Federalist, to take the Unionist view of the Federal system, and shape his administration accordingly; it is a curious fact, we say, that the man recommended to Mr. Buchanan as the proper persons to represent the State sovereignty element of the West in the Cabinet, were Edward M. Stanton, of Ohio, and Joseph Holt, of Kentucky. Those two, with Corry and Elwood Fisher, were the State Sovereignty quadrilateral. Corry's recommendation of Stanton and Holt is recorded in his Diary of a visit to Wheatland, as published in the Commercial about ten years ago.

A mass of papers have been presented to the President by Chas. Dunham, alias Sanford Conover, as a ground of pardon, which will be very damaging to some members of the Impeachment Committee and the Bureau of Military Justice. Conover, it will be remembered, in the month of January last was tried, convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for perjury, alleged to have been committed before the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives, and was sent to prison by said Committee of charges against Jefferson Davis of complicity in the conspiracy to assassinate Lincoln. Dunham tells how he was bribed and duped by Ashley, Butler, and the Military Bureau of Justice; gives an expose of the conspiracy of Ashley & Co., and a synopsis of the kind of evidence that Ashley had invented to implicate President Johnson in the assassination plot. The original notes and telegrams from Ashley and others are given, and are so carefully explained as to leave no doubt of their genuineness. Says Mr. Binckley, the Acting Attorney General:

The accusations and papers expose prominent members of the Legislature of the Union to the shocking suspicion of having conspired with a convicted perjurer for a stipendious imposition—first upon the House of Representatives, then upon the people, and then upon the Senate of the United States—for the purpose of effecting the impeachment and removal from office of a President of the United States, solely upon suborned testimony. I need not say with what astonishment mankind would hear it charged that a scheme so abominable was alighted upon by the peculiar wickedness of attempting to induce the intended victim, himself, through appeals to his clemency, to qualify, by a pardon, with, consequent competency to act and testify, the principal instrument of the imposture!

Gen. Grant and the Presidency.

The Mobile Times, a few weeks since, placed at the head of its columns the name of Gen. Grant for President and Senator Pessenden for Vice-President. This suggestion of the Times failed to excite the indignation of such intensely loyal sheets as the Chicago Republican and is treated as an attempt to "undermine" Grant in the estimation of the Radicals and seriously damage his prospects for the. Presidency.

The following extract from the Chicago Republican shows the way in which the nomination of our Mobile cotemporary is received:

"But, *apropos* of this alleged scheme to undermine General Grant's position as a candidate for President, we have before us another, even more damaging, originating from quite a different source, and about which there is no doubt whatever. The Mobile Times, a 'conservative' paper, and a rebel persuasion, and always for a zealous supporter of President Johnson's policy has recently nominated what it calls a 'Union ticket' headed by Grant for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency—General Grant being its nominee for the first position, and Senator Fessenden for the second. Apart from the bad taste of the attempt on the part of an organ of the rebellion to dictate to the loyal people of the nation whom they shall to the first offices in the gift of the people, these nominations are calculated to do the cause of justice no two of the truest men of the country during our recent struggle. It implies that the rebels have the same advantage from the election of Gen. Grant and Mr. Fessenden not contemplated in the policy of Congress, which has always been indorsed by an overwhelming majority of the people. Nothing, we believe, would be at the same time more damaging or more unjust to both these gentlemen.—The fact that Gen. Grant sustains Gen. Sheridan's action in the Louisiana and Texas affair is consistent with his official position, he supports Mr. Stanton in his contest with the President, and supports the policy the position attempted to be assigned him, while Mr. Fessenden's support of the reconstruction policy of Congress is approved by his votes. The attempt, therefore, to connect the name of either with the Conservative party, whether by appointment in the Cabinet or by nominations to the Presidency or Vice-Presidency, can only be inspired by a hostile motive, having for its object the undermining of the confidence of the men, and the utter destruction of their chances of political advancement. We protest against any such attempt, as a malicious scheme emanating to destroy the influence and good name of true friends of the country.

The army worm we are told has made its appearance in the neighborhood of Demopolis. The worms are not as yet very numerous and consequently the cotton has sustained but little damage.

TEXIE.—A Georgian who went out to Texas last year, writes back to the Macon Telegraph as follows from Millers county in regard to the health of that State:

To those anticipating moving here next fall or winter, I will state that all immigrants who came out here last fall, or winter, have, without an exception, been sick more or less. I know of no case of families, and at times you might see of these an entire family of from four to ten persons down at once, with no one to hand them a bad drink of water, (for good they had none,) with many of them have died. Very many of the old citizens have died this summer, as many as four out of one family. In the Waco district of Navarro county No. 5, it is said to be very healthy.

I am informed by old Texans, that whenever there is rain enough to make good crops, the graveyards receive large accessions. This year has demonstrated this fact. Wherever it is dry there seems to be made to eat (except beef.) It is very healthy. Sunstroke, from exhaustion, is the fate of many. Little River above Franklin, is about as large as the Ogeechee River. This country has been very wet indeed; hence, graveyards have grown rapidly, and corn-cribs will be filled this fall, and so will gin-houses have been built, so much for all middle Texas.

A Northern View of Reconstruction.

The Cincinnati Commercial, the most moderate as well as the ablest Republican paper of the West, in referring to the Military bills of Congress and their finality as a plan of reconstruction if accepted by the Southern people, says:

As the Constitutional Amendment is to the Reconstruction Bill now, so will the Reconstruction Bill be to the next alternative a year hence. What that will be we cannot say, but we will not be found very far astray if we predict that it will be to place the political power of the ten States in the hands of the Hamiltons, Hunnicutts, and the colored people of the South, *and to exclude from the right of suffrage the last of the holding class, many who have done and comfort to, or participated in, the rebellion.* We shall then have eleven Tennessees instead of one. To this complexion it is the great aim of the extreme Radicals in Congress to come at last. They urged this last winter in lieu of the Military Bill, which many of them denounced, echoing the cries of the "white leagues" of the South. And it is worthy of remark that the most obnoxious feature of the Military Bill—that part of it known as the Shellabarger Amendment—was inserted by the aid of Democratic votes. The Democrats in the House joined with the Radical wing of the Republican party in refusing to order the previous question on the bill as it came from the Senate, thus enabling Shellabarger to get in his amendment.

There is very little force in the objection raised by some speakers and journals in the South that Congress has given no assurance that the Southern States will be admitted upon compliance with the terms of the Military Bill. All the assurance that is necessary is given in the bill itself, which states in so many words that upon so doing certain things therein named the States shall be admitted to representation in both Houses.

There is the further guarantee of a strong public sentiment in the North which would not tolerate or indorse any act of bad faith in Congress in a manner of the like kind. The Republican party is pledged to the Reconstruction Acts of the last two sessions, and will abide by them as the final terms of restoration; until then South shall repeat the folly of a year ago, and reject them with scorn and contempt."

We have given below the only plan by white people of the South, and have omitted to mention one very important phase of reconstruction developed which ought to suggest itself to the minds of those who are advocating the policy of non-action—They may succeed, possibly, in keeping the whites to stand aloof from the ballot-box, or to vote against a State Convention. They will not find it easy to do this with the blacks. The question, then, in such States as South Carolina and Mississippi, where the blacks are in the majority, *is not whether these shall or shall not be reconstructed under the Military Bill, but whether the whites will have any hand in the matter, or leave it entirely to the Slaves to form their own State government.* It will not do for them after having remained inactive and refused to assist or mention the work, in any way, to inveigh against the new governments as made exclusively by negroes. They have an opportunity to be represented, and if not, to control at least to assist in shaping the new constitutions, and the first elections. If they fold their arms disdainfully, it will be their own fault if they find themselves a year hence living under State constitutions not very favorable to them and participated in the rebellion, and State governments in the hands of the negroes exclusively.

HEADQ'RS. 4TH MILITARY DISTRICT, (Mississippi and Arkansas.)
OFFICE OF CIVIL AFFAIRS.
Vicksburg, Miss., August 6th, 1867.

CIRCULAR.

I. Section 1 of the Supplementary Act of Congress relating to reconstruction, published in General Orders, No. 71, current series, from the Adjutant General's Office, makes it the duty of the Commanders of the Military District created in connection with the same subject to remove from office all persons who are disloyal to the Government of the United States, or who use their official influence in any manner to hinder, delay, prevent, or obstruct the due and proper administration of this Act and the Acts to which it is supplemental; and, in consequence, Sub-District and Post Commanders and Commanders of Registration are required to report in detail all offences of the nature thus described, committed by persons subject to removal under the provisions of the different laws above referred to in order that if the case shall be substantiated the laws may be duly enforced.

II. In addition to the examination into the antecedents of every person presenting himself for registration, already directed in the Circulars from these Headquarters, sections 5 and 6, of the Act referred to Supplementary Act, makes it the duty of each Board of Registration to examine, and to still closer scrutiny regard to the qualifications of applicants for registry. The Boards will therefore, in future, be regulated by these more stringent rules, and the work which they have already performed will be reviewed from time and in the manner hereafter directed, so as to conform strictly to the provisions of the new law.

III. The Boards of Registration will continue and complete the work which has been suspended by the late Presidential ruption, governing themselves strictly by the instructions heretofore given and such modifications as have been made by more recent laws and orders. And they will keep lists of the persons applying for and existing rights of registry, whom, regard as disqualified; but no person concerning whom doubts are entertained, will be registered, by the Commissioners, or regarded as finished when the two (2) copies or county books have been completed; immediately after which, one copy will be brought by a member of the Board to these Headquarters together with a list of persons as above referred to, but the duplicate will be retained by the Board, along with pressent books.

IV. After the completion of the registry, due notice will be given of the time when the election will take place and specific instructions will be given with regard to the manner of holding it; but, fourteen days previous to the day of election, each Board will in the manner prescribed in the 7th section of the last Supplementary Act, at the county seat, or other more prominent locality, and will then continue in session during five days, to revise the books of registration, and their revision the names of all persons who have been previously marked as "Reported for investigation," and of all others whom the Board is satisfied after the examination should not have been registered, will be stricken off. Any person thus struck off, will be added to the registers in the proper manner, and separate lists of the names so registered, and those erased from the registers, will be prepared and forwarded to these Headquarters as soon the lists of those who were refused registration and who demanded the fact to be recorded.

The corrected county and precinct books will, after the revision, be retained by the registrars until needed for the election.

By command of BRVT. MAJOR GENERAL ORD:

BREVET MAJOR General.

ASST. INSPECTOR General U. S. Army.

Official:—

1st Lieut. 33d U. S. Infantry,
Acting Assistant Adjutant General.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.—Hon. Wm. Yerger has accepted the invitation to address the people of Clarke county at Quitman, on Monday, the 26th inst. The subject is political condition of the country, and the duty of the people of the State to accept the terms of reconstruction tendered in the Military bill.—Clarion Dis.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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The above will be sold to suit purchaser, in two equal parts, one part to be paid in twelve months for boarding people. And no pupil will be received as a boarder, or day scholar, except at the beginning of each five months (except those taught gratuitously), without prepayment. In case of non-attendance as above, money will be refunded

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All property carelessly or wilfully injured or destroyed, will be charged.

Boarding may be had with the Principal in a new and elegantly finished dwelling, or with good private families. Pupils will furnish their own towels, table napkins, drinking mugs, and other toilet articles. Catalogues can be had of the Principal. The third Term will open on Monday, Sept. 23, 1867. augtc

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THE first semi-annual session of twenty months will begin on Monday, 2d inst.

MRS. A. H. HAMPTON, one of the most successful and experienced teachers in the State, will have charge of the School as Principal.

In addition to the branches usually taught in English schools, are undergraduated will, for the present, teach the ancient languages.

Application for admission, should be made without delay in order to secure entrance.

The proficiency in all cases will be given to or-phan and indigent children.

Paying pupils will however, be received on the same terms as the others. Address, or the undersigned will get to sustain the school.

Further information may be given by Rev. Hampton, who is to be yours as Rev. Rector, or by the undersigned.

augtd&wlt R. C. HARRIS.

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The following receipt from the State Treasurer exhibits the fact that the Society has paid into the State Treasury the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS for the benefit of the
STATE UNIVERSITY.

COPY OF RECEIPT.

No. 127] STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, [$5,000
State Treasurer's Office,

Received of W. D. Lyles, Pres't., &c., per C. R. White, the sum of five thousand dollars in full for Agricultural Warrant No. 2,000, dated July 15th, A. D. 1867, in his favor on account of University of Mississippi, under 4th section of acts of Feb. 14, 1867, and in full of all other claims against the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing AID SOCIETY.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 12th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN H. ECHOLS,
State Treasurer.

In the three Preliminary Distributions and Grand Scheme, there will be distributed a $250 Premiums amounting to $833,900 in 9,000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $30 to $80,000

First Preliminary Distribution.
SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of	$6,000	$ 6,000
1 "	4,000	4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	500	500
1 "	100	100
495 "	50	24,750
500 Premiums amounting to		$37,350

Second Preliminary Distribution.
OCTOBER 16th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$6,000	$ 6,000
1 "	4,000	4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
1 "	500	500
1 "	100	100
495 "	50	24,750
500 Premiums amounting to		$38,350

Third Preliminary Distribution.
NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$6,000	$6,000
1 "	4,000	4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
1 "	500	500
1 "	100	100
495 "	50	24,750
500 Premiums amounting to		$38,350

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1 Premium of	$30,000	$30,000
1 "	15,000	15,000
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1 "	4,000	4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
30 "	500	15,000
60 "	250	15,000
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The above terms will be required strictly in advance, monthly for day pupils, and every five months for boarding pupils. And no pupil will be received as a boarder, or day scholar, except at the beginning of each five months (except those taught gratuitously), without prepayment. In case of non-attendance as above, money will be refunded

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Further information may be given by Rev. Hampton, who is to be yours as Rev. Rector, or by the undersigned.

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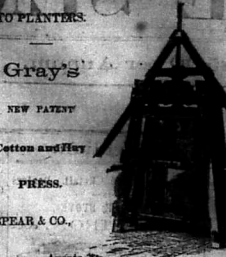

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Arrive at Jackson ..... 12 P. M.
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Mail train leaves Meridian ..... 7.20 A. M. Arrive at Jackson ..... 11 A. M.
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Arrive at Meridian ..... 6.30 P. M.
Accommodation leaves Meridian ..... 8.45 A. M.
Arrive at Jackson ..... 4.30 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 a. m. Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 p. m. Corinth 7.00 p. m. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1.40 A. M. Macon 3.05 A. M. Meridian 6.30 A. M. Enterprise 7.50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3.10 P. M. Distance 477 miles; Time 18 hours and 10 minutes.

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Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:30 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8:35 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:30 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 2:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

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FAST DAY.—In accordance with the recommendations of the Bishops of the Methodist Church South, in their late pastoral address, yesterday was to be observed as a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer.

Some parties have applied to Gen. Pope to suppress the Mobile Tribune. The General very properly refused to interfere with that journal.

There are 3,173 registered voters in Chickasaw county—1,495 whites and 1,689 blacks.

Capt. E. V. Early of this city, now travelling in the north, has our thanks for files of late papers.

Col. W. S. Patton has withdrawn from the Patton House. That establishment is now conducted by Mr. Cain, the former proprietor.

Despite the cry of hard times a great many new buildings are going up in the city. In our next issue we hope to be able to give a list of them.

We would direct the attention of the city authorities to the condition of the grave yard road. It needs working very badly. Let us have a good road to the "city of the dead" if nowhere else.

THE STATE UNIVERSITY.—The last catalogue of this institution, which is an ornament to Mississippi, shows a degree of prosperity that but few expected, considering the destruction of property about Oxford and the vicinity by Federal raiders during the war. The means of teaching are complete and a corps of professors secured as renowned as those of any similar institution in the country. We would invite particular attention to the University advertisement elsewhere. The highest talent is employed there and advantages offered for the completion of education that are not excelled by the famous Universities of Europe. For information and catalogues address "University of Mississippi, Oxford, Miss."

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of a valuable plantation for sale by Dr. Peyton King. The land to which we refer is well improved, in a high state of cultivation, and favorably situated on the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, between this city and Enterprise. The location is favorable either for farming or raising stock. Those who desire to invest in valuable real estate, would do well to confer with Dr. King, and examine the land he offers for sale.

SELF-RAISING FLOUR.—We call attention to the advertisement of Darcy & Putnam's self raising flour, to be found among our new advertisements. We are using this flour, and can recommend it to the public as a reliable article. It has been examined by chemists and pronounced *healthier* than any flour that can be used. Send the grocer your order and give it a trial.

THE FIRST CARGO of cotton—consisting of 300 bales from Marion, Alabama, through this city Thursday morning, en route to Mobile.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

The following despatches to the Mission Register and Democrat, will be found interesting:

WASHINGTON, August 14.—The President, through Gen. Sheridan, has issued Gen. Sheridan's order announcing the appointment of Gen. Reynolds to command the Fifth Military District, composed of the Federal Courts. This revokes Gen. Sickles' order assigning Gen. Canby to command in North Carolina.

Gen. Grant has issued orders to General Grant, complaining that General Rosseau's general demeanor towards him was not that of a subordinate officer, of the district had a right to expect.

Mr. Stanton and wife have gone to Boston.

Mr. Stanton's son retains a clerkship in the War Department.

Gen. Grant is very busy, and there are but few visitors admitted.

Paymaster R. W. Price has issued a circular, discontinuing the registers of payments on fraudulent discharge papers, and concludes by stating that boodsmen are responsible for illegal disbursements by paymasters.

Attorney General Stanberry is at Capon Springs, in bad health.

Yesterday's Cabinet meeting was the most harmonious for months.

Gen. Ord's dispatches say that the Sioux Indians are banding together and crossing the Platte for a battle at Plum Creek station.

General advices indicate that hostilities are impending.

Post offices are revived and new ones opened every day throughout the South.

WASHINGTON, August 14.—Senator Lazarus Powell, of Kentucky, and Governor Letchford arrived last evening, and will await orders from the Austrian government.

RICHMOND, August 14.—John S. Pemberton, of Culpepper county, a former member of the Legislature, arrived here this evening, having been arrested on the charge of perjury in registering.

The steamship Hartford and Wyoming fought the Chinese pirates on the island of Formosa, who refused to surrender the Englishmen or the American Rover's crew.

After shelling the shore several boat loads effected a landing. Five hours' sharp fighting ensued. Fifteen officers and men were sun-struck.

Capt. McKenzie was fatally wounded. The fighting party withdrew, and the bombardment was continued until the natives disappeared, when the vessel left the scene of action.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 15.—The returns of registration show; whites registered 44,732; blacks 82,907; total 127,639. The whites have a very small majority in two parishes. The white majority in the city is 40.

As soon as the State is arranged into Districts, Gen. Sheridan will issue an order for election of members to the Convention.

The deaths from yellow fever in this city this week, to this morning, were 14.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Brigadier General Horace Porter, aid to Gen. Grant, replaces Gen. Pelouze, as Adjutant General of the War Department, who retires, it is alleged, on account of ill health.

Gen. Rousseau, while he laughs at Gen. Sheridan's letter to Gen. Grant, complaining that Rousseau withheld the respect due to Sheridan as commander of the district, denies having molested the commander of the district if he had.

Mr. Davis declines an interview with the Rev. Paul Bagly, in relation to a petition for pardon.

The report of the Congressional Committee on Southern Outrages exculpates Mr. Johnson from any connection with the alleged frauds.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Mr. Bradley was arrested this morning upon an affidavit charging him with sending a challenge.—He waved an examination and gave bail in the sum of $2,000.

Mr. Holt has returned from his Northern trip. His suspension is daily expected.

Gen. Grant left at 12 M. for Galena.

Canales has revolted and attempted to enclave a republic, but failed. He is marching on Matamoras.

An order from the Government at Mexico City to confine Santa Anna, Almonte and Rivas in the castle of San Juan in separate apartments and in close confinement.

Latest Market Reports.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 15.—Cotton—sales to-day 200 bales; Low Middling 26c.; receipts 96 bales. Louisiana Sugar quiet and firm with a light stock; good fair 13½@14c.; Cuba retailing at 13½@14c. for fully fair. Molasses dull, quoted 40@55c. Flour dull and unsettled—Superfine $8 00@8 25; Extra $8 50@8 75; Choice $13@14.

Gold 140. Sterling 52½@54½. New York Sight ½ premium.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—Tobacco active; and some grades higher. Hemp firm—Dressed firm. Pork $12 00@12 50. Lard $13 00@13 50. Wheat heavy and five cents lower; Corn heavy and low; 80c. Oats dull and low; 50@55c. Rye dull and low for white; 92@93c for yellow; Oats dull and heavy, 50@55c.; Mess pork held at $34@25.; Bacon unchanged.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 15.—Sales to-day 130 hhds. of tobacco, $3 00@9 75 for selections. Hemp dull; in bulk; Lard in Tierces, 12½c. Cotton, 24@25c. Raw whiskey $2 30 in bond.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 15.—Flour firmer and higher; family $10@10 50. Wheat, red $2 12@2 15; Corn quiet; 85c. for No. 1. Whiskey steady, $2 20 in bond. Provisions firmer. Mess pork held at $23 75. Bulk Meats 11½@13¼, for shoulders or Sides. Bacon firm; shoulders 13¾c; sides 15½c; clear sides 16c; 200@300 for sugar-cured hams. Lard dull at 13½c.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Who is Ben. Hill, of Georgia?

This gentleman is the idol of the disloyal, and his productions the text book of the opponents of the reconstruction of the Government. Such being the case, the people ought to know what sort of a Hill he is. Gov. Joseph E. Brown, of Ga., furnishes the requisite information in the following article:

In No. 14 of Mr. Hill's notes I find the following language:

"Sumner and Stevens, and Brown and Holden are not accidents, nor are they original characters. They have figured in all mad revolutions, from the fall of Greece and the destruction of Jerusalem to the present day. Such men have never been, fresh crops to principle, faithless to trust and despotic in professions, but always consistent in the common end of destruction to government. And as these Military bills have no character but opposition to all the provisions and principles of the Constitution, and can have no end, but its utter and final destruction, such men and all their illegitimate sections, will write in their support."

Whether all the persons named support the military bills or not, Mr. Hill's intention is plain—to denounce all who support or advocate a settlement of our unfortunate political difficulties, under the Military bills, as traitorous, faithless and deceitful. Coming from a source entitled to respect, this would be a serious charge. As it is intended, however, as a political document, and was written for political effect, to deceive and mislead before attaching importance to it, I consider it not inappropriate to inquire into the political respectability of the author.

If I am correctly informed Mr. Hill started his political life professing to be a Democrat. In 1855 he was the Know Nothing candidate for Congress for his District and was defeated. In 1856 he was on the electoral ticket, supported by the Know Nothing party of Georgia, and was defeated. In 1857 he was the Know Nothing candidate for Governor, and was defeated. As I was the Democratic candidate, probably the latter defeat had not been forgotten by him when he prepared his "Notes on the Situation." In 1859 he took position in advance for war, without waiting for an overt act of oppression by the Federal Government, in case the Republican party should elect their candidate for President the next year. In the Fall of 1859 he was elected State Senator from Troup county, for two years, the most distinguished honor ever conferred upon him by popular vote.

After Mr. Lincoln was elected President, he backed down from his position for war, and was a candidate in the winter of 1860 for the Convention on the Union or Co-operation ticket. He was defeated and took his seat in the Secession Convention. He at first opposed secession. Before the passage of the Ordinance of Secession, after it was known that a majority of the Convention favored it, it began to be discussed in private circles who should be elected to the Provisional Congress in case the State seceded.—The Ordinance was put upon its final passage and Mr. Hill voted for it and signed it a few days afterwards he was elected to Congress by the Convention. Whether by voting for the Ordinance he betrayed the people of Troup county, whose voice was against secession for the causes then existing, is a question I pretend to inquire. At any rate he was not elected as a secessionist, for then existing causes; he voted for the Ordinance, and was elected to Congress by a majority of the Convention. What important feature of practical statesmanship he inaugurated, or carried through Congress by his ability or influence during his whole term of service, I have never been able to learn.

When the Secession Convention was in session in Savannah, Mr. Hill, then a member of both the convention and provisional Congress, made a speech to the people in which he said: "The North would not fight. There would be war. But if the North should be so foolish as to go into the contest, there never was a people on the face of the earth so well prepared for it as we were. It should be an aggressive war. The war should be carried into Africa; and when the cities of the North were laid in ashes, and the country devastated and laid waste, then we should find that the people of the North were the ones to ask for terms and sue for peace." He pictured the rising glory of the new Confederacy, and went on to say, that while this became more compact and secure, disintegration would come as sure as fate upon the other side, and they would seek entrance into this. And he very graciously added that, "If they came humbly enough as hewers of wood and drawers of water, they might come."

When the next Legislature met, there were in it a majority of the old Know-Nothing party, and Mr. Hill was elected to the Confederate Senate over Gen. Toombs.

While in the Senate he voted, under oath, against the first conscript bill.—As is well-known, I opposed the measure when made public as unconstitutional. Not long after this was known, Mr. Hill made a speech in Milledgeville, in which he intended to be very severe on me for my opposition to a measure against which he had cast his vote upon oath; and said the country would have been ruined if it had not passed. After that time he became the zealous advocate of the conscription policy, and denounced all who opposed it.

During the war when a call was made upon the people, not subject to conscription, to volunteer and organize for home defence, when it was doubtful whether they would be called out for active service, Mr. Hill made a speech in LaGrange and encouraged all to volunteer, and as a means of giving force to his appeals, and of showing his own patriotic devotion to the cause, he enrolled, or authorized his own name to be enrolled, as a private in one of the companies being formed, and pledged himself to go if they were called out. Soon after upon the advance of the Federal army, the company was ordered to the field for active service, and Mr. Hill not being one of the troupes who showed a will to lose blood, backed out and refused to go. The reason reported at the time, as given by him for his refusal, was that he was a Confederate Senator drawing a salary, and that while in this condition it would be unconstitutional for him to draw the pay of a private soldier! So it appears that the present is not the only occasion when Mr. Hill's motto has been to stand by the Constitution as his only safety! As he would certainly have been entitled to the pay of a private soldier if he had shouldered his gun and gone with the company, and as it was wrong for a Senator to violate the Constitution, he was not arrested and compelled to serve!

All true Confederates are expected by him to admit, that Mr. Hill's denunciation of those who willfully encouraged desertion or evaded service, by any who could enter the bullet department, without a violation of the Constitution, is most just and proper. But no one is expected to blame a Senator for refusing to shoulder a musket as a private soldier, in violation of the Constitution, after getting "our people," whose "intelligence and virtue," he says, he has often overrated," into the service, any more than the world was expected to blame the lame captain for starting in the retreat in advance of his men. It may be, in view of the above incident in his life, that Mr. Hill exclaims in No. 14 of his notes "I never felt I made war on the Union."

Mr. Hill now says, "I was willing every hour of the struggle to stop the fight and negotiate." When and to whom did he proclaim that willingness? All remember in Georgia that he was stumping the State when Gen. Lee surrendered, assuring our people that there was no possible danger of subjugation, and exhorting them to accept nothing but "independence or extermination."

While I admit that our position as a conquered people is not consistent with our former position; and that the sword having settled the construction of the Constitution against us, the position of individuals who adopted the State Rights theory prior to the war, and the one they now occupy under the amnesty oath by which they are sworn to support the Union of the States, are inconsistent, I have felt justified, as the assailed party, in recurring to this outline—before and during the war—of the political character of this reckless calumniator, who denounces the Congress of the United States, again and again, till the tautology is fatiguing, as a "fragmentary conclave," and its members, without exception, as perjured traitors and libellers; who charges the President of the United States with having committed "the most fatal and dangerous error of this generation, not excepting secession nor coercion, nor even fanaticism itself," because he has agreed that it is his duty to execute laws passed over his veto by two-thirds of Congress, which have not been declared void by the Supreme Court; who boldly proclaims that it is the duty of the President to suppress Congress &c., for which it is the Supreme Court of the United States for having in a late decision, as he says, "simply affirmed what is called the ultra State rights doctrine of South Carolina;" who asserts that Gens. Beauregard, Longstreet, and Hampton are far more to be despised than a burglar, because they "counsel submission to the Military acts;" and who denounces Gen. Lee, Gen. Johnston, Gen. Gordon and others, officer of the Generals of the Confederate armies, each, as an "enemy to the Constitution," because they "passively submit" to the same acts of Congress.

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The above terms will be required to be paid in advance, monthly for day pupils, and every five weeks for boarding pupils. And no pupil will be received at the beginning of each month, or at the beginning of each five months (except those entering at the commencement of the term.) In case of protracted sickness &c., money will be refunded

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Further information will be given by Mrs. Harper, who may be seen at the Academy, or by the undersigned.

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A company has been organized in New York to test the cotton tax. The company is now engaged in gathering the receipts for all taxes paid in this State for the purpose of reclamation," so says the Clarion.

Diligent inquiry has failed to show that any material injury has yet been done by the cottonworm in Sumter county, Alabama.

THE BODY OF MAXIMILIAN.—Confirmatory information has reached Washington of the statement that the Mexican authorities have turned over Maximilian's body to the Austrian authorities at Vera Cruz. The body was in a zinc-lined coffin, and as it had been poorly embalmed, was fast decomposing.

SOUTHERN EMIGRANTS TO BRAZIL.—The statements recently made in the Gazette by Mr. John H. Evans, of Clarke, in reference to the condition and prospects of the Brazilian Emigrants are confirmed daily by others, who are returning. Those who still remain are said to be in a most deplorable condition, suffering for the common wants of life.

It appears from the registration returns in Alabama, that thus far 112,470 voters have been registered, of these 46,607 are white, and 65,773 black, giving a black majority of 19,076. And in Louisiana, 127,639 have been registered—44,732 white and 82,907 black.

A NEW CONFISCATION SCHEME.—Among the special Washington telegraphic reports to the St. Louis Dispatch, is a statement to the effect that a bill is being prepared by prominent loyal men South to enforce the present confiscation laws, and so modify them as to re-survey all of the Southern States in the same manner as public lands are surveyed, and to grant pre-emption rights to the freedmen and Union soldiers. Three hundred million of dollars of the proceeds arising from the sale are to be used in re-imbursing loyal men for property destroyed and confiscated by the Confederate Government. The balance will be set aside for paying pensions to disabled Union soldiers. The bill provides that after the survey is made the land shall be offered for sale to freedmen and discharged Union soldiers at the rate of $1 25 per acre, payable in twenty years, at an interest of six per cent. per annum.

Other parties are to be allowed to purchase at 25 per cent cash, and equal annual installments for three years at six per cent. interest. The last section provides that disloyal persons shall be allowed to retain property to the amount of $5,000, provided the limits of such property do not exceed the legal subdivision of 160 acres.

Registration.

JASPER COUNTY.

	Whites.	Blacks.
Montrose,	53	40
Perry's Box,	22	10
Garlandville,	90	160
Blue Ridge,	49	36
Anderson's Mills,	24	
Wade's Mills,	22	10
Antioch,	69	16
Alabama,	40	15
Claiborne,	53	74
Hickory Grove,	56	104
Buckley's	30	19
Porter's,	32	48
Davisville,	48	90
Paulding,	222	215
	811	837
Total,		1648
Majority of blacks, 26.		

CLARKE COUNTY.

The following is the number of voters registered in Clarke county, Miss.

	Whites.	Blacks.
Enterprise,	273	419
Quitman,	108	69
DeSoto,	110	214
Shubuta,	151	386
Pearce's Springs,	22	13
Energy,	60	4
	724	1105
Total,		1829
Majority of blacks, 381.		

Tushomingo.—Whites 2,637; blacks 596.

Attala county.—Whites 995; blacks 892.

Winston county.—Whites, 832; blacks 486.

Hancock county.—Whites, 536; blacks 259.

Copiah county.—White 1430; blacks 1589.

Monroe county.—Whites 1273; blacks 2744.

Pontotoc county.—Whites 1461; blacks 466.

RESIGNED.—We learn from the Raymond Gazette, that Col. Sam B. Thomas, Sheriff of Hinds county, has resigned his office. The Judge of Probate, Mr. Hall, has also resigned. Cause, inability to make a living out of the office.

We find the following notice of the death of an esteemed friend in the last Clarion:

DEATH OF ARTHUR GRIMES.—The death of this estimable gentleman occurred in this city yesterday morning at 3 o'clock, after a brief illness. Mr. G. had been a resident of this city for the past two years, acting in the capacity of Agent for the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad Company, and by his uniform courtesy and attention, had won for himself and the company which he represented, numerous friends.

James Cann, Henry Porter, Wm. Bradley and Alexi Moon have been found guilty, by a military commission at Vicksburg, of stealing and attempting to destroy two years' imprisonment at the Dry Tortugas.

The Conover Conviction.

The documents recently given to the public, through Hon. Jno. Binkley, acting Attorney General of the United States, during the illness of Mr. Stanbery, will shock every man in the country. They reveal, if true, the disgraceful fact, that Judge Advocate General Holt, A. G. Riddle, a member of Congress from Ohio, James M. Ashley, the impeacher, Benjamin F. Butler, and others were concerned in the attempt to suborn witnesses to convict the President of complicity with Booth to Assassinate Mr. Lincoln. The proof of the plot is, should the statement prove correct, of the most convincing character. It does not alone consist of the confession of Conover, but in letters in the handwriting of Ashley, and others. The conspiracy was formed to procure the pardon by the President of Conover, and the restoration to the rights of citizenship, there by making him a competent witness before any court in the land. Ashley, Holt, Butler and Riddle certified that he was a worthy object for executive clemency.—In consideration of their services in his behalf, Dunham alias Conover, was to testify atrocious falsehoods against the President, his colleagues being supported by that of other witnesses, drilled in their part in the villainous perjury, by the conspiring congressmen. Conover was to swear as follows:

1st. That Booth was familiar and intimate with Vice President Johnson, prior to the assassination.

2d. That Vice President corresponded with Booth.

3d. That the placing of Atzerodt in the Kirkwood House, on the night of the assassination was a signal that Booth expected Johnson was an intended victim, and thus distrust all suspicions of his conniving at the murder of President Lincoln.

4th. That Booth had states to his most intimate friends in New York, that in killing Lincoln, he was acting with the knowledge of Mr. Johnson.

Conover assured Ashley that he could find persons of good standing and moral character to swear what he wished to swear, and Ashley urged him to press the good word forward. Ashley supplied the facts It was desired they should know and repeat, and Conover forwarded them to a trusty friend with secret explanations as to his own purposes, and instructions for him to procure two other friends to commit to memory the statements inclosed to to him, and when sent for to come and repeat them (but under oath) to such persons as Conover should indicate. Conover then goes on to say:

On arriving here, these persons were inspected by Ashley and Butler, and were found to possess the requisite qualifications of intelligence and personal appearance, but unfortunately for the conspirators it was deemed necessary to make some changes and modifications in some and additions to other portions of their statements before presenting them to the lukewarm Radicals it was their intention to implicate. It being impractical for the men to see me at the jail on such business, and equally so for me to communicate with them, the desired change and necessary explanations in writing to enable them to incorporate those changes in their respective statement without leading to confusion or conviction it was found necessary for somebody else to take my office of preceptor, &c. This with slight hesitation was done by Mr. Ashley on my assurance that the parties were Richard Booth in the wood and men of honor in whom he could safely repose confidence. I have learned both from Mr. Ashley and Butler themselves what was said and done by and between them on the matter. The statements they were destined to make were revised and corrected by Mr. Ashley, and they were assured by him that, in case it should be determined to examine them before the Committee, they should be splendidly rewarded, and that he would counsel to them on the propriety and justness of the course it was proposed to pursue to make certain of the impeachment of the President.

Butler desired to have taken the depositions of these men at the time, if they would not consent to its being done until I should be released, as at first agreed.—These facts can be proved by three other persons, and also by my wife, whose character for truth and veracity is not inferior to Mr. Ashley's, and I shall take pleasure, if at liberty, in producing them before any committee or tribunal for the impeachment of the conspirators.

Several other papers accompany the statement of Dunham alias Conover.—These prove private and frequent communication between the informant, Ashley and others, but throw no more additional light on the main features of the conspiracy. The statement is somewhat strengthened by the fact, that Ashley in open Congress asserted boldly that it could be proved Mr. Johnson had been the friend of Booth, had written to him, received him privately—in short, that the President had conspired at the assassination of Lincoln that he might thereby assume his position. Conover's own credibility amounts to nothing; but his confidential intercourse with the men he now turns against in committing facts, and stating in the Surratt case, exposes Holt, Ashley, Butler and others to a most grave suspicion. The dexterity with which he supplied Joe Holt with "good evidence" in the case of Mrs. Surratt, warrants the belief that he is an adept in this line of business, and may now be engaged in practicing this old and clever game. The proof which Conover offered to furnish relative to the Manchett papers of instruction to the false witnesses, will settle the truth or falsity of Conover's letter and papers, submitted to the President. At any rate it is something new in American history for a perjurer to offer to accuse, and, to be the associate of an Honorable Judge Advocate, and very Honorable Representatives in certain questionable matters of testimony.

Of the progress of the cotton worm, the Brandon Republican, of Thursday, says:

A gentleman from Simpson informs us that they are nearly all over that county. Another gentleman from Smith says they are doing great damage there. We hear no changes from various quarters reports them in almost every section of the State. We have heard of them on the plantations in this county, but as yet they have not done much damage, and if the weather continues dry and hot they will not do much, but if a rainy spell sets in the crop will be destroyed. Some say it is not the army worm, but the caterpillar, which is equally as bad.

The Red Jacket Bitters is no worthless article, but what it claims to be, a reliable medical preparation, of sterling virtues. The name "Bitters" is too often used to cover a villainous compound of poor whisky and some bitter drug. Do not confound the Red Jacket with this class.

Interesting Intelligence from Louisiana.

We print elsewhere a late order from Gen. Sheridan, from which it will be seen that there will be an election held throughout the State of Louisiana on the 27th and 28th of September, for the purpose of choosing ninety-eight delegates to a State Convention.

The Boards of Registration have been ordered to commence the revision of the registration, and the registration is to close 60 days before the election. The number of representatives in each Parish is designated. The other provisions of the order are unimportant, and confined to the usual details of a general election, except the following:

Should violence or fraud be perpetrated at any of the voting precincts on the day of election the offenders will be punished in the severest manner. And the election within these precincts will be held over again under the protection of United States troops.

So it will be seen that the great political question is soon to be settled in our sister State, and when it is done her people will become more prosperous than before. As the freedmen are largely in the ascendancy, the whites have nothing to do but vote and use their influence for good men—for men who will be willing to deal fairly and justly with all classes. Every one has more or less influence and should be particular to use it in this canvass. "There is no use kicking against the pricks."

Toomsuba Male and Female Academy.

We had the pleasure of attending the commencement exercises of this Institution, which were held at the Presbyterian church in this place, on Friday the 9th inst. The day was auspicious—the attendance large and intelligent. The exercises proved highly satisfactory to the numerous friends and acquaintances assembled, and reflected great credit (on both students and principal, (Capt. Day), and commended him to the confidence of the public as an able and accomplished teacher. The order of examination was as follows:

Forenoon exercises consisted in the examination of the English and Latin classes. After a most sumptuous repast which was prepared by the citizens, we again repaired to the church, to attend the afternoon exercises which consisted in compositions by the girls and dialogues and speeches by the boys. The exercises closed at night by examining the various classes in the higher and lower branches of mathematics.

With pleasure, we can say, the compositions and speeches, the pleasant hospitalities of the village, and the grace and beauty of the lady visitors, constituted altogether a brilliant success. Though our town is small and limited, we cannot but commend Master Willie Kelly for his "*determination*," and the two original speeches by W. D. Cameron and W. T. Welch. The subject of the former, "Public Opinion," the latter, "*The* Incentives to High Intellectual Attainments." Their sentiments were characterized by beauty, elegance and penetration. These young gentlemen indeed proved worthy of themselves.—manifesting much zeal and warmth, were highly interesting and entertaining to the audience. Both possessing superior moral and intellectual endowments, will undoubtedly be the timed conand shining mark in society. In conclusion we would say that Capt. W. Day, the accomplished scholar, social companion, patriot, and christian gentleman, stands equal to the most proficient in the discharge of his arduous duties, and he is in every respect fitted to make certain the confidence of the people, and will ever deserve their increased patronage and support. We take pleasure in commending the school to the public, as being among the best in the State, where board and tuition can be had at reasonable rates.—The next session commences 24 September next.

Respectfully,

EXAMINING COMMITTEE

August 14th, '67.

The army worm has made its appearance in Yallobusha county. It is spreading rapidly and has already made sad havoc on some farms.

The army worm has destroyed the greater portion of the cotton in Pike county; and it is thought not enough will be made to furnish seed for the next year.

In Richmond, John Morris has been sentenced to pay a fine of one thousand two hundred dollars, and to be imprisoned six months for removing whisky without paying the tax.

ALL VOLUNTEER OFFICERS TO BE MUSTERED OUT.—The President, some time since, directed the Secretary of War to issue an order mustering out of service all volunteer officers not absolutely required, and to detail in their places officers of the regular army. It is now found that a number of volunteer officers are yet in the service, receiving salaries, especially in the South. Some of these, who are kept on duty by special order from the President, but really upon the suggestion of Superintendent of Freedmen's Bureau affairs, are virtually paid by the Government, for their services are not required in the military department.

General Howard is receiving the pay of a Major General of Volunteers while acting as Superintendent of the Freedmen's Bureau. The law does not require a military officer for that position, and fixes the salary of the Superintendent at $3000.

It is understood that an order will be issued shortly, mustering out such volunteer officers as can be dispensed with, and directing that officers of the regular army be assigned to their places wherever practicable.

From the rich valley of the Sunflower, the McNutt Sentinel has the following:

The health of the neighborhood in and around McNutt, we are sorry to say is not quite healthy, there is a good deal of sickness in every family within our knowledge. If the people are not prostrate they are suffering with one disease or another. We do not recollect of seeing a real healthy looking man being near the place for many days. We hope the health of all may improve.

There is a disease among the hogs somewhat like cholera, and in no one case we count for, and more particularly the pushers. They are dying with a swelling in the throat and top of the head and ears, and in a few hours. Can't some one find a remedy for this fatal disease. Some of our planters are losing from fifty to one fifteen hundred and two, having their crops to look after with the hoe.

VEGETABLE REMEDIES

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PUBLIC SPEAKING.

BY Invitation, Hon. Wm. Yerger of Jackson, will address the people of Clarke county, at Quitman, on Monday the 26th August, 1867.

NOTICE.

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The recent decline in woolen and woolen fabrics will enable us to offer clothing at much lower prices than it has been sold for at any time since 1860.

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We will be happy to receive orders and our long experience in the business will enable us to make satisfactory selections for such customers as may favor us with their orders.

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The above property lies in the east of the city of Meridian on Southern Railroad

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EXECUTORS SALE.

WILL be sold on Saturday, the 7th day of September next, at the late residence of Jno. H. Horne, deceased in Wayne county, Miss., on six months credit, the purchaser giving bond with approved security for the following personal property. One engine, (40 horse power) boiler, and all necessary running gear for the same. One circular saw gin and three sixty saw gins, one pole and two mule cotton boiler, engine and fixtures much worn.

J. E. E. HOWE,
JOHN H. HORNE,
Executors Estate John H. Horne, Dec'd.
August 5th, '67. 1-6-6.

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To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and successfully using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh and Lung Affections. Those desiring the prescription will please address the undersigned, by mail (postage free), with name and address.

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian

Mobile

Mail trains pass ... 3.23 P. M.
" " ... 6.55 A. M.
Accommodation ... 5.50 P. M.
" ... 10.45 A. M.

Mail trains leave Meridian at 7.05 A. M. Arrive at Enterprise 11; A. M. Enterprise leave at 12 M. Meridian 5.35 P. M. Arrive at 7 P. M. Okalona 6 P. M. Corinth 8.30 A. M. Humboldt 8.30 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10.15 A. M. Distance 472 miles, time 36 hours and 30 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 P. M. Arrive at Humboldt 9.30 P. M. Leave at 7.05 P. M. Okalona 7 P. M. Arrive at 8.35 A. M. Meridian 6.35 A. M. Enterprise 5.50 A. M. Meridian 12 M. Mobile 3.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive " ... 4.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive " ... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 8:10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:00 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:50 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m., arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m., arrives at Forest at 2:30 and leaves at 2:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passenger train for Meridian and all points beyond, leaves Grenada daily at 1:45 a. m., and after taking dinner at Forest leaves at 2:30 p. m. Jackson, with trains to and from Memphis and New Orleans.

Leave Grenada daily at 1:45 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 10:30 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. Close connections with trains to Memphis and to Louisville and with trains to Meridian.

Leave Memphis daily at 10:30 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 6:30 p. m. and 1:00 a. m. Making close connections with trains to Meridian and to Louisville and with trains to Memphis.

A. S. IVERSON, Gen'l Supt.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

CALL AND TRY THEM.—Dobson, Hart & Benton are receiving a new supply of dry goods, groceries, &c. Their prices are low and the goods unexceptionable.

TOURNAMENT MEETING.—There will be a meeting of the Tournament Club to-night. Officers are to be elected, and other important business transacted. Preparations for the October "lifting" are being pushed forward vigorously.

The Circuit Court is still in session at Marion. Judge Hancock presiding, and C. A. Smith, Esq., District Attorney. The case of Willis John, an Indian, charged with murder in Clarke county, was to have been tried Monday, but up to the hour of going to press, we could not learn how it resulted.

We are in receipt of the catalogue of Rev. Albert Leon's School for boys, for the Academical year 1866–67. The institution is located at Chatawa, in Pike county, and appears to be in a very prosperous condition. The third annual session begins on the 4th of September next.

DROMGOOLE & Co.'s RED DIARRHŒA REMEDY.—Of all compounds ever offered to the public for Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, Cramps, and Chill Fever, this is the best; nothing equals the above Remedy. It is exceedingly pleasant, refreshing and cooling to the stomach, is not a syrup, nor is it alcoholic, contains no Kino, catechu, galls, &c., and acts like a charm upon old and young. Whenever used, it merits and receives encomiums of the highest praise. No family should be without the Red Diarrhœa Remedy.

An advertisement appears elsewhere of the Planters' Insurance Company of Memphis. The Company is in every way reliable and being a home institution is deserving of patronage. Gen. N. B. Forest is President.

SELF-RAISING FLOUR.—We call attention to the advertisement of Darey & Putnam's self raising flour, to be found among our new advertisements. We are using this flour and can recommend it to the public as a superior article. It has been examined by chemists and pronounced healthier than any flour that can be used. Read the advertisement and give it a trial. tf

MISSION FREE SCHOOL.—We are pleased to learn that this institution has opened under excellent auspices. Rev. Mr. Harris desires us to state that the school is intended more particularly to educate soldier's orphans and the children of the worthy poor. Widows and impoverished children will find their connection with the school short-lived. The proper place for these is within the walls of a House of Correction. The schools of the children attending the school will be protected in every way.

It is entirely unnecessary to state that white children only will be admitted.

WE ARE PREPARED TO DO IT.—Don't send your job work away from home. We are prepared to do it in quick time and at low rates.

Tickets for the Mississippi Agricult ural Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society, are going rapidly. The first drawings take place on the 15th inst. Read the advertisement of the Chancellor and Board of Managers. By investing a small sum you may draw a fine prize.

Maj. W. T. Edwards of the popular drug house of J. R. Wilson & Co., Louisville, Ky., is in town and ready to receive his old customers in the drug line. Here, where the Major is so well and favorably known, it is not necessary for us to recommend him.

The Columbus Democrat brings us the following items of interest:

We are glad to see that up to the present time, we have had no frost to injure the cotton fields of Lowndes county. The crop is looking very well, and is rapidly maturing. We have had some rain, and we trust that if the season continues favorable, that the crop will be a good one. The farmers generally have laid by their crops, and have nothing to do now but gather them in. Everything looks promising.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Washington.

In a speech delivered in the House of Representatives on the 15th inst., Mr. Kelley, of Pennsylvania, said that the President had directed the Secretary of War to issue orders to the military commanders in the South to suppress by military force all resistance to the reconstruction measures of Congress, as fast as such resistance should be manifested, and to report promptly all such cases of resistance. He had also directed the Secretary of War to publish the orders and reports in the newspapers friendly to the Administration. Mr. Kelley said that he was informed that the Secretary refused to obey the President's direction in this respect, and that the President had been compelled to publish the orders and reports himself.

The Secretary of War has issued an order directing that the Freedmen's Bureau shall not be removed from any State where the civil authorities refuse to recognize the rights of freedmen, but that it shall remain and perform its functions in such States, notwithstanding the proclamation of peace

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Stir in the water with a spoon, and beat it well; without kneading; working it as little as possible; divide the dough into tins for baking; grease the tins with butter before the dough is put in.

RECEIPTS.

HOW TO PUT THE PASTE.

For Loaf Bread.—Wet cold water or milk, a little at a time, as you have sufficient to thoroughly wet the dough; put it into a deep pan or pan that will hold twice as much as the dough will be covered to prevent it from forming a harder and thicker the loaf, and bake well. The bread does not require to be kneaded, only to be removed in about five minutes before taking the loaf into the oven.

Bread.—Make as for loaf bread, when cold, add a little butter, lard, or dripping, to shorten it; let it stand to rise, and when it will cover. These cakes are excellent for children. Make the dough as stiff as for bread, and roll out to the thickness of a quarter of an inch; cut them out with a tin cutter, and bake in a quick oven.

Pie Crust.—Rub a small piece of butter, lard, or dripping, into a pound of flour, and mix it with cold water; roll out and use.

Plain Cake.—One pound of flour, a little nutmeg. Two eggs, three pounds of flour and a pint of water.

Plum Pudding.—Two eggs, three pounds of flour and a pint of water.

Suet Dumplings.—Prepare the same as for the same as for bread.

Pie Crust.—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

Cream Cakes.—One pound of flour, rubbed in three ounces of butter, one cup of sugar, two eggs, one cup of milk, four cups of flour. Divide the dough into two equal parts; to one add two eggs and one cup of sugar, and a spoonful of the rather cake. Flavor with lemon or nutmeg and bake in covered bread pans.

Fruit Cake.—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

Cream Cakes.—One pound of flour, rubbed in three ounces of butter, one cup of sugar, two eggs, one cup of milk, four cups of flour. Divide the dough into two equal parts; to one add two eggs and one cup of sugar, and a spoonful of the rather cake. Flavor with lemon or nutmeg and bake in covered bread pans.

Quick Pound Cake.—One cup of powdered sugar, one cup of butter, two eggs, one cup of milk, three cups of flour, one cup of corn starch, one teaspoonful of soda, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar. Bake in deep moderate oven.

Silver and Silver Cake.—One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, four cups of flour, three cups of corn starch, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar. Bake in deep moderate oven.

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Hours may be found at all hours of the day, at his office, corner Main and Second streets, near Martin, Bolton & Co's wholesale grocery store, and at night at his residence, unless professionally absent. ou

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The Proprietors announce the beginning of the 15th Annual Term of this old and highly prosperous school, with much satisfaction. The term, begins October 1st, 1867, with the above faculty of instruction.—Mr. KIRKPATRICK was with us during the past year, and we added to our high reputation as a scholar and gentleman. He is a graduate of Jefferson College Pennsylvania. Mr. DUPREE is a Frenchman by birth, and a distinguished graduate of the University of North Carolina. Mr. BASKIN is from Lafayette County, Chancellor College, Tennessee, and has large experience in teaching.

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A line of Hacks will meet up and down trains on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad at Shuqualak Station, on Saturday, the 5th of October, and every day of the following week. School opens October 7th.

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Embroidery—Silk	"	2 00
" Worsted	"	1 00
Incidental fee for day pupils	"	50
" " boarding pupils	"	75

Boarding, including room, bedding, fuel and lights per month, 20 00

Washing extra, for one dozen pieces about, 75

The above terms will be required strictly in advance, monthly for day pupils, and every five months for boarding pupils. And no pupil will be received at the beginning of each month, or at the beginning of each term, except in cases of protracted sickness &c., money will be refunded.

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The cost of Text Books will range from $5 to $25 per year.

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PUBLIC SPEAKING.—Hon. James L. Alcorn, of Coahoma county, will address the citizens of Meridian and vicinity on Wednesday, the 18th of September, on the political questions now agitating the country.

The Manchester, Massachusett's Spy, looking at matters from a Radical standpoint, thinks that the President's late action in removing officers so as to bring the Executive Department more within his control, "means mischief."

SNUFFING THE BREEZE.—The New York Herald which always sees the shadow of coming events before anybody else, is preparing for another summersault. It holds the names of Grant and Lee for President and Vice-President, and closes an editorial with this significant sentence:

"The negro must, therefore, be made to understand that although he will never again be reduced to slavery, he must be content with his personal freedom, and not aspire to that political equality which cannot fail in the end to bring him more blows than honors."

The Andersonville horrors are all being traced to Judge Holt, Gen. Butler and Secretary Stanton. Col. Ould's letter to Congressman Eldridge remains uncontradicted.—Wire was hung for his "cruel treatment" and after all it is admitted by Republicans that the South was anxious to get rid of every Union soldier, but for fear the Confederates would take up the muskets again if exchanged, thirty thousand Union soldiers were permitted to languish and die in Southern prisons. Nemesis must put her hand on the heads of the perpetrators of such outrages some day.

SENSIBLE.—The last North Sumter News has an article on Clanton's Conservative Alabama Convention in which the following occurs: "It will be observed, it seems to us, most see that no advantage can possibly be gained by keeping up a show of opposition, either present or prospective, while we are prisoners in the hands of our enemies. Our business now is to get back into the Union, where we can be free once more, and if we are wise, we will indefinitely postpone the formation of parties, give the Radicals full sway for the present, and apply ourselves earnestly to the single work of reconstruction with the grace becoming a conquered and helpless people. Let us have no entangling alliances in the shape of opposition parties to clog our good intentions. Our situation is critical in the extreme, and one mis-step may entail upon our posterity infinitely worse evils than those we are now suffering. Let us be wise while we may profit by wisdom.

RATHER CANDID.—Here is a little scrap from the Springfield, (Mass.,) Republican, which rather surprises us. It is an addition we did not expect to find in such an extreme print. However 'tis trite but true that "murder will out":

Discussion of principles in connection with Southern reconstruction is *use of little account. We are now trying the experiment, outside of constitutional prescriptions and accredited theories* of government, which success alone can justify; but Congressmen very naturally seek for some theoretical defense of their action, and quite as naturally disagree widely as to what that theory shall be.

SHERIDAN REMOVED.—Gen. Grant's order for the removal of Gen. Sheridan appears in our telegraphic column. General Sheridan is assigned to the command of the department of Missouri, and is ordered to proceed to Fort Leavenworth. General Thomas succeeds Gen. Sheridan, and Gen. Hancock takes command of the department of the Cumberland. Gen. Thomas is instructed to continue in force all existing orders in the fifth district, unless the same shall be annulled or modified by orders from Gen. Grant. Gen. George H. Thomas is as Radical as Sheridan and the change in commanders will hardly produce much change in the matter of reconstruction in Louisiana and Texas. Reconstruction will go on under Thomas as begun by Sheridan; nothing will be reversed, and all our neighbors gain by the change is a more chary use of power and better tempered dispatches than General Sheridan transmitted to the President.

A SHAM DEVICE.—The Washington Chronicle prints a batch of affidavits, purporting to implicate Roger A. Pryor, Dick Taylor, Ben. Wood and Conover in an effort to manufacture testimony against Gen. Jeo. Holt, the Judge Advocate, whom Conover connects with the Ashley conspiracy. A perusal of the affidavits will indicate clearly from whence they came.

FATAL SHOOTING.—At the residence of T. J. Hill three miles southwest of this place on Wednesday of last week Jim Jackson, (freedman) was fatally shot with a pistol in the hands of Al Bush, (another freedman,) and died on Friday following. Al says the shooting was accidental; but some persons appear to have doubts about it being an accident.—Ripley Advertiser.

Another General for Reconstruction.

Gen. W. S. Featherston, a distinguished soldier during the late war, has been elected by his fellow soldiers in the old county and particularly his late companions in arms, on the reconstruction question. He urged all qualified voters to *register, and vote for a Convention;* that the South need never expect better terms than were presented in the Reconstruction acts; that they were offensive and bitter enough; but that the Southerners were a conquered people, and would be forced to submit to such terms as the conquerors might prescribe; that if the terms now offered were rejected, harsher terms would be presented, with no alternative left the South but to submit to them. The General did not favor the reception of these terms because he thought they were Constitutional and right; but there was no other relief. Johnson's policy of reconstruction had been defeated, and he believed it was the duty of our people, under the circumstances, to accept the terms now proposed. Nor do we urge reconstruction under the law because we think the enactments right or just—far from it—but because there is no way of avoiding reconstruction upon radical terms, and because we see very clearly that unless we participate in the work the freedmen and extremists will vote us in the Union, out of office and out of the ballot box. Since we must go in let us go with all the strength we can muster—make a manly fight for power in the land where we are bound to live, and which will contain our bones when we are gone.

VISITING MR. DAVIS.—A correspondent of the St. Louis Democrat, an extremely radical paper, has had an interview with Mr. Davis, in Canada. Mr. Davis talked very freely for two or three hours, and the correspondent makes use of "much that was said during the visit, but as yet every very short when the reconstruction question came up, Mr. Davis answering, "we have nothing to do with it." Mr. Davis said that he was always anxious "to be relieved of the prisoners on his hands during the war. He stated his ports were blockaded; that he was without supplies or the means of obtaining them even for his own soldiers; and, finding himself in that strait, he proposed to deliver, with or without exchange, all sick, wounded and disabled soldiers held by him, but there was one man North who prevented it, whose name Mr. Davis would not permit to go to the public, occupying the position he now does. Mr. Davis said that he believed President Johnson was doing what he thought best for the South, but it had resulted badly." The correspondent represents the Ex-President of the Confederacy as waiting to be reconstructed and return to his old Mississippi home. He ignored any connection of Southern men, with either the proposed abduction or assassination of Mr. Lincoln. He said he would have been gratified if the evidence of Gen. Ed. Lee had been taken in full, and the dispatches to him while in Canada made public, as it would have shown plainly that Surratt's mission had nothing to do with the assassination. The cotton culture on the alluvial lands of the South he regards as a thing of the away with, and expresses himself that the great staple of these lands, on account of defective leveeage, will revert into forests. In addition, he stated that in a few years there would be no excess of cotton raised; that the supply would be mainly for family use, (none for export,) as the case is now, and in Florida and Texas. Of Mr. Davis the Democrat's correspondent says:

I will state that no utterance was given to any expression disrespectful to United States officials. Differing from him in principles with Mr. Davis, I did not hear him utter an unkind word against any one, especially Mr. Johnson, and must admit that I was more charmed with his conversation than that of any prominent man whom it has been my fortune to meet.

A PLEASANT EXPRESSION.—The New Orleans Bee having complained of a recent paper in Littell's Living Age, taken from a foreign magazine, receives this friendly and moderate response:

"No thought of 'taunting the South' was in our mind in copying 'A Dull Life.'—Hereafter we shall not care to be on our guard with you: this would be to pay compliment to you. We take your hand again without any reserve, and we invite you to banish, as soon as possible, all suspicion that there is contempt or enmity towards you in the North. It is a universal wish here that the two kindred props shall mingle into one. So far as Yankeedom is concerned, since the Confederate capitulation, it has been by men on both sides the line, who wished to keep you, as of old, a main bulwark for the institutions which you are so important a part, and of which you are to be a much greater protection. Capital and labor from the full hive of the North will help you to make rich harvests at the South—as soon as you shall be ready to reciprocate our brotherly feeling."

ORDER RESCINDED.—The removal of Gen. Sheridan from the command of the Fifth Military District, transmitted to him by the Acting Secretary of War, Gen. Grant, leaves no doubt that the Military power retained by the highest military officer of the land, has determined that order and peace will at last prevail.

The fact that the acts of Gen. Sheridan had been made the occasion of a most indecorous theme of parade, by the House of Representatives, gives still more significance to the act, and the prompt response Gen. Grant removes all doubt as to the soundness of his own views.

Reconstruction under such auspices, has now become simply a question of time, and will soon settle our national difficulties.

Gen. Thomas, who is to succeed Gen. Sheridan, had once been spoken of for this District previous to Gen. Pope's appointment, and this led to inquiries respecting him, which resulted very favorably for our hopes.

Unlike several others, he is a professional soldier, having no political aspirations, and the people of Louisiana and Texas will find in him, we are certain, a just and intelligent commander.

The importance of the passing events in every day engaging more deeply the attention of the nation, and we look forward with hope for the result of the examination of the President ordering a general election, on the broad principles of universal suffrage and general amnesty.—Mobile Times.

ORDER.—We have been informed recently by several planters in this vicinity that the boll-worms have appeared and commenced its ravages upon the cotton.—Choctaw (Ala.) Herald.

Rekindling Our Apathy.

We find the following article in the St. Louis Republican, the most influential conservative journal in Missouri. It is worthy of careful reading. It puts upon the Republican talcen on the reconstruction question, is about the same as that maintained all along by the Gazette. Arbitrary power has made reconstruction under the present law inevitable; and there is nothing to do but participate in it, and thus retain some power, or stand aloof and let the negroes carry everything. Here is the Republican's article:

The position of the Conservative party of the North, in which we include the Democracy and all other opponents of the policy and measures of the Radicals, is well known. It is that of a party out of power. It is engaged in the minority in Congress that it can defeat no obnoxious measures. It is engaged in a warfare against the party in power under the greatest disadvantages. The South, in the face of the augmenting power of the Republican party in the North, abandoned the Democratic party of the North in 1860. It literally threw away its vote on a candidate who could not be elected.

By this coup Mr. Lincoln was elected, although he was in a minority of nearly one million votes. The war ensued upon the attempted secession of the South, and by means of multiplied influences, which we will not recount here, the Republican party rapidly consolidated its power, carried the elections year by year, and at the close of the war was overwhelmingly in the ascendant. Since the war the Conservative party has labored diligently for the healing of the old wounds, for a perfect restoration of the Union, and for fraternal harmony and peace. It has steadily resisted Radicalism by all legitimate means. It has fought it in Congress, on the stump and in the press. And this brings us to the most pertinent inquiry—"What are the Conservatives about?" This is the real question.—What are they doing in the present crisis? What have they done? They had a fiscal issue presented to them—the reconstruction of the States under the Military bills. By their diabolic ingenuity and the exercise of arbitrary power, the Radicals have made reconstruction under those bills inevitable. There is no escape from it. If the main body of the whites did not take hold of the matter it was plain that the States would be governed by whites and blacks would, and the States would be reconstructed with absolute certainty. It was a matter of prime interest to the Conservatives in those States. Thousands of them have refused to register.

Leading Southern journals and leading public men have counseled the people not to register. They have been of the States surrendered matters absolutely to the blacks. They and they only could have prevented this. Northern Conservatives could do nothing to help them through the ballot box. Their influence could be entertained that Southern Conservatives would gain anything by refusing to acquiesce in the military bills.—There was no hope to be reposed in an expected revolution of parties in the North. Before such a revolution could take place the negro vote would be consolidated. The South would be over, registration complete, Conventions called, Constitutions framed, elections for Congress held, and the work finished.

No change of parties in the North could effect any repeal of legislation in season to be of any advantage to the South. The Senate remains unchanged for the next four years. The only alternative presented to Southern Conservatives was to enter the field, and by every possible agency gain control of affairs, or surrender the ground to the negroes. Their first business was to register. The closed the field for a thorough political campaign, and display an energy and activity as great as their opponents, animated by the instinct of self-preservation. Their prime duty was to register and prepare to vote, and thus control the Conventions, frame the Constitutions, and organize the movement under the guidance of intelligence and experience, instead of under ignorance and barbarism. It is puerile, under such a state of circumstances to ask, "What are Northern Conservatives About?"

The question is, what are Southern Conservatives going to do about it? Have they organized? Have they registered? Have they clubs? Have they leagues? Have they printed and circulated documents? Have they done what they could to enlighten, influence and control the negroes? Have they imitated the Radicals in diligence, energy and activity? Or have they sullenly stood aloof, waiting, Micawber-like, for "something to turn up," while the tide of events has rolled on, and the elements of political power have been gradually gliding into the hands of the negroes and a few Radical adventurers? There is nothing in the world that Northern Conservatives could do to aid those in the South, if they will not first help themselves. When a people are utterly indifferent to their own interests, conservatives can do nothing for them.

A FREEDMAN KILLED.—On Wednesday morning last, about 9 o'clock, while Abb. Burnett, a freedman, and his wife were in their corn field gathering fodder, some person shot and killed the husband, as he stooped up to the fence and deliberately shot Abb. down. His wife says that in looking in the direction of the fence she saw and recognized Mr. John Holmes, and that she also saw the leg of another man through the crack of the fence. Mr. Holmes is now under arrest and the investigation of his case going on.—Choctaw Herald.

President Solnave, of Hayti, has submitted his report on the condition of the country to the constituent assembly.—Peace and order reigned everywhere except in one district, where brigands are in force. The Government has taken measures to establish an exchange and chamber of commerce in each open port in the republic. The enforcing will probably be the largest ever known in Hayti.

A Cincinnati dispatch says of the affray between Horace Maynard and Col. Williams, at Knoxville on Monday: "Maynard, in a speech, referred to Col. Williams' defeated political opponent, because he formerly held him good day. The people plastered with mud, and pelted, and as the said Williams tried to run a pistol, but the ball-worm has appeared and commenced its ravages upon the cotton.—Choctaw (Ala.) Herald.

NEWS ITEMS.

Conover seems to be telling the truth.—No wonder a failure to get him to perjure, to secure first the release, and afterward the pardon of his willing dupe.

Another Radical paper, the Journal of Health, boils water to get rid of itself shorten life, but tends rather to increase the longevity of bugs.

The New York Evening Post urges the contraction of the currency on the ground that there is and will be but little demand for currency to move the crops, business being carried on in a hand-to-mouth sort of way.

Two dogs were seized the other day in Memphis to satisfy a judgment.

Mrs. General Lee is said to be in very bad health.

The latest story is that Wilkes Booth is now the captain of a pirate vessel, and the terror of the China seas.

A lump of silver weighing four hundred pounds was found last month in the Konigsberg silver mine in Sweden.

A man named James Swan, who murdered Caldwell in Memphis about two years ago, was arrested a few days since in this State.

The Kentucky Legislature stands: Senate, Democrats 25, Radicals 9, third party 4. House, Democrats 88, Radicals 11, third party 4.

At Davenport, Iowa, last week, Ellen McFarland, a girl of eleven years old, went down her father's well to take out some water. On reaching the bottom she was seen to be suffocating with foul air.—Attempts to rescue her became fatal in two or three instances, and she was at last drawn out lifeless.

Large numbers of runkwown men having been found in the waters of New York, the Gazette suggests that they should register their names before committing suicide.

GEN. GRANT REFORMING THE WAR OFFICE.—Gen. Grant, as Acting Secretary of War, commences the reformation of the places quite a large number of officers who have been on duty at Washington since the close of the war, but who are retained at that place the public service does not require.

The old story of a "lake monster" has been revived by some fishermen at Michigan City. This time the serpent makes a peculiar noise, half snuffing and half an actual vocal sound, and attracts attention by driving off the fish and walking off with the fisherman's bait, without as much as saying "by your leave, sir." Does anybody believe it?

There have been heavy rains in all parts of Virginia. Near Washington much property has been damaged by the rains, and the Baltimore trains were delayed by a culvert washing away.

Washington is full of rumors of resignations and dismissals, reports that are started one day to be contradicted the next.

Henry Thomas has been found guilty of of the murder of a negro, at Nashville, and sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty-one years.

A Paris telegram, August 14th, says the cholera is spreading in various parts of Italy, and is universally fatal.

John Wade jumped from the mast of a vessel at Brooklyn, 70 feet high, into the river on Sunday to decide a bet. The water being only twelve feet deep he stuck in the mud at the bottom and was drowned.

The Radicals of Nashville propose running colored candidates in the coming municipal election, in order to raise a test whether negroes can legally hold office.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

$50 Reward.

STOLEN on Sunday night last, Aug. 18th, at Lou Church, Kemper county, from Hart's store, a small bay mare, four years old, tail and mane trimmed. She has a blaze face, white and well broke, is seen on Monday last within two miles of Meridian. I will pay $25 for the return of the mare to my residence on Calvert's route, or $50 00 for the delivery of the mare and the apprehension of the thief.

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HEADQ'RS DIST. OF MERIDIAN,
MERIDIAN, MISS., Aug. 22, 1867.

General Orders)
No. II.

I. In compliance with General Orders No. 8, dated Headquarters Sub-District of Mississippi, August 14th, 1867, it is hereby ordered, that all the retail dram shops in places within the corporate limits of the city of Meridian, where intoxicating liquors are retailed, shall remain closed from each Friday evening at sunset, until the following Monday morning at sunrise.

II. All municipal officers are requested promptly to report to these Headquarters any violation of the foregoing order, to the end that the necessary measures may be taken to enforce a compliance therewith.

By order of

BREVET MAJ. THOS. H. NORTON,
W. O. COBY,
2d Lieut. 34th Infantry,
Post Adjutant.

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HEADQ'RS 4TH MILITARY DISTRICT,
(Mississippi and Arkansas.)
OFFICE OF CIVIL AFFAIRS,
Vicksburg, Miss., Aug. 19th, 1867.

CIRCULAR No. 15.

Supervisors, Inspectors and Boards of Registration are directed to obey the names of suitable persons, white or colored, to act under the appointment of the Commanding General, as Judges of Elections of elections to be held for delegates to the Convention provided by the recent Acts of Congress, known as the Reconstruction Acts. If competent persons can be found, one judge and one clerk will be appointed for each election precinct. Their services will be required for only a few days, and probably between the 20th and 30th of September. Their pay will be six (6) dollars per diem for each day on which the election is held, and they will be reimbursed for actual expense of transportation from their homes to the places of election and return.

Only such persons as can take the oath required of Registrars will be recommended for appointment. Supervisors and Inspectors are charged with the prompt execution of this Circular, and reports from Boards of Registration to the Supervising Inspectors of their respective districts, who will, from them, make reports to these Headquarters.

By command of

Brevet Maj. Gen. ORD:
D. D. GREENE,
Assistant Adjutant General.

Official: JNO. TYLER,
1st Lieut. U. S. Infantry,
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THIS destructive disease is brought on by sudden exposure to cold and dampness, and is more prevalent in this climate than any other. Beware of neglecting the first symptoms of the slightest looseness of the bowels, as this is the first stage of the disease, and if not attended to, will surely prove the cause of

DEATH.

DR. D. JAYNE'S CARMINATIVE BALSAM

For your family, as this remedy can give it when necessary. For infants at the breast, and the bowel complaint of children while teething, it acts like a charm. All forms of Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, nausea and vomiting, cramps, pains in the stomach and bowels, are immediately cured by its use.

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It is so pleasant, so cooling and so prompt, that all praise it.

During the prevalence of Cholera in Memphis, during last summer, it was extensively used by the citizens, and prescribed by many Physicians, with the happiest results, for all the first stages of Cholera. All cases of

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No. 127] STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, [$5,000
State Treasury, Jackson, Miss,

Received of W. D. Lyles, Pres't, &c., per C. R. White, the sum of five thousand dollars in full of Auditor's Receipt Warrant No. 127, dated July 18th, A. D. 1867, in his favor on account of University of Mississippi, under 8th section of acts of Feb. 16, 1867, entitled an act incorporating the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 18th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN H. ECHOLS,
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First Preliminary Distribution.

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1 Premium of			$4,000
1	"		2,000
1	"		$1,000
5	"		500
10	"		250
200	"		30
220			11,430
480 Premiums amounting to			$20,480

Second Preliminary Distribution.

OCTOBER 10th, 1867.

1 Premium of			$6,000
1	"		3,000
2	"		1,500
5	"		750
10	"		150
20	"		75
450	"		15
489			19,253
450 Premiums amounting to			$32,250

Third Preliminary Distribution.

NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of			$6,000
1	"		4,000
2	"		2,000
5	"		1,000
10	"		500
10	"		100
29	"		50
68			17,650
450 Premiums amounting to			$36,250

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1 Premium of		$30,000	$30,000
1	"	15,000	15,000
1	"	7,500	7,500
1	"	4,000	4,000
2	"	2,000	2,000
10	"	1,000	10,000
15	"	500	7,500
50	"	250	12,500
100	"	100	10,000
1,000	"	30	30,000
1,178			39,150
2000 Premiums amounting to			$153,900

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" down ..... 6.55 A. M.
Accommodation trains leave at 8.45 A. M.
" arrives ..... 5.45 A. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 P. M. Corinth 7.05 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Meridian 1.45 A. M. Macon 3.05 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Enterprise 7.50 A. M. Mobile 3.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 26 hours and 30 minutes.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson 9.30 a. m.; reaches Canton at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 5.30 p. m.

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2nd Lieut. W. O. CORY 20th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

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The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

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Mississippi News.

We learn from the Corinth News that a Convention of Railroad officials will be held in Corinth last week. The News says:

"We learn that the Directors of the M. & C. Railroad; also, M. J. Fleming, Superintendent of the M. & O. Railroad, and Col. Jno. Bowie, President of the Jackson and Mobile Railroad, will meet in this place on the 1st inst., for the purpose of consulting on some plan of action in regard to the completion of the Memphis and Charleston Railroad. We hope to see a full attendance, as the business to be transacted is of vital importance to the interests of this section."

A letter from the same says:

"Mississippi is overflowing with enterprise. The people are determined to have railroads, and they will have them. Every county is interested in the matter, and every county is going to do something. Tishomingo is going to do her part. Corinth is going to do her part. Rienzi is going to do her part. Jacinto is going to do her part. Iuka is going to do her part. Every town and village in the county is going to do its part. Even the country is going to do its part. Every man, woman and child is going to do its part. Even the dogs are going to do their part. Every man, woman and child is going to do its part. Even the cats are going to do their part. Every man, woman and child is going to do its part. Even the rats are going to do their part. Every man, woman and child is going to do its part. Even the mice are going to do their part. Every man, woman and child is going to do its part. Even the flies are going to do their part. Every man, woman and child is going to do its part. 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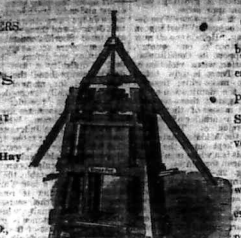

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☞ PUBLIC SPEAKING.—Hon. James L. Alcorn of Coahoma county, will address the citizens of Meridian and vicinity on Wednesday, the 18th of September, on the political questions now agitating the country.

THE CROPS.—The Pleasure of Aug. 23d says that an intelligent merchant of that city, who had just returned from a general tour through Northern and Central Mississippi and Alabama, reports the crops every where excellent. He heard no talk of a present worm until he got back as far as about Hazlehurst. Even there and in Pike county, it was not the worm they had, but the worm they feared, that he heard of. The cotton crop was every where abundant, beyond anything in the past, and the merchants and dealers were exultant and hopeful. A half crop of cotton is already in the boll, even should the worm be suddenly developed in all his army destructiveness.

We have no doubt ourselves of a full upland crop of cotton. In most of the alluvial region, the crop has already been eaten up.

THE YELLOW FEVER has been raging with great fatality on the Texas and Louisiana coast. It has somewhat abated at Indianola, Lavaca, and Victoria, but still rages at New Iberia, Corpus Christi and Galveston. It is considered epidemic in New Orleans, but no cases as yet, have appeared in Mobile or Vicksburg.

Gen. Sickles will probably loose his hotel very soon, if Washington institutions are to be relied upon. It is known that he recently refused to allow an order of the United States Court of North Carolina to be executed, taking the ground that if the Federal Courts are permitted to enforce their decisions in his district, they may very soon declare the Reconstruction acts unconstitutional and void. President Johnson annulled Sickles' order and the United States Marshal Goodlee, acting under orders from Washington City, ordered Deputy United States Marshal Neff, of Wilmington, to execute the process of the Circuit Court of the United States, with instructions to forward the name of any officer interfering in the execution of the order, that he may be prosecuted under the criminal law of the United States. A Col. Frank, at Wilmington, acting under Sickles' order, refused to respect either the President's instructions, or Chief Justice Chase's civil orders, and now it is thought Sickles and Frank will soon be assigned to duty somewhere on the plains.

A "FREE" PRESS.—A party of United States Soldiers, accompanied by a Captain Pierce, recently mobbed and utterly destroyed the office of the Constitutional Eagle, at Camden, Arkansas. The commanding officer, in reply to a note from the Mayor of Camden, asking to what authority he was now submitted, gave as the reason for the outrage, "that the soldiers had been exasperated at the editorials of the paper."

A negro man was shot and killed the other day near Corinth, while attempting to escape from an officer who was conducting him to jail. The officer submits himself to the authorities and invites investigation.

Prof. Hamilton, of the Freedmen's school at Corinth, eloped with a yellow girl last week Having forged a number of drafts on the Sub-Treasury of the United States, a telegram was sent in search of him, and the loving pair overhauled at Jackson, Tennessee. He is now in Corinth under military guard.

BOOTH AGAIN.—Some letter-writers are determined not to let Wilkes Booth rest. Every few months a letter appears in print that Booth has been seen and is still alive. The paper was recently published from Indis, declaring that he still lives, and now the New Orleans correspondent of the New York Gazette reiterates the same thing. The New Orleans letter says it can be proved that it was not Booth's body that was taken to Washington, but the mangled corpse of a person resembling Booth, who had been brutally murdered and substituted for Booth;" that "Gen. L. C. Baker and his associates wilfully and maliciously conspired to swindle the United States Treasury out of one hundred thousand dollars."

DEATH OF GEN. WM. B. CAMPBELL.—General Wm. B. Campbell, of Tennessee, died at his residence near Lebanon in that State on the 16th, of heart disease. In the three first years of the war he was leading and as much was elected Governor of the State. In the Mexican war he was a Brigadier General, and was considered one of the bravest men in the army. At the beginning of the late war he took a position at the head of the Union.

Gen. Pope and His Policy.

The efforts of Maj. Gen. John Pope to force reconstruction on Alabama and Georgia, regardless of the people's idea of right and wrong, will, we think, injure the cause of reconstruction very materially.—We have always been a warm advocate of reconstruction because we believed it to be the best course for the Southern people to pursue, but we cannot see how such outdrops would fall were Gen. Ord to drown reason and argument and by the tender of a small amount of legal patronage, endeavor to force us to write according to his way of thinking. The people must be permitted to discuss openly and freely the great questions before them. It is in this way the sentiment of the country should be ascertained and the "ballots deposited. Stringent as are the enactments of Congress they contain no clause forcing us to vote for reconstruction; and Gen. Pope overstep the bounds of his authority in ordering that all advertisements or other official publications heretofore, or to be hereafter provided for by State or municipal laws or ordinances, be given by proper officers whose duty it is to have such publication to be made, to such newspapers and such only as have not opposed and do not oppose reconstruction under acts of Congress, nor attempt to obstruct in any manner civil officers appointed by the military authorities in this district in the discharge of the duty by reason of violence or prosecution or other penalties, as soon as the military protection is withdrawn, for the acts performed in their official capacity."

And the letter to Gen. Orgut is, to speak in mild terms, equally ill-timed, ungenerous and foreign to Pope's duty as ruler. The impression he would convey is that there is a large "rebel element" still at work in the South to deprive the freedmen of their rights and defy the authority of the United States government. We take room for a quotation:

"In my opinion no reconstruction can be satisfactory or at all reliable in its future results if these men are permitted to discuss openly, secretly or by the returns, the issues presented. After the fullest and freest discussion, Congress has done wisely in enabling them to make this fight by disfranchising the leading rebels, and making it impossible for them to vote or hold office.

"It would have been still better to enforce their permanent absence from the country. The personal influence they might bring to bear if they were candidates is thus greatly reduced, and they are forced to discuss the issues, and not to appeal to personal feeling in their favor."

Slavery, he argues, has unfitted us for self-government, and in order to have governments in the South that can be controlled and used for partisan purposes by those he represents, Gen. Pope would exile all the intelligent and honest men in the five unfortunate dependencies. The man who applauds Kelly must tolerate Hill; who talks about the cardinal principles of free government, must concede free speech to all. We do not endorse the views of Mr. Hill, but we maintain that he has a right to express them, and that he has been credit for candor and honesty, and think any attempt to suppress his speeches or exile himself would be fraught with much mischief. There is but one way to rid the South of such men as Pope, and that is by accepting the enactments presented and ratified to Providence and reason for the restoration of our lost liberties.

Gen Grant and the Republican

The Northern press has a great deal to say about Grant's political position and reticence. Professions of confidence and evidences of distrust are scattered over all the Northern papers. Conservatives sustain and extremists abuse him. The Baltimore American says, in Grant's appointment as Secretary of War a considerable effort on the part of the President to make it appear that "Grant is one of us," just as when he swung around the circle, appropriating Gen. Grant's popularity all to himself." The Albany Evening Journal calls the appointment a double bin trick to weaken Grant's influence—unmindful of the fact, we suppose, that he could have declined the nomination as Sherman did last spring. The Syracuse Journal wants an explanation; his presence in Johnson's Cabinet is not the herald of that devotion to the Constitution in his special friends make boast. The Newark Courier believes that giving the President the moral support of the General of all the armies, will tumble many "pets" from office. The New York Tribune is manifesting great anxiety in Grant's candidacy for the Presidency, and elaborately challenges "in the kindest spirit," "certain statements of fact" made by the New York Times about the General being in "full fellowship with Congress and its members. It charges him with neutralizing Gen. Sherman's order on condition of affairs in the South; with accompanying the President on an electioneering tour in the very crisis of the Presidential struggle with Congress, and of putting Mr. Stanton out of office by occupying it himself. Greeley says that the Grant men in New York were the Johnson men last year—the Philadelphia Convention politicians—and then gives the General this forcible hint:

A year or two since we bowed to the name of Andrew Johnson as the representative of self-denying loyalty, war against treason, and clamorous devotion to Radicalism. But for above these names, as high as the stars, and to us guiding stars, we see certain principles, whose life is eternal, and whose ascendancy is more important to this people than that of members. We follow them, and wherever advance our banner must lead the way. All considerations of availability, of personal reward, of pleasing this leader or that are contemptuous of desert, and means mischief.

This caveat of the trading politicians will hardly intimidate Gen. Grant or force him into a new line of policy. November 1868, is some time off yet and strange things may transpire before the ballots of the next Presidential election are printed. Gen. Grant is on the right line and should stay there even at the hazard of a transgression next year.

Mississippi News.

The Natchez Democrat of the 17th announces the death of Mr. Warren Dunham, an old and respected citizen of that city.

The Hernando Press says a negro woman of that place, who had got tired of her previous charge, killed her child, eighteen months old, a few days ago, by knocking its brains out and then throwing the body in a hole of water.

The cattle in Panola county are said to be dying of erysipelas.

Mr. John Digby, an old and respected merchant of Vicksburg, died on Saturday last with a congestive chill.

THE CROPS.—The reports which reach us from the country in relation to the cotton prospect is not at all encouraging.—The reported damage from the worm varies in magnitude in different localities. It is represented by old planters that two or three different kinds are at work, and the one that is doing most damage is that known many years ago as the army worm, and which appeared entirely stopped of fields are reported entirely stopped of fields are reported entirely destroyed. This is merely nominally. Their depredations are becoming general in the district of Sea Flats, making their appearance in a few weeks since for a respectable season harvest, are beyond realization.—Gazette.

For Copiah county, the Copiahan tells us: "The worm is doing some damage but not to any alarming extent. The farmers are turning out in hands, and are generally crushing them out, destroying all before rolled up."

Gen. Buckbridge and his wife are still in Paris, guests of Mrs. Burbank of Kentucky.

The struggle sickened at a fight between two deaf mutes, encountered in the streets of Lewiston, the other day. They called each other hard names with their fingers fast and furious, and finally several received kicks on the shins without outcry.

Gen. Sickles has approved the findings and sentence of the court martial in the case of the Captain of the steamer Mary Boy, who was recently tried at Charleston for refusing to take Miss Francis Rollin, from Charleston to Beaufort as a first-class passenger, on his steamer, "on account of race or color." The sentence was a fine of $250.

A man dressed in a dark brown suit has been passing himself off in Tennessee as Col. Perrin, of South Carolina, and Col. Richardson, of Mississippi, and visiting the heads of several educational institutions.

The famous bloodthirsty letter of Escobedo is pronounced a forgery.

There has been forty-one deaths from yellow fever at New Iberia.

A Boston paper thinks these are called "dogs days" because there is so much growling about the weather.

The New Orleans Picayune copies from the Galveston, Texas, Spectator, an account of the murder of Col. Wm. H. Fowler, Assistant Collector of Revenue for the county, by David B. Bonfoey, Collector of the District. "Little is known of the deed, except that Col. Fowler was shot in the back of the head while writing in his office. The murderer has been arrested. Col. Fowler is well known as the commander of a Fowler's Battery, which was stationed at Mobile during a part of the year 1862, and 63. Before the war he was editor of the Eutaw Whig, and removed to Texas during the last year. He was in his 38th year.

The subordinates in the War Department have become civil in their department since the dismissal of Stanton.

The Mobile Times advocates the building of a railroad to Point Clear and the lower shipping in the bay.

The grasshoppers were approaching Denver in swarms, and destroying all vegetation.

The Central Pacific Railroad Company has roofed ten miles of its road through the snow sheds, and they intend to cover all the worst exposures for winter travel.

Agents of the Government have been selling the Indians arms and ammunition.

The New Orleans correspondent of the New York Evening Gazette, in speaking about the "removals" in the Fifth Military District, says: Treasurer Hernandez has also been removed, and we may expect to have the handling of the city funds. If any man wishes to address the negroes in favor of the right side, he can now go so, and have his bills paid from the Treasury.

The New York Tribune calls Longstreet that "dark, stern soldier," politic as Machiavelli and as unscrupulous.

Fifteen hundred thousand persons are said to have died in the Orissa District, and other parts of India, by the famine last year. The most horrible stories of cannibalism are reported, hungry mothers having been found eating the bodies of their dead children.

Dr. Caffe of Paris, recommends the burning of the dead.

The day police of Mobile have been ordered hereafter to attend all night fires.

There are forty lady postmasters in South Carolina.

Some one is about to establish a National Bank in the city of Mexico.

Mr. Benjamin Wood died suddenly near Manhasset, Long Island, on the 19th of this case, of the heart.

A Washington special says: Gen. Grant has urged the President to dismiss every member of his Cabinet in order to create harmony between Mr. Johnson and his Secretary of War.

Several companies of colored troops have been organized in New York, with the purpose of ultimately forming a regiment to be attached to the National Guard.

A special Washington dispatch to the New York Herald states that there is little doubt that the affidavits published purporting to reveal a plot to blacken the reputation of Judge Holt, were a huge hoax.

Mr. W. H. Betts was brought to Columbus, Ga., the other day in military custody. Mr. B. says his only offence is his offering to furnish a white man's dog, at the office in West Point.

The New York Tribune pays Gen. Ord the following compliment: "We have had news from Vicksburg, to-day, that Major Gen. Ord's policy has resulted in giving the work of reconstruction solely into the hands of the loyal men, and practically excluding the negroes from the polls.

The New York Express says that the Union League clubs took no notice of Senator Wade's passage through Gotham the other day. Time was that when the politician's head was off the man would die, and it seems to be so now.

A negro was shot and killed in Memphis a few nights ago, while in the act of plundering the house of Dr. Ward.

Hon. George H. Pendleton, in a speech at Lima, Ohio, last week, declared that the Radical party would rather see the Confederate States established and recognized than to see Old Andy restored as it was before the war."

A Napoleon (Arkansas) letter says: Every one that the first of June nearly everybody had the chills and fever, and there have been more of a hospital than it can be where the patients were attended to practice of the "old doctors." Almost the entire of the people about this vicinity are in a destitute condition, and unless relief is forthcoming before the winter sets in, many will perish with hunger. The planters have lost everything, and are left without a dollar to commence anew.

MY WIFE

Comes to me dressed in silk and satin,
Comes to me dressed in furs,
Comes in the costliest of jewels,
Comes in the costliest of laces,
Comes in the costliest of feathers,
Comes in the costliest of hosiery,
Comes in the costliest of boots and shoes,
Comes in the loveliness, queenly and lady!

Swallows will flit round the desolate nest,
Flitting at first and flitting in haste,
And thereafter at my leisure,
And thereafter at my leisure,
Oh! spring of my heart—Oh! Star of my bosom!
Oh! spring of my heart—Oh! Star of my bosom!
Comes to me dressed in silk and satin,
And the loveliness and the queenly and lady!

Flying—and across the sky through the azure,
Flying—and across the sky through the azure,
Ever like the colors of some fiery opal,
Ever like the colors of some fiery opal,
Flashes, flashes, flashes and vanishes and comes,
Flashes, flashes, flashes and vanishes and comes,
Still comes—comes down to the heart of a simple,
Oh! comes—comes down to the heart of a simple,
Yet it is not dead at the heart of a simple,
Yet it is not dead at the heart of a simple,
Oh! comes to me dressed in silk and satin,
Comes to me dressed in furs,
Comes in the costliest of jewels,
Comes in the costliest of laces,
Comes in the costliest of feathers,
Comes in the costliest of hosiery,
Comes in the costliest of boots and shoes,
Comes in the loveliness, queenly and lady!

You love, dear, and now do hear, I was cried dead;
Dead, dear, and now do hear, I am endeavored,
Dead, dear, and now do hear, I am endeavored,
To active to endure and endure more love;
To active to endure and endure more love;
You cannot make me my shades will be shocked;
You cannot make me my shades will be shocked;
You will not linger when I will have died, love.
You will not linger when I will have died, love.

Come to me dear, my Life, of my sorrow,
Come to me dear, my Life, of my sorrow,
Strong, swift and fleet in the words, which I speak,
Strong, swift and fleet in the words, which I speak,
With a song at your lip and a smile at your cheek,
With a song at your lip and a smile at your cheek,
Come, for my heart is your morning journey—
Come, for my heart is your morning journey—
Come to the grave where alone should agrees thee,
Come to the grave where alone should agrees thee,
Come to the grave where alone should agrees thee,
Come to the grave where alone should agrees thee,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GARDEN SEEDS.

E. F. VIRGIN, successor to D. Manpay, Druggist and Seedsman, Proprietor Arcade, between Camp and Magazine, St., New Orleans.

YOUNG MACHEN'S High School.

L. GOULD, A. M., Principal.

The Second annual term of this Institution, corner Meridian and Cherokee streets, will be divided into two sessions. The first session, of three months, will commence on Monday, the 9th September next, and close on Friday the 20th December following. The second session, of six months, will commence on Monday, the 13th January and close with a public examination in the month of July.

Charges per Month:

Primary Department	$ 7 00
Intermediate Department	8 00
Higher English Department	9 00
Languages, Mathematics, English included	10 00
Ornament at Brushes from the 1 to	6 00
Board, exclusive of washing, fuel and light	16 00

For Bills of tuition for each session must be paid in advance, either in currency or negotiable funds. No deduction will be made for absence, except in cases of protracted illness. For recommendations, of which we have none to educate, a main Department will be connected with the school, subject to the above terms and regulations, and young men, desirous of preparing for College or for teaching, will receive particular attention.

Meridian, Aug. 23, 1867—ly

Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and sold out entire

Meridian Star Brewery

to W. L. McCaleb. The Brewery will be closed up until the 15th of September, owing to the warm weather, after which time customers will be supplied on the same terms as before. All accounts will be addressed to W. L. McCaleb, Meridian, Miss.

WISE & FLAY.

July 1st, 1867—augtdtwtf

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Cabinet Maker and Undertaker,
In rear of Barker Shop.

WILL continue to make and repair furniture, and attend to undertaking, and furnish all the metallic cases of every description, and will be glad to receive a continuance of public favor.

☞ Wholesale and retail dealers in Rosewood Mouldings.

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$100 Reward.

STOLEN, by a Mr. Owens, on Sunday night, the 18th inst., of Miss Sheets, Lauderdale county, a Calvert's Stairs, a small bay mare, four years old, full blooded and trotting stock. Said mare is white and will brand, was seen on Monday last within two miles of Meridian. I will pay $25 for the recovery of the mare, and $75 for the Calvert's Stairs, or $100 for the delivery of the mare and the apprehension of the thief.

augtdtwtf R. P. POOLE.

HEADQ'RS DIST. OF MERIDIAN,
MERIDIAN, MISS., Aug. 22, 1867.

General Orders
No. 9.

In compliance with General Orders No. 3, dated Headquarters Sub-District of Mississippi, August 14th, 1867, it is hereby ordered that all Saloons and other places within the corporate limits of the city of Meridian, where intoxicating liquors are retailed, shall hereafter be closed from each Friday evening at sunset, until the following Monday morning at sunrise.

II. All municipal officers are instructed promptly to report to these Headquarters any violation of the foregoing order, to the end that due punishment may be meted out to enforce a compliance therewith.

By order of
Brevet Maj. Gen. H. Newton,
Lt. Col. 28th Cav.
2d Lieut. 20th Infantry.
augtd Provost Marshal.

NOTICE.

All persons who failed to register when the Board for Lauderdale county was in session at Marion, will please call at the office of the undersigned at any time during the week, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Thursday and Friday, Aug. 29th and 30th, only.

augtdtwtf W. H. CORY.

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Ties for Cotton Bales.

THE undersigned have made extensive arrangements to supply the demand for these Ties the present season. In addition to the

PASSMANN DIAMOND TIE AND BUTTON TIE,

so extensively used heretofore, they now offer his

ALLIGATOR TIE.

with teeth so arranged as to instantly clamp the body when the pressure is removed from the bale and hold it without slipping.

Great pains have been taken to secure the best quality of iron.

These Ties are so simple in their arrangement that they can be applied by any one, to bales of any size, with the same facility and expedition as rope. In strength, security and facility of application, they will compare favorably with any yet introduced.

The advantages of iron Ties are now generally recognized; but it is deemed not out of place to call the attention of those interested to the very emphatic recommendation of Chiderwriters, Steamboat Captains, and Owners and Agents of Sea Steamers and Sailing Vessels, recently published in the newspapers in New Orleans.

For sale by dealers in Mobile.

CHAMBERS & LATTING,
No. 61 Carondelet street, N. O.

DIARRHŒA.

Every summer complaint is now prevailing, thousands it may prove fatal. Don't delay a day if you have it, but procure one bottle of

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
RED DIARRHŒA REMEDY.

For your family, so that you can give it when necessary. For infants at the breast, and the bowel complaint of children while teething, it acts like a charm. All forms of Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, nausea and vomiting, cramps, pains in the stomach and bowels, are immediately cured by its use.

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It is so pleasant, so cooling and so prompt, that all praise it.

During the prevalence of Cholera in Memphis, during last summer, it was extensively used by the masses, and prescribed by many Physicians, with the happiest results, for all the first stages of Cholera. All cases of

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Mucus Diarrhœa, pains and straining of the bowels, should not fail to use a few doses of

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And be cured.

All Physicians of experience agree that Dysentery and Diarrhœa, are treated differently, and our compound is THE MEDICINE that will effect a cure.

ALL MARRIED MEN

Whose wives are suffering with constant pain and suffering each month, whose menstruation is too much or too little, or painful, or irregular, who is suffering with falling of the womb with Leucorrhœa or Whites, should not fail to carry home one bottle of

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
English Female Bitters.

Which will cure all those complaints and restore them to health and buoyancy again.

THAT YOUNG GIRL

Whose very countenance, acts, color and walk, indicate disease, can be so easily restored to health by using the "English Female Bitters."

It touches the pale cheek with the crimson blush of health, adds joy and brightness to the defected and melancholy, gives brilliancy to the eye and intellect, imparts beauty and loveliness to her retiring girlhood, and composes in old age.

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For old and young, married and single.

WHAT'S THE MATTER, OLD MAN?

Can't you get your kidneys to act free enough? Are you troubled with gravel, or any kind of deposits? Do you pass bloody urine occasionally? Are you annoyed with too frequent inclination to pass your water? Is your urine thick or milky? Have you a pain in the small of the back? Are you nervous, melancholy, or alarmed in your dreams from the effects of habits of dissipation or indiscretion? Do you require a diuretic, or a medicine which will immediately arouse and restore your kidneys and bladder to a healthy action? If so, procure one bottle of

DROMGOOLE & CO'S
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And be restored to health and manhood again. Large bottles will cost you only one dollar.

YOUR LIVER

Should be kept in good condition, before the scarcity of quinine and preventing Chills and Fever. Billious Fever, Dumb Chills, &c., and nothing is so effectual as

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Which never fails to cure all cases of Chills, Billious Fever, Intermittent Fever, Neuralgia, &c., for which it is used. It never checks the head or ears, acts upon the liver and bowels, cleanses the stomach, can be given to infants, and is a permanent cure. Go and consult your druggist about it. It is no secret, no patent, no illiterate nostrum, but is the result of much experience in the Southern country.

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Blotches and Spotches on the face, humors in the blood, Glandular Swellings, Tumors, Pimples, Boils, Scaldhead, Tetter, broken down constitution, Impure conditions of the Blood, can be speedily cured by using

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AT VICKSBURG, MISS.

Chartered by an act of the Legislature of Mississippi, passed Feb. 16th, 1867.

The following receipt from the State Treasurer exhibits the fact that the Society has paid into the State Treasury the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS for the benefit of the

STATE UNIVERSITY.

COPY OF RECEIPT.

No. 1271 | STATE OF MISSIS IPPI, | $5,000 00
State Treasury, Jackson, Miss., 16th, 1867.

Received of W. D. Lyles, Pres't, &c., per C. R. White, the sum of five thousand dollars in full of Keller's Warrant No. 197, dated July 18th, A. D. 1867, in his favor on account of University of Mississippi, under 8th section of acts of Feb. 16, 1867, entitled an act incorporating the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN R. ECHOLS,
State Treasurer.

In the three Preliminary Distributions and Grand Scheme, there will be distributed 2,350 Premiums amounting to $853,950 in 9,000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $30 to $80,000

First Preliminary Distribution.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of	$4,000	$4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
5 "	500	2,500
10 "	200	2,000
100 "	50	5,000
300 "	30	11,400

660 Premiums amounting to $28,900

Second Preliminary Distribution.

OCTOBER 16th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$6,000	$6,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,500	1,500
1 "	1,000	1,000
5 "	150	750
10 "	75	750
610 "	45	19,350

650 Premiums amounting to $32,350

Third Preliminary Distribution.

NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$8,000	$8,000
1 "	4,000	4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
5 "	200	1,000
10 "	100	1,000
100 "	50	5,000
840 "	30	25,200

1000 Premiums amounting to $48,200

Whole Certificates, $30; 1st Instalment, $15.00
Halves, $20; " " 8.50
Quarters, $15; " " 3.75

TAKE NOTICE, that certificates are to be paid for in instalments of 25 per cent. of the whole sum, during the 1st and 2d preliminary Distributions, and Grand Scheme.

The whole amount may be paid at once, if preferred. All Premiums will be sent the day after the closing of a fraction over 10 cents per day during the Distributions, will participate in the Grand Scheme, and keep the same renewed throughout the whole series, if not drawn out in 1st and or 3d preliminary.

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Certificates may be purchased from or ordered through any of the Society's Agents, or ordered direct from this office.

All orders and communications by mail or express will receive prompt attention.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN R. ECHOLS, State Treasurer.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Meridian Office.

Mail trains pass up ..... 3.23 P. M.
" " down ..... 3.55 A. M.
Accommodation train " up ..... 5.20 P. M.
" " down ..... 5.45 A. M.

Mail train arrive at Enterprise ..... 7.30 A. M. Arrive at Enterprise ..... 7.45 A. M. Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 2.00 P. M. Meridian 5.53 P. M. Okolona 10.25 P. M. Corinth 1.30 A. M. Humboldt 3.50 A. M. Mobile 4.10 P. M. Columbus 8.40 A. M. Distance, 472 miles. Time 20 hours and 40 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 P. M. Leave 7.05 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Arrive 11.05 A. M. Meridian 3.05 A. M. Meridian 6.30 A. M. Enterprise 7.20 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 4.10 P. M. Distance 473 miles; Time 33 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8:55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:20 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 3:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis and all points North make quick time and sure connections by taking the Mail Trains on Southern Railroad from Jackson, Miss., with trains on K. O. & G. N. Railroad at Canton; with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Grenada daily at 5:30 a. m. and 8:05 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6:45 a. m. and 8:40 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points North.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Memphis daily at 10:30 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 9 p. m. and 1:00 a. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

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1ST LIEUT. THOMAS L. NYE,
24th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistance.

2ND LIEUT. W. O. CORY,
24th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

ACT. ASST. SURG. R. H. WALKER, U.S.A., Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS,
Agent B. R. F. and A. L. at Heads' qrs. Sub-District, Meridian.

CAPT. JAMES SINCERLAND, V. R. C., Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick, the old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night.—Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and an experience of twenty years in the business is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our enterprising townsmen, James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by diseases of who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it. For it is as much a pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown in reality deserve.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office uses equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician. tf

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler. Butler's Grammar, Towne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geology.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early advantage of the supply of these books for their pupils. With the exception of the Geology, which is just being issued from the press, these books are already used to a large public and private school extent in Louisville, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can get a present a supply, but as regards schools of the likes of the railroads it is difficult with us our usual prompt action to follow. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to add the schoolbooks to its work, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, stating the number of books likely to be needed. Our supplies will be ample to meet all demands, and that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every possible request complied with. tf

The Atlantic and Great Western Railroad.

Of all the institutions of the day, perhaps there is none of greater importance to the country than railroads. If any man who traveled much fifteen or twenty years ago, will call to mind the fatigues and toils of those days, and then compare them with the facilities of the present time, he will not find it difficult to detect improvement. On the contrary, he will find improvement has been the order of the day, and one of the leading characteristics of the age.

AN APOLOGY.

Every specimen of improvement, however, is not destined to be hailed with universal acclamation. Some people will always find fault, and there will be always those who will be ready to cry out against any improvement that may be suggested, and at the offending it. Then, too, there were few long lines of railroad. Changes of cars were frequent, even in making journeys, now considered as only a moderate length. In this day we have a dozen or more lines of 200 miles and upward; while in the instance of the Atlantic and Great Western Railway there is an example of an unbroken broad gauge track, which, with its connections, binds St. Louis to New York by a solid chain of 1,000 miles of rail. Under a recent arrangement, the trip between those points can be made with but one change of cars. Between Cincinnati and New York—900 miles—there is absolutely no change whatever for through passengers. To this advantage of freedom from change, may be added the very important one of making the long journey over a broad gauge line. It costs no more to go by this route than with the cars and thorough comfort, than it does to go by other routes. Two lightning express trains—one morning and one evening—leave Cincinnati daily, on close connections with trains from the West and Southwest. For those who have time to gratify curiosity, the line of the Pennsylvania and the wonderful mountain scenery along the Erie road, are to be viewed at little or almost no additional expense. It may be that the enterprise of the Atlantic road may in eclipsed at some time; but at present it is without either precedent or steal, and hence worthy of note.

Mr. James Coleman, watchman of the Vicksburg & Meridian Railroad, at this point, was struck by lightning and instantly killed, during the storm last Saturday. Mr. Coleman was a good, quiet, industrious citizen, and leaves a wife and several small children behind him.

A meeting of the Meridian Tournament Club will be held at the Mayor's office next Saturday at 3 o'clock P. M. At the same time a agricultural Association will be organized. All are invited to attend.

The Meridian Star Brewery, under the management of Mr. W. L. McCorkle, will be prepared to supply the public with a superior article of lager beer about the 15th of September. See advertisement.

GARDEN SEEDS.—E. F. Virgin, No. 104 Gravier st., N. O., succeeds D. Maupay, in the garden seed business. Mr. Maupay, for years stood at the head of this business in the South-west, Mr. Virgin was brought up in the establishment. What in saying is enough to introduce him to our readers.

ANOTHER RAILROAD TO MERIDIAN.—At a Railroad meeting held in Natchez, on the 7th, the project was advanced of connecting that city by rail, with the terminus of the N. E. and S. W. Railroad, at Meridian. It was claimed that such a connection would obviate the necessity of extending the latter road to New Orleans; while to Natchez, the advantages would be almost inestimable.

The strike among the mechanics and machinists, on the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, has, we hear, been satisfactorily arranged, and trains will run regularly hereafter. It is to be hoped the Company will pay their hands promptly, and avoid such interruptions in future.

Capt. E. N. Early, who has just returned from a tour through the western States, has our thanks for files of late papers.

Attention is directed to the card of the Young Ladies' High School at this place, presided over by Dr. Gould. The fall and annual session commences on Monday the 30th of September. Dr. Gould, who is well known to our people as an able instructor, will be assisted by competent teachers in the various departments.

REMOVED.—A. B. Wagner has removed to the room adjoining the barber shop on the South side of Lee's Avenue and opposite Bessie's restaurant, where he will continue the cabinet business in all its branches.

SELF-RAISING FLOUR.—We call attention to the advertisement of Darcy & Putnam's self raising flour, to be found among our new advertisements. We are using this flour and can recommend it as a superior article. It has been examined by chemists and pronounced *healthier* than any flour that can be used. Read the advertisement and give it a trial.

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The Red Jacket Bitters is no worthless article, for which it claims to be a real

Gambling Adventure.

The St. Louis Democrat publishes an interesting letter from a correspondent who was at Omaha when the remains of [illegible] were brought in from the Black Hills. The party, [illegible] were brought in the train, and [illegible] were [illegible] during the [illegible] and [illegible] thirty [illegible] during the [illegible] and [illegible] one of the [illegible]

AN AFFAIR OF HONOR.

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A SCALPED LIVING MAN.

On the same train was a man called William Thompson, a native of England, who turned out to be one of the telegraph repairers reported killed. He related a great deal of news, especially the very extraordinary fact that the covering for the head which nature had so kindly endowed him with, was absent. People [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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RECEIPTS.

SALT TO SUIT THE TASTE.

Tea Loaf Bread.—Use cold water or milk, and mix with a spoon just sufficient to thoroughly wet the dough; put it into a deep pan not more than half full, bake immediately. The pan should be covered to prevent the formation of a hard crust before the loaf has risen sufficiently. If the bread does not brown on the top, remove the cover a few minutes before taking the loaf from the oven.

Bread Pans.—Are found to bake best when seven inches long, four inches deep, and four inches wide at the bottom, flaring and tired with corners. Tinned pans are excellent for use.

Tea Biscuit.—Make the dough as soft as can be handled, using cold water, with half the usual amount of shortening, or cold sweet milk without shortening. Bake at once in a well heated oven, they will be light, white sweet and tender.

Tea Loaf Cake.—Same as biscuit, except that the dough should be a little stiffer, use less shortening.

Pie Crust Mixture.—Three eggs, one quart of milk or water, three pints of flour, one table spoonful of melted Lard. Bake in hot muffin rings.

Pie Paste.—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

Sponge Cake.—One pound of Sugar, diluted in three gills of milk or water, half a pound of butter, two eggs, half a pint of milk or water and two pounds of flour.

Quick Sponge Cake.—One cup of powdered Sugar and one cup of flour, well mixed together. Break in three eggs, stir quickly and bake in a square tin immediately, in a moderate oven. Flavor with lemon or otherwise to suit the taste.

Gold and Silver Cake.—One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, four cups of flour. Divide this dough into two equal parts; take four eggs and use the yolks for the gold and the whites for the Silver cake. Flavor with lemon or otherwise and bake in covered brand pans.

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Primary Department	$ 3 00
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Music on Piano and Guitar, each	6 00
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UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI.

THE SIXTEENTH SESSION COMMENCES ON SEPTEMBER 23TH, 1867.

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The grounds have been neatly enclosed and the buildings largely repaired and improved.

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Candidates for the Freshman Class of the next Academic year, will be admitted, who must be fifteen years of age.

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Fee for Degree of Doctor of Science..... 10 00
Fee for Degree of Doctor of Literature..... 10 00
Fee for Degree of Doctor of Divinity..... 10 00
Fee for Degree of Doctor of Civil Law..... 10 00
Fee for Degree of Doctor of Canon Law..... 10 00
Fee for Degree of Doctor of Public Law..... 10 00
Fee for Degree of Doctor of Political Economy..... 10 00
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Fee for Degree of Doctor of Mechanics..... 10 00
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PUBLIC SPEAKING.—Hon. James L. Alcorn, of Coahoma county, will address the citizens of Meridian and vicinity on Wednesday, the 18th of September, on the political questions now agitating the country.

THE WORM ABROAD.—The Ashley county, Ark., Times reports that there is much complaint of the worms in that County. Some of the farmers are killing the worms while others build fires, and thus, it is said, destroy thousands of the moth.

Regular, tri-weekly communication has been opened between Shreveport and Vicksburg. From Vicksburg to Delhi the passenger is carried in coaches, making the distance in 13 hours. From Delhi to Monroe he is transported by rail, and proceeds hence without delay by easy stages to Shreveport. Fare through $30, from Monroe to Vicksburg, $12.

JUDGE HANCOCK.—We learn that Judge William M. Hancock has removed his residence from Quitman to the Bay of St. Louis, Hancock county. Judge Hancock has long been identified with this part of the State—has held the office of Circuit Judge a few years, and during that time, proved himself an efficient officer as well as a courteous gentleman.

FIRE IN ENTERPRISE.—The residence of Col. H. Harding was totally destroyed by fire on Thursday night last, 29th instant. The fire was first discovered about 10 o'clock, P. M., and owing to the scarcity of water, the fire boys were unable to use their engine to advantage, but for which they might have saved the house. Each, however, did all they could, together with the citizens, and succeeded in saving the adjoining building. The loss of Col. Harding is supposed to be between $2,000 and $3,000. No insurance.

LITERALLY BURIED ALIVE.—One of those heart rending accidents, which makes the blood run cold at the mere mention, occured in the vicinity of Paulding, Jasper county, in our State, on the 24th inst. It was nothing less than the heading of this article indicates. Mr. —— Cassidy, while recurbing the well of Mr. Henry Calhoun, and while near the bottom pulling out the loose timber, was suddenly buried six feet under the earth, by the caving in of the sides overhead. Every earthly power was used to extricate the poor man, but to no avail. Finding every means of saving life futile, the body had to be extricated by digging around it. The man who met with this sad fate, leaves a widow and several helpless orphans.

Johnson and Grant on Sheridan.

The correspondence between the President and Gen. Grant, relative to Sheridan's removal is printed elsewhere. The note from the President appears to have been an unofficial one, to elicit the General's views on the subject of Sheridan's removal. General Grant, however, seems to have regarded the note in another light, and accordingly sat down and wrote a long statement to the President, protesting against Sheridan's removal, and giving his reasons therefor. This letter is written in a very friendly way, entirely respectful and altogether without reproach, but shows very plainly that the Secretary of War *ad interim*, stands upon Stanton's platform. The President's reply is clear and full and friendly. He alludes in terms of praise to the military services of General Sheridan, especially as a cavalry officer, who deserved well of his country; but states that in the pros ut condition of the country the national interests could sustain no loss by the transfer of "Little Phil" to the Department of Missouri, and the appointment of General Thomas to the command of the Fifth military district. General Thomas, the President believes, is an officer whose services are also of a high order, and by no means inferior to those rendered by General Sheridan. He believes, moreover, that Thomas possessed the discretion, prudence, ripe judgment and impartial mind that fitted him in a higher degree than Sheridan for the command of the Fifth military district, and in making the proposed change he (the President) is only acting for the best interest of the country at large. As to the allusions made by Gen. Grant to the wishes of the American people, he (the President) asked to be informed when the question of the removal of Sheridan was submitted to the American people for an expression of their opinion. He (the President) believed that the supreme will of the American people was expressed in the American Constitution; that the Constitution should be obeyed and executed; that when acting in that spirit with some honest men other than Sheridan, Gen. Sickles has also been removed and Gen. Canby, an officer well thought of in this section placed in his stead.

Reconstruction in Section.

The people in this country have not grown in political capacity as the republic increased in wealth and acres; the grandeur of the task ahead has not been properly appreciated; men entrusted with administering the affairs of the people have not risen to the scale upon which the government reads. The times have become not the times" that are; deterioration has been going on until the bands that bound us together of old, have been snapped asunder, thus outgrowing the principles signed and bequeathed to posterity by the fathers of constitutional liberty. Our present system is traced to political weakness, which it is conceded must be repaired before we can return to the harmony and success that marked the administration of affairs in the early days of America. Already the subject of organic political changes is being brought forward for the consideration of the people, and even now, some of the writers at the North detect the spirits of great events which generally stride on before. The most vicious part of our old republican system is discovered to be the present mode of electing representatives. It divides the country into parties, produces class legislation, engenders great conflicts, and gives an unfair influence to insignificant majorities; it gives minorities no voice; awards office to partisans regardless of qualifications; gives us many corrupt officials and puts men in legislative halls who are more interested in party progress than the public weal.—An example of the workings of our present system is before us in a paper from the Galaxy, a New York Monthly. In the State of New York last year, 718,841 votes were polled, of which 366,315 were republican, and 352,526 democratic, giving a very scant republican majority. Yet in the State Senate there are but six democrats to seventeen republicans. And it is so all over the country; a few hundred votes of the balance of power-party, generally in minority, dictates the choice of the bulk of the officers within the people's gift. For instance, 35 States of the Union now have 138 republican Congressmen to 46 democrats, while the vote stood in those States 2,260,882 republicans to 1,888,238 democrats. The radicals hold New Hampshire by 1,500 voters; Pennsylvania by 8,387; Indiana by 7,101; and New York State by 6,895. The evils, it is thought, can be easily remedied, and the rights of minorities amply secured by a return to the appointment of judges, during good behavior, for life; modification of the elective franchise; a change in the manner of nominations; a reduction of elections and of officers elected, and a clause to check bribery. The country certainly needs something to force justice back to her throne—particularly in the Southern dependencies, and if the end can be attained through any of the reforms above suggested, we think the people should accept them. We want something that will give us all a voice and take us above the mire and filth of any party or secret caucus—that will give us statesmen in legislative halls, worthy of the dignity of the executive and judicial departments of the republic.

SHOCKING ASSASSINATION.—We learn through a reliable source the particulars of a horrid murder in Jasper County, in this State, as follows: Mr. Geo. Calhoun, a most estimable young gentleman of about twenty-one years of age, while midway between his father's residence and smoke-house, whence he was returning from issuing a supply of food to his employees, was shot by an unseen person with a shot gun—six buckshot having pierced his body, producing instant death! It is said that the party firing was not exceeding twenty feet from his victim when he fired the fatal shot, being shielded by the thick darkness. Suspicion rests directly upon a late employee of Mr. Calhoun, a freedman with whom Mr. Calhoun had had an imbroglio, and ordered to leave his premises. The facts elicited by the coroner's inquest were, that the body of said negro, Lewis Morgan by name, had borrowed a gun of James Clayton, freedman, with the expressed intention of killing a deer; that it was loaded with six buckshot, that Mr. Calhoun was struck by just that number; that he returned the gun to a double house in the quarter where he had killed the deer; that the wadding found near the body of Mr. Calhoun was of just such a nature as that put into the gun when he borrowed it; that the suspected party left his shoes at the house of James Clayton, owner of the gun, and that those fitted tracks made by the assassin precisely. All this, coupled with the fact of his flight, has induced all to believe that Lewis Morgan is, beyond peradventure, the assassin of Mr. Geo. Calhoun.—He has not yet been brought to justice, but it is hoped that many days will not elapse before it is done.

Letter from Clarke.

QUITMAN, August 28, '67.

The Circuit Court of this county commenced its regular session on last Monday and will continue during this, and next, week. It was understood that Judge Wm. Yerger, of Jackson, had accepted an invitation to address the people on Tuesday and many were attracted here on that day to hear the distinguished gentlemen.—Great disappointment was felt at hearing that had health prevented his attendance. It is still hoped that he may be able to come here next Monday. I found among the members attending Court Messrs. Ford and Steell, from Meridian, Hardy and Street, from Jasper, Judge Reavis, from Gainesville, Col. Chandler, from Enterprise, Hon. Roderic Seal and D. C. Glenn, from the sea coast and some others. With the local bar they made quite an array of the legal profession. An effort was made to continue all the litigated cases, but it did not meet Judge Hancock's approval and I suppose all the cases ready for trial will be disposed of. The docket had a case of the Slash vs. Cole charged with murder which will be tried next Monday. Judge Hancock presides with the dignity and ease of yesterday. Chas. A. Smith, Esq., the District Attorney, is a most efficient prosecutor and a gentleman. The absence of Capt. Shingle in the discharge of their duties is observed and the general opinion is that he is entitled to the thanks of the county for the land plunder. The worst case he prosecuted but as yet inflicted little damage.

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Mississippi Dead at Chickamauga.

Miss Mary J. Green, Trustee of the Georgia Memorial Association, sends us a list of the Mississippi dead at Chickamauga, which will interest our readers.—Also a list from States unknown. Lieut. McDonald of Sweet's Vicksburg battery. We notice, is in the last named list. We extract from Miss Green's letter:

"The removal and proper interment of our gallant dead, is a subject that I have greatly at heart, and I regret exceedingly, that we have not the means to carry on our work to completion. We have appealed to several States, who are largely represented on the field of Chickamauga, asking for assistance; and the most encouraging letter we have received, has been from General Wickliffe, who pledges Mississippi to bury every one of her sons. We have had the list of Chickamauga published—2,363 in all. I enclose you the names of the Mississippians; will you do me the kindness to give them a place in your paper, and also call the attention of the public to them?

"I send also the names belonging (as do'nt know where); any information concerning them, will be thankfully received.—Each State has a lot in our cemetery here, and we trust each one will feel a pride in giving us the means to beautify her own section. Without the ladies of your town be willing to get up an entertainment of some kind, to assist us in removing the dead from Chickamauga? Our means are now expended; and we have been able to bring down only 1,000. Any assistance however small, we shall feel most gratified for."

We do not believe we can add anything to Miss Green's appeal. So laudable an undertaking should receive universal encouragement, and we appeal to our contemporaries throughout the State to endeavor to inaugurate some movement by which our Chickamauga dead can be removed to the Marietta cemetery. What say the ladies of Meridian to Miss Green's proposition? Contributions left with Mr. Jno. Armstrong, at this office, will be promptly forwarded.

Letter from Hon. W. P. Harris.

This distinguished citizen of Jackson was recently invited to discuss the political questions of the day at Raymond, but having determined to let politics alone, declined. The following letter to Mr. Harper and others:

* * * My opinion was asked by some of my fellow-citizens of this city, as to the propriety of "obeying the Reconstruction Due Law of Congress and it was given without reserve on the best conscientious judgment. The result was published by those who sought it, and remains unchanged. I advised obedience to the Law because we could not resist it by force, nor procure its repeal, nor arrest its operation by appealing to the Courts. The meaning itself being beyond our reach, the only course left to us was to exert ourselves patiently and earnestly in controlling or modifying its effects. To this end I advised that the whites should actively participate in the election and in the organization of the State Government. It seemed to me that self-preservation, the integrity of the government, and the safety of civil society here, demanded that we should endeavor to obtain as much influence for virtue and intelligence in the Convention, the Legislative body, and in the administration of the Government, as possible. It appeared to me that it was clear, even if all the whites ought not to put themselves in a position in which they could do nothing in favor of virtue and good government, and that a course of inaction would result in committing the local government to the most ignorant and depraved class of the people. I have no better reason to offer in support of the advice I gave, and if there is but one additional suggestion which I will venture to make. It is probable (from what appears in the papers) that the Convention will assemble in this city. It is my opinion (it is almost certain) that a convention will be called. We may differ about the propriety of calling a Convention, but under the law of Congress. There are some conscientious persons who believe the law not only unwise, but in conflict with the federal constitution, and that they cannot consistently vote for a convention. We may safely assume, however, that these persons see the importance of providing for the contingency of a convention, and will in spite of their opposition. We cannot differ as to what should be the composition of both bodies. It is the frame of government under which we are to live for an indefinite time. Those who deem it necessary to satisfy their scruples, or their principles, by voting against a convention, should, at the same time, unite with those of opposite opinions as to this single point, in the selection of suitable persons to act in the convention. At this juncture to divide upon party lines, or to retrain from voting is to neutralize the influence of the only class of persons in the white race intelligence and virtue, and to abstain from the State the worst form of anarchy.

Let us not give ourselves too much to the contemplation of the time when Radical domination shall cease, and constitutional government return to us; but rather turn our attention to the certain dangers that are immediately at hand. The one is contingency in the future, the other is certainty in the present. We may not be able to remove our grievances, but we may at least prevent them from becoming intolerable.

RADICAL PRESIDENTIAL PLANS.—There are a few additional facts about political movements which have come to me through one of the prominent Radicals, and which may be worthy your notice.

First—Gen. Thomas is being secretly but strongly pushed for the Radical position to the Presidency, and he is at present Mr. Greely's candidate, although he stands no chance in the Convention. He will be opposed on the ground that he comes from a slave State. Mr. Greeley chooses him for that very reason—on the same principle that he hated Jeff. Davis.

Second—At a recent conversation Senator Grimes declared that he would not be a Presidential candidate, and added, "if you want to elect Grant, don't run him, Sheridan." He is not only a general, but he is also a statesman. These were words, indeed, from a political politician.

Third—In connection with this a strong clique is backing Sheridan for the Senate. The leaders say that nothing shall prevent his nomination, which Grant will openly endorse. They claim that the radical party will split upon Grant, the Sheridan Phillips school going against him, and that Sheridan is the candidate.—Wash. Cor. N. Y. Herald.

POLITICAL.—The political contests in California is very bitter and exciting, the election drawing near. Efforts are being made to concentrate all the Union vote in San Francisco on Haight, Democrat. The Democratic party continue their opposition to Gorham, the support the general ticket, and the election is under the Congressmen and Legislators.

The Democratic convention to nominate a candidate for the Governorship of Ohio district, to fill a vacancy occasioned by the resignation of General Hayn, met yesterday. The delegates of the Ohio State Convention, and the Kentucky resolutions of 1798 were adopted as the platforms. The delegates from Hamilton are divided between Gen. Ammon, late an officer in the army, and Judge Ferguson, an anti-war civilian, and both candidates for the convention broke up in a row without nominating.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The Court on Monday morning took up the docket of Lauderdale county, and disposed of a number of cases. In the forenoon a new trial was granted in the case of Mrs. Mary Ann Dorsey vs. Aberdeen Examiner.

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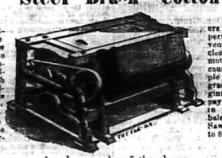

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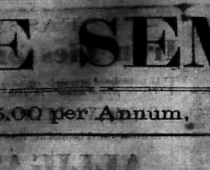

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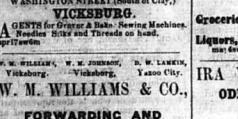

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ARE PREPARED to furnish Planters and Merchants with the best Brands of Kentucky and Virginia Leaf Tobacco, at prices merely nominal. The enormous Government Tax on MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, has caused so much adulteration, that it is almost impossible to get a pure article. The undersigned are EXPERIENCED TOBACCONISTS, and will, upon receipt of your orders, ship to any address at the following prices: BEST CHEWING, 40 to 50 cents per pound, BEST SMOKING 35 to 40 cents per pound, neatly put up in boxes from 25 to 50 lbs. each, and guaranteed to be a fair rented of the best quality—superior to any manufactured in the market.

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HAS led some unprincipled Manufacturers in St. Louis to put on the market Stoves in imitations are inferior and badly constructed Stoves, but as nearly the exterior shape and form of the original in external appearance as to be easily taken for the

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I therefore warn the public that I shall promptly prosecute every person, whether dealer or manufacturer, who shall hereafter be found selling, or using the name or design of the

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The original Patent Hot Air Flue Charter Oak Cooking Stove, is manufactured only by the

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Each Stove has my name and date of Patent on it. All others are imitations and liable to prosecution.

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Charges per Month:

Primary Department	$ 4 00
Intermediate Department	4 00
Higher English Dep't	5 00
Ancient and Modern Languages, English included	6 00
Music on Piano and Guitar, each	6 00
Ornamental Branches from the a'o	6 00
Board, exclusive of washing, fuel and lights	16 00

☞ Bills of tuition for each session must be paid in advance, either in currency or negotiable paper. No deduction will be made for absence, except in case of protracted illness. For the accommodation of those who have sons to educate, a male Department will be connected with the school, subject to the above terms and regulations, and young men, desirous of preparing for College or for teaching, will receive particular attention.

Meridian, Aug 28, 1867—sawtf

Hurlbutt, Sturges & Co.,

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NEW STORE

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HAVE on hand and are constantly receiving the large st and best supply of

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AND

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Which they will sell as low as they can afford At any rate they will not be undersold.

They invite those old customers, friends and the public generally to call, and they consult their own interest they will be sure to buy.

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AND

Meteor Burning Fluid.

THE new Meteor Safety Hand Lamp is the latest wonder and novelty, as well as the greatest invention of the times. The burning qualities of the Oil are in every particular superior to anything yet used, while its illuminating power has no superior. The Lamp will not blow out nor explode, and the Oil is inexhaustible. The cost of the Oil is about one-half that of refined coal oil; has no grease, smoky smell; does not smoke the chimney, and will not smear a fabric of any kind. You need not throw away your old Lamps; the Meteor Fluid will burn in a coal oil Lamp by attaching the Light House or Meteor Fluid Burner.

We have the agency for Lauderdale county, Miss., and Choctaw county, Ala., and will be glad to supply our friends in those counties with the Meteor Oil and Safety Hand Lamp.

It is bound to create a great revolution in the Lamp business, and only needs a test to be appreciated.

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I can send you farther, faster and cheaper than any Livery man I know of, (perhaps because I know but few.)

Hacks always in attendance on arrival of the trains.

Orders left at the Stable for conveyances, will receive prompt attention.

Strict attention paid to feeding Horses.

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Good secure Lots for Drove Stock.

I have a good wagon yard connected with the Stable.

Thankful for past favors, I ask you to call again.

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I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the

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MRS. M. A. COX

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A HOUSE AND THREE ACRES OF LAND in corporation on the town of Hickory—well watered, and a fine young orchard of choice fruit trees. The place fronts 150 feet on the Rail road, and is certainly a very desirable one. Also a House and Lot of one acre of land within the limits of Hickory, 160 of which is in a fine state of cultivation, well watered, timbered, &c., for immediately on the Rail road.

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Notice.

THE Book of Haggard & Stoddard dissolved partnership on the 14th of August. The Market is now in the name of Mrs. L. Stoddard. All who are indebted to the firm will come forward and settle up their accounts with D. G. Haggard.

Meridian, Aug. 16, 1867.

To the Public.

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Incidental fee for day pupils " "	50
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Boarding, including Washing, Bedding, Fuel and lights per month	20 00
Washing extra, for one dozen pieces about	1 00

The above terms will be required strictly in advance, except for day pupils, and are to date months for boarding pupils. And no pupil will be received at the beginning of each month, or at the beginning of each five months except those taught gratuitously, without prepayment. In case of protracted sickness &c., money will be refunded.

Four weeks considered a month.

The cost of Text books will range from $1 to $25 per year.

All property carelessly or willfully injured or destroyed, will be charged.

Boarding may be had with the Principal in a new and elegantly finished dwelling, or with good private families. Parties will furnish their own bed and bedding, towels, soap, and other toilet articles. Catalogues can be had of the Principal. The third Term will open on Monday, Sept. 23, 18 7. aug21

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FOR BOYS.

Rev. J. A. SMYLIE, Principal.

THE next session of this institution will commence on the Second Monday of September, (the 9th) and continue forty weeks.

TERMS.

Primary Dept'r per month of four weeks	$3 00
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Ancient and Modern Languages each in addition, per month	1 25

Daily instruction in vocal music, Boarding, including room, bed, bedding, fuel, and lights, per month of four weeks

Payments strictly in advance, monthly for day pupils, and for boarding pupils, every five months, in advance.

No deductions made for absence, except in case of sickness, at the option of the Principal.

Pupils will be held responsible for any property carelessly or willfully injured by them.

No pains shall be spared to make this school, for efficiency and thoroughness of instruction, equal to the best in the country.

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MISSION FREE SCHOOL.

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In addition to the Primary branches usually taught in English schools, the undersigned will, for the present, teach the ancient languages.

Applications for admission should be made without delay in order to secure a transfer.

The patronage of all desiring a first class school will be solicited.

Further information will be given by Mrs Hampton, who is to be seen at the Rectory, or by the undersigned.

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Candidates for the Freshman Class of the next Academic year, will be admitted. They must be fifteen years of age.

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Has been organized for the special accommodation of students who do not design to pursue the regular curriculum. The course will be selective; and will comprise all the sciences and will teach mostly taught in scientific schools exclusive of the classics. It is especially designed to fit young men for civil engineers, and to enable them to prosecute their scientific studies as specialties.

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Washing about $3 and Lights about $1 per month..... 40 00
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The healthfulness, moral refinement and progress privileges of Oxford, commend the Institution to the patronage of the public.

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Secretary of the Board.

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OUR POLICY.—The San Antonia, Texas Herald, of a late date, argues, that "we firmly believe that the quickest way of killing off the Radical party and its Radical Congress, is to let them have full sway—to interpose no other opposition to them. Any opposition that the South can offer will only protract our sufferings and need probably end in further disfranchisement and possibly confiscation. If the Conservatives withdraw all opposition to Radicalism, a split is sure to take place in its ranks that will much more speedily weaken and destroy it than anything the Conservatives could do by their efforts, which efforts, indeed, we know would only tend to prolong our distresses by keeping our oppressors united and triumphant."—This is the position for which we have been battling with the balance of the press of our exchanges; and we are of course glad to see the same ground taken, from its own information and judgment, by such able prints as the Herald.

A circular from headquarters at Vicksburg shows that six cases have been disposed of recently by the Military Commission sitting in that city. Sam Ligon and Jeff. Wood (colored) for horse stealing in Monroe county, go to the Arkansas penitentiary for three years. Victor Dumont and Adelbert Boehler for horse stealing in Amite county, and Thos. A. Wright and Wm. Johnson (colored) for the same offence, in Carroll county, go the Arkansas penitentiary for a period of three years. In the case of W. T. Moore, of Rankin county, for stealing mules, the commanding General disapproved the findings of the Court, the testimony being of a nature to admit of a serious doubt of the prisoner's guilt. He is discharged. For disorderly conduct in Newton county, Frank Ewing is sent to Dry Tortugas for ninety days. Sending a man to Fort Jefferson for disorderly conduct is something new.

The President has ordered the "Bureau of Rebel Archives" of which Dr. Francis Lieber was chief, to be closed. This Bureau was organized by Secretary Stanton, and contains all the captured records of the civil and military administration of the confederacy.

A FRANK MOVEMENT.—On the 31st ult. Gen. Grant ordered that "Commanders of the military districts created under the act of March 2, 1867, will make no appointments to civil office of persons who have been removed by themselves or their predecessors in command." This order astounds the compromisers, and Mr. Johnson who on one occasion for this assertion of authority. The withdrawal of Grant's letter arguing the case was taken as an abandonment of the contest. But this move indicates that the general commanding considers himself stronger in action than in argument.

Grenada and Meridian Railroad.

We have already mentioned that there would be a meeting of the incorporators on Thursday the 3d day of October. We hope suitable arrangements will be made to entertain the delegates and a subscription made in behalf of the enterprise, that will show the people abroad we feel some interest in the road. We want to attract the attention of the Mayor and Council to the subject. Speaking of the meeting the Louisville Bulletin says:

As will be seen by advertisement in another column, R. D. Brown, President of the Board of Corporators of the Grenada and Meridian Railroad Company, has called a meeting of that body, as well as all friends of the enterprise, at Meridian on the 3d day of October next, for the purpose of transacting business of importance to the company and to those interested in its success. We hope to hear of a full attendance, for it is important that such a course may be adopted as will insure new life and vigor into the undertaking and insure its ultimate success.

To the people of our own immediate section, a better channel in which to turn their energies, physically, mentally and financially cannot be offered, than in investing ways and means in aiding the procurement, completion and putting in operation of the Grenada and Meridian Railroad, and we hope to see it taken advantage of it.

A meeting of the people is called for next Saturday, 7th September, to take preliminary steps for holding a mass meeting of the people of the County on Saturday, 21st day of September, at Louisville, for the purpose of appointing delegates to act in conjunction with the corporators of the road in the County at the Meridian meeting. It is also suggested that a barbecue be given on the 21st. Come up to the scratch, gentlemen; you cannot spend your time in a better cause.

And the Kemper Sentinel has this item on the subject:

We are authorized to state that a meeting of the Corporators of the Grenada and Meridian Railroad will be held at Meridian on the third day of October next. Very important business is to be transacted. We understand that Col. W. J. Stevens has been appointed agent to take stock.

CAUTION.—The lawful closure to the Corporation of Meridian, is reported as progressing to a considerable extent in Madison county.

"The Bottom Rail on Top."

The black man begins to think he ought to assert his rights and prerogatives, and fill every office of trust and emolument with men of his own color. The Republican party employed political missionaries to come South and constill this doctrine into his mind, and many of our own people who wanted to dance to the radicals with "African sable," urge him to aspire to Congress and the Vice-Presidency—not to let the self-styled defenders of his political rights swindle him out of all the fat offices. The blacks now comprehend all this, and are shaping their course so as to avail themselves of every advantage given. A colored man letter the world know through the columns of the New Orleans Times, that they intend to carry out full republican Democratic principles to the letter—majorities must rule and minorities submit. They will elect blacks to every office within the people's gift, from Governor to Constable, and from policeman to head-keeper. The white man hold all the places of honor and profit when they had power, and now that the black men have a majority, they will do the same thing—"the bottom rail is on top" says the letter to the Times, and "Yankees as well as the minority must take a back seat." This is the prevailing sentiment and has been brought about by the incendiary teachings of unprincipled men who expect to ride into office upon the negro's back. But the "humble and obedient ally" is not so pliant after all. He has measured his strength, finds himself "master of the situation," and openly declares he will kick demagogues aside, and place the colored man where there is money and honor. What is true of Louisiana is true of all the Southern States. In Sumter county, Alabama, we are told the colored people proclaim none shall receive their votes but black men, and the same thing is said to be strongly intimated at the Convention in our own county last Saturday. The black man, where he has the controlling political power, will trust none in office, save his own color.

It is easy to see how this feeling of caste and exclusiveness will terminate." Negro supremacy will be negro ruin. When the radicals discover that their black allies want elevation to office, and an equal share of official patronage, they will turn against them. The negro, by ostracising the Southern people, will have lost his true friends here; and abandoned by the radicals on the one side and the Southerners on the other, he must relinquish his claim to supremacy, or engage in a war where the issue will be "white skins versus black," and in which he will be very summarily put aside. The picture is not pleasant to contemplate, but the signs of the times point unerringly in the direction we have indicated.

The President on Stanton and Sheridan.

A correspondent of the Boston Post had an interview with the President recently, during which, the removal of Stanton and Sheridan were discussed. The President denied that he suspended Stanton in order to obstruct the reconstruction policy of Congress—that Mr. Stanton had nothing to do with their execution, and observed that at one time General Grant strongly intimated that unless Mr. Stanton was removed, he should be compelled to leave Washington, as he could be of no possible use in view of Mr. Stanton's overbearing and dictatorial conduct. The President advised him to have a talk with the Secretary of War, and perhaps they would understand each other better. He agreed, however, with the General, that Mr. Stanton ought to be removed, and he then inquired of General Grant if he would take charge of the Department in the event of a change. The latter promptly expressed his entire willingness to do so. It was then that General Grant gave the President a very kind, but earnest, private note, in which he intimated his fears of anarchy, if not revolution, should Secretary Stanton be superseded. Yet, as he could not appreciate the General's fears on this score he had directed the change. Sheridan was removed for exercising power he did not possess. The removal of Gov. Wells and Gov. Throckmorton was entirely uncalled for, and unjustifiable. Both had placed at Sheridan's disposal, the whole civil machinery of their States, to aid him in the execution of the reconstruction acts, while he was endeavoring to execute the law as a partisan, and adopted radicalism as the only true test of loyalty. His sole purpose seemed to be to secure negro supremacy and degrade the whites, and for such conduct the President deemed it his duty to relieve him of that command.

THE POLITICAL WHIRLPOOL—Washington affairs grow in intensity. Grave changes are still talked of, and it is not improbable the President will continue cutting off partisan heads until the cabinet and commanders suit him. It is intimated that Grant will ask to be relieved from duty at the War Office soon. How he will act then he will surely go. The old man has been keeping very quiet lately, and has little to say at the White House. Jerry Black is spoken of as Mr. Seward's successor, and the fact that he has has been telegraphed to, relative to hiring him of the city to act in the Cabinet, and requesting him to return immediately is significant. Randall expresses his readiness to go, and Ward H. Lamon, once appointed Marshal of the District of Columbia by Mr. Lincoln, is mentioned as Postmaster General. The Herald special says in the case of McCulloch, though probably his resignation will be the last accepted from the fear of damage to the public credit, still it is pretty certain he will be permitted to withdraw from the service and a successor appointed in his stead. Among the rumors afloat is one that Secretary McCulloch has accepted an offer from Jay Cooke & Co., to manage the new banking house they are about to open in London. If this be true it would certainly bear out the probability of McCulloch's prompte retirement.

ALL RIGHT.—The difficulty between the President and Gen. Grant has been settled and now the latter officer complys with the President's wishes, by relieving, of his own free will, Gen. Sickles, and placing Gen. Canby in the command of the Second District.

Agricultural Association.

Pursuant to a call, a meeting of the citizens was held at the Mayor's office. Hon. E. L. Henderson in the chair, and L. M. Hart and Dr. R. N. Parker appointed Secretaries. By request, Col. J. J. Shannon addressed the meeting in a few pertinent remarks urging the importance of such an association, and suggesting the objects of the association be extended so as to embrace also a mechanical department.—Esquire Row also made a few remarks eloquently seconding Col. Shannon's suggestion.

Upon motion of Col. Shannon, a committee of seven was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for an Agricultural and Mechanical Association to report to a meeting to be held in Meridian on next Saturday week, the 14th September. Committee is:

Esq. E. J. Row, Maj. F. C. Sessums, C. W. Mathews, I. B. Payne, W. W. Shearer, Erasimus Williams, and B. T. Rush.

Upon motion of Col. Shannon, the election for officers for the Tournament Club was entered into. Mayor R. L. Henderson was unanimously elected President, L. M. Hart was elected Vice-President, Jno. Armstrong was elected Secretary and Treasurer.

Upon motion, the President was authorized to appoint the judges for the next tournament.

Upon motion, the meeting adjourned to meet next Saturday week at 3 P. M.

R. L. HENDERSON, Pres't.
L. M. HART and R. N. PARKER, Secs.
August 31, 1867.

News Items.

The Atlanta Opinion says: Another freedman, who had been convicted for an attempt to ravish a little white girl nine years old, received sentence to twenty years imprisonment and hard labor in the penitentiary of the State.

The Tyler (Texas,) Reporter, says a man dressed in army uniform, and supposed to be a soldier, shot a worthy and respectable freedman here, in the knee, a few days previous, wounding him badly. The same paper complains that freedmen get drunk and fight on the streets.

A letter from Fort Union, New Mexico, states that the Navajo tribe of Indians, numbering over six thousand, are on the eve of hostilities against the whites.

Mrs. Dorcas Walker was terribly mutilated by receiving a load of Gen. Lee's American department of the exposition.—She tore off the label and stamped it under her feet.

Professor J. C. Watson, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, announces the discovery of a new planet, hitherto unknown, which was first seen by him last night. It is situated in right ascension 4 deg. and 40 min. and declination 3 deg. 10 min. south. It is moving west and south.

Many of the young ladies of Cleveland, O. carry small pocket revolvers as a protection in the pressent hour of lawlessness. Several of the young ladies have been insulted by these prowling scoundrels lately while taking an evening walk, and they have leagued together with the determination to see it there is any virtue in ball and powder.

Every dispatch from the yellow fever districts says the disease is just going to be better, but almost every dispatch shows the fact to be worse.

One person out of every five in the New England States dies of consumption, while in Georgia only one out of thirty-six is a victim of that disease.

It is rumored that the Raleigh Progress has been threatened with suppression in consequence of editorializing Gen. Sickles.

A Hugo rattlesnake, measuring eight feet in length and eight inches in circumference, was killed near Athens, Tenn., a few days ago.

General Rousseau, in a communication addressed to General Grant, pronounces a portion of General Sheridan's recent letter *false*.

The Atlanta (Ga.) Era says: "When the time comes, it will be found that a convention and reconstruction will sweep the State with a majority of from thirty to forty thousand."

Three houses were entered at Edgefield opposite Nashville on Wednesday and property to the amount of $1,500 carried off by burglars.

France and Austria are making common cause in demanding the body of Maximilian at all hazards. Now for more Mexican blunders.

An eclipse of the sun will take place on the 29th instant, but will not be visible in any part of the United States.

Four hundred and ninety-eight streets in St. Louis measure two hundred and eighty miles. Thereby has eighty miles of water pipe, eighty-six miles of main gas pipe, and thirty-six miles of street railway.

The number of persons who perished by famine in the Orissa district in India, last year, was one and a half millions—more than the entire population of Missouri.

The Spanish ministers going out of office have killed the General of the Queen's troops.

SUFFRAGE.—The Washington correspondent of the Charleston Courier learns that Judge Chase has expressed the opinion that Congress at the next session, will pass a bill establishing universal suffrage in every State, and thinks there can be no doubts of it.

The Little Rock Republican says thousands of cattle are now driven from Texas into and through Arkansas.

The Reform Bill passed the House of Lords without amendment or alteration. The assent of the Queen will of course be given, and we may perhaps soon begin to see the verification of Earl Grey's prediction that the Bill will carry the country in the direction of an English Republic.

The iron tie used in the bailing of cotton is steadily supplanting the ordinary rope, both on account of its cheapness and the protection it affords in case of fire.

Last week a young lady at Marquette, Michigan, while out picking blackberries was killed by a bear and her body almost devoured.

It is believed the northern tribes of Indians can be pacified by calling to them the Powder River Region.

A short time ago a party of unknown white men passed through DeSoto county, Miss., with two colored men as prisoners. Who they were and why they took the blacks is entirely nobody knows, but a few days afterward the bodies of two colored men were found dangling in trees in the woods.

The Augusta Sentinel has knowledge of a ring that has been formed in Georgia, for the purpose of buying up the jewels of the negroes are located at Atlanta.

Hall, the schoolmaster, has published a card in Forney's Chronicle, in which he says he was killed by mistake, and that Conger was the subject for Executive clemency.

The Baton Rouge Advocate says that a gang has been formed in that parish, and they have as long labelled that part of Louisiana.

Correspondence between President and Lieutenant General Grant.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, D. C. Aug. 17, 1867.

DEAR SIR:—Herewith you have instructions to carry into effect the enclosed order. I would be pleased to hear any suggestions you may deem necessary respecting the assignments to which the order refers.

Truly yours,
ANDREW JOHNSON.

Gen. U. S. GRANT, Sec. of War *ad interim*.

[FOR ORDER OF REMOVAL.]
EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17, 1867.

Major Gen. George H. Thomas is hereby assigned to the command of the Fifth Military District, created by the act of Congress, passed on the 2d day of March, 1867.

Major Gen. P. H. Sheridan is hereby assigned to the command of the Department of the Missouri.

Major Gen. Winfield S. Hancock is hereby assigned to the command of the Department of Louisiana.

The Secretary of War *ad interim* will give the necessary instructions to carry this order into effect.

ANDREW JOHNSON.

GEN. GRANT TO PRESIDENT JOHNSON.
HEAD'S ARMY OF THE U. STATES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17, 1867.

His Excellency Andrew Johnson, President of the United States:

SIR—I am in receipt of your order of this date, directing the assignment of Gen. G. H. Thomas to the command of the Fifth Military District, Gen. Sheridan to the Department of the Missouri, and Gen. Hancock to the Department of the Cumberland, also your note of this date enclosing the orders assigning officers to command and instructions to carry into effect the enclosed order. I would be pleased to hear any suggestions you may deem necessary respecting the assignments to which the order refers.

I am pleased to avail myself of this invitation to urge, earnestly urge, in the name of hundreds of thousands of loyal lives, and hundreds of millions of treasure to preserve the integrity and union of the country, that this order be not insisted on. It is unlawful, in my judgment, to remove from the country that Gen. Sheridan should not be removed from his present command.

This is a Republic where the voice of the people is to be consulted as to the manner their voice may be heard. Gen. Sheridan has performed his civil duties faithfully and conscientiously. His removal will only be regarded as an effort to defeat the laws of Congress. It will be interpreted by the unconstructed element in the South—those who did all they could to break up this government by arms, and now wish to be the only persons consulted as to the method of restoring order—as a triumph. It will embolden them to renewed opposition to the will of the loyal masses, believing that they have the Executive with them. The services of Gen. Thomas in battling for the Union entitle him to some consideration. He has repeatedly entered his protest against being assigned to either of the five military districts, and especially to being assigned to relieve Gen. Sheridan. Gen. Hancock ought not to be removed from where he is. His department is a complicated one, which will have taken new complications before he become acquainted with.

These are military reasons, pecuniary reasons, and above all patriotic reasons, why this order should not be insisted on. I beg leave to offer a better substitute, which I wrote to the President when first consulted on the subject of the change in the War Department. It leaves upon the subject of this removal, and I had hoped would have prevented it.

I have the honor to be, with great respect,
Your obedient servant,
U. S. GRANT.

General U. S. A., and Secretary of War *ad interim*.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
Washington, D. C., Aug. 18 1867.

GENERAL—I have received your communication of the 17th inst., and thank you for the promptness with which you have submitted your views respecting the assignments directed in my order of that date. I have stated in my last communication of the 17th that I would be pleased to hear any suggestions you might deem necessary respecting the public interests which in your opinion would render the order inexpedient. Inasmuch, however, as you have availed your suggestion in a written communication, it is proper that I should make some reply.

You earnestly urge that the order be not insisted on, remarking that it is unmistakably the expressed wish of the country that Gen. Sheridan should not be removed from his present command. While I am aware that the opinion has been made to retain Gen. Sheridan in command of the Fifth Military District, I am not aware that the question has ever been submitted to the people themselves for determination, it certainly could be urged with much force that the people of the whole of the nation, as a body, is capable of reconstituting the States of Louisiana and Texas, but that were so, for any cause removed no other General in the military service of the United States would be more competent to fill his place. Gen. Thomas whom I have designated as his successor, is a native of Virginia, having been appointed to the Military Academy, having served with high and honorable distinction in the field; he has since, in the execution of the responsible duties of a department commander, exhibited great ability, sound discretion and sterling patriotism.

He has not failed, under the most trying circumstances, to enforce the laws to preserve peace and order, and to promote as far as possible a spirit of reconciliation.—If's administration of the Department of Virginia and Tennessee will certainly compare most favorably with that of Gen. Sheridan in the Fifth Military District. Therefore upon the ground of justice to the nation, and a bitter spirit of antagonism seems to have resulted from Gen. Sheridan's management. He has rendered himself exceedingly obnoxious by the manner in which he has exercised even the powers conferred upon him. He did not serve as by a resort to authority not granted by law, nor necessary to his faithful discharge of the executive duties, he has, in fact, been one of absolute tyranny, without reference to the rights of persons or property, or to the matters of law and justice.

The state of affairs which has resulted from the exercise of power by Gen. Sheridan not warranted by law, and not necessary to a faithful discharge of the executive duties, is such as to call for the interposition of the Executive, and to require that the military authority should be subordinated to the civil authority, and to facilitate their execution in all proper cases. Gen. Sheridan has, in numerous instances, interfered with the proper jurisdiction of civil officers in the State, and has, by military power and official acts, superseded the operation of the civil authorities, when in no way conflicting with the military authority, and when the civil authorities were entirely competent to the discharge of their duties. He has, by military orders, removed civil officers and appointed others in their stead, when the officers removed were fully competent to discharge the duties of their offices, and were willing to do so, and when the appointments made were entirely unsuitable for the positions. He has, by military orders, established civil tribunals, and has directed proceedings to be had in them, when the civil tribunals existing by the laws of the State were competent to the proper administration of justice, and were in the proper exercise of their functions. He has, by military power, and official acts, suspended the operation of the civil authorities, when in no way conflicting with the military authority, and when the civil authorities were entirely competent to the discharge of their duties. He has, by military orders, removed civil officers and appointed others in their stead, when the officers removed were fully competent to discharge the duties of their offices, and were willing to do so, and when the appointments made were entirely unsuitable for the positions. He has, by military orders, established civil tribunals, and has directed proceedings to be had in them, when the civil tribunals existing by the laws of the State were competent to the proper administration of justice, and were in the proper exercise of their functions. He has, by military power, and official acts, suspended the operation of the civil authorities, when in no way conflicting with the military authority, and when the civil authorities were entirely competent to the discharge of their duties. He has, by military orders, removed civil officers and appointed others in their stead, when the officers removed were fully competent to discharge the duties of their offices, and were willing to do so, and when the appointments made were entirely unsuitable for the positions. He has, by military orders, established civil tribunals, and has directed proceedings to be had in them, when the civil tribunals existing by the laws of the State were competent to the proper administration of justice, and were in the proper exercise of their functions. He has, by military power, and official acts, suspended the operation of the civil authorities, when in no way conflicting with the military authority, and when the civil authorities were entirely competent to the discharge of their duties. He has, by military orders, removed civil officers and appointed others in their stead, when the officers removed were fully competent to discharge the duties of their offices, and were willing to do so, and when the appointments made were entirely unsuitable for the positions. He has, by military orders, established civil tribunals, and has directed proceedings to be had in them, when the civil tribunals existing by the laws of the State were competent to the proper administration of justice, and were in the proper exercise of their functions.

The Sunny South, published at West Point, in Lowndes county, says that the cotton crop in that county will be a failure.

In Mississippi, Governor Humphreys, Mr. Merrick, and a number of other prominent men have declared in favor of the constitution and reconstruction, and have advised the people to accept it. Governor Humphreys has also advised the people to register and vote. Governor Humphreys has also issued a proclamation, in which he says that the military commanders would be instructed in the same manner as the civil officers should they attempt to break up this government by arms, and that the President would not tolerate any such conduct on the part of military commanders, and that the law, and that Gen. Sheridan has been removed for such conduct.

The colored exhibitors at the Louisiana exposition in the will of the Louisiana Sheriffs.

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All persons indebted to the late firm will please settle with W. M. Rush who has been authorized to collect all debts and settle the affairs of the firm.

A. B. SANGER,
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Meridian, Miss., Sept. 1, 1867. septlwlm

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$100 Reward.

THE above reward will be paid for the arrest and delivery to me at Meridian, Miss., of my negro man Jim, who left my employment on the night of the 15th inst. Jim is about 5 feet 8 inches high, dark complexion, and has a scar on his left cheek. He is a good blacksmith, and will probably try to get employment at his trade. He is also a good carpenter, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good wagon maker, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good painter, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good plasterer, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good mason, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good carpenter, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good blacksmith, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good wagon maker, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good painter, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good plasterer, and will probably try to get employment at that trade. He is also a good mason, and will probably try to get employment at that trade.

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AT VICKSBURG, MISS.

Chartered by an act of the Legislature of Mississippi, passed Feb. 16th, 1867.

The following receipt from the State Treasurer, serves to show the fact that the money has been paid into the State Treasury the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS for the benefit of the

STATE UNIVERSITY.

COPY OF RECEIPT.

No. 1271 STATE OF MISSIS IPPI, $5,000

State Treasury, Jackson, Miss.,

Received of W. D. Pond's, &c., per C. B. Wyeth, the sum of five thousand dollars in full of Auditor's "several Warrant No. 197, dated July 12 A. D. 1867." In his favor on sec. act of University of Mississippi, under 4th section of an act of Feb. 14, 1867, and the 6th subsection of the Miscellaneous Appropriations, providing the Educational and Manufacturing and Society.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 17th July, A. D. 1867. JOHN R. ECHOLS,
State Treasurer.

In the three Preliminary Distributions and Grand Scheme, there will be distributed $3,250 Premiums amounting in $32,950.00 in 9,000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $80 to $30,000

First Preliminary Distribution.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of	$4,000	$4,000
1	2,000	2,000
1	1,000	1,000
5	500	2,500
10	250	2,500
20	100	2,000
400 Premiums amounting to		$14,000

Second Preliminary Distribution.

OCTOBER 10th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$2,000	$2,000
1	1,000	1,000
5	150	750
10	100	1,000
437	45	19,650
450 Premiums amounting to		$24,400

Third Preliminary Distribution.

NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$8,000	$8,000
1	3,000	3,000
1	2,000	2,000
3	1,000	3,000
10	500	5,000
483	61	29,463
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GRAND SCHEME.

DECEMBER 11th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$20,000	$20,000
1	10,000	10,000
1	5,000	5,000
1	2,000	2,000
10	1,000	10,000
15	500	7,500
20	250	5,000
50	100	5,000
100	50	5,000
1,000	10	10,000
1,247	75	93,525
1300 Premiums amounting to		$183,975

Whole Certificates, $12; 1st Inst'ment, $12.00
Halves " $6; " 6.00
Quarters, " $3; " 3.00

TAKE NOTICE, that certificates are to be paid for in instalments of $5 per each of the above sums, for the 1st, 2d and 3d preliminary Distributions, and Grand Scheme.

The whole amount may be paid at once, if preferred. By this plan it will be seen that the saving of a fraction over 40 cents per day during the month, will produce a Grand Scheme, and keep the same renewed throughout the year, which if not drawn out in 1st and 2d preliminaries.

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Certificates may be purchased from or ordered through any of the Special Agents, or by mail direct from this office.

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ALBERT SANGER, Sec'y.
R. F. R. CHADWICK, Agent.
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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains leave Meridian at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Okolona 11: A. M. Enterprise 2:53 P. M. Meridian 6:53 P. M.

Mail trains leave Okolona at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Meridian 11: A. M. Enterprise 2:53 P. M. Meridian 6:53 P. M.

Accommodation train leaves Meridian at 6.30 P. M. Arrive at Okolona 5.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail train leave Mobile at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Okolona 11: A. M. Enterprise 2:53 P. M. Meridian 6:53 P. M. Cuba 7:03 P. M. Collinsville 7:23 P. M. Coolah 7:39 P. M. Macon 8:05 A. M. Beckinridge 10:5 A. M. Enterprise 7:56 A. M. Beckinridge 11 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1:45 A. M. Macon 3:05 A. M. Meridian 6:55 A. M. Enterprise 7:56 A. M. Beckinridge 11 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1:45 A. M. Macon 3:05 A. M. Meridian 6:55 A. M. Mobile 3:15 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian 7.30 A. M.
" arrive " 4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma 6.30 P. M.
" arrive " 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves 7.00 A. M.
" " arrives 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 p. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8:55 p. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner; and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 2:30 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passenger train leaves Meridian at 6:30 p. m. daily, make quick time and save connections by failure at Jackson, Miss., with trains on M. C. R. R. to New Orleans, and with trains on M. & O. R. R. to Mobile; and at Grenada with trains on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad.

Leave Grenada daily at 1:45 a. m. and 2:55 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6:45 a. m. and 6:45 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Charleston Railroad for all points north.

A. S. LEVY, MOORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

Brv't. Maj. THOMAS HENORTON, U.S.A. Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. Inspector of Registration, Counties of Lauderdale, Kemper and Neshoba.

1st Lieut. THOMAS H. STE.
7th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

2ND LIEUT. W. O. CORY,
8th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Acting Asst. Surg. R. H. WALKER, U.S.A. Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS,
Agent B. R. F. and A. L., at Head'qrs Sub-District, Meridian.

Capt. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C. Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick, the old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night. Mr. Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and an experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded. tf

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Biddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—If gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people those gentlemen and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is of world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. "As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the South, and which are pronounced by all who have used. We cannot understand why their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician. tf

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—The large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky: [illegible]

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler, Butler's Grammar, Towne's Mathematics and Barker's Book-keeping.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that such uniformity as may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of [illegible]

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HENRY, MOORE & GENUNG,

Manufacturers and Jobbers of

CLOTHING,

No. 522 Broadway, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel,

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We have ready a large, handsome and well assorted stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Manufactured by us exclusively for the Southern Trade, which we are prepared to sell at low prices and on liberal terms.

Our stock is adapted in material, style, lengths, and sizes, exclusively to the South, and comprises goods from the lowest priced to the finest made, including a large assortment of goods for

Freedmen's Wear.

The recent decline in woolen and cotton fabrics will enable us to offer clothing at much lower prices than it has been sold for at any time since 1860.

Cash and close buyers from the South are invited to examine our stock before purchasing, as we believe we can offer them great inducements.

We will be happy to receive orders, and our long experience in the Southern business enables us to make selections which will be certain to give entire satisfaction.

Descriptive Catalogues with prices sent by mail if desired.

HENRY, MOORE & GENUNG,
New York, July, 1867. 522 Broadway.
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Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and sold out the

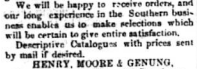
Meridian Star Brewery

to W. L. McCorkle. The Brewery will be closed up until the 15th of September, owing to the warm weather, after which time customers will be supplied on the same terms as before. All orders should be addressed to W. L. McCorkle, Meridian, Miss.

WISE & CLAY.

July 1st, 1867. aug9tiwswtf

A. B. WAGNER,
Cabinet Maker and Undertaker,
In rear of Barber Shop.



WILL continue to make and repair furniture, and will keep constantly on hand, coffins and metallic cases of every description, and will be glad to see his old customers as usual.

☞ Wholesale and retail depot for Crane's Metallic cases.

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LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber in consequence of declining health, is anxious to sell his land on which he now resides. The tract contains eight hundred acres, with some four hundred and fifty in cultivation. It lies immediately on the Kosciusko and Ohio Railroad, about half way between Meridian and Enterprise, and nearly all good and productive Okatibbee bottom, all level and so table for cultivation. If no disaster happens to the crop now growing, it will take for the place what the crop will be worth. The improvements are good and in good condition, and he is now building a new gin house and press, &c. It is also a good outlet for stock on two sides, and a living range for cattle, &c., and is altogether a pleasant and valuable location.

Also, also authorized to sell 240 acre of good level land adjoining, with about 100 acres in a good state of cultivation, and an improvement. Also belonging to Col. H. B. Lewis. These two tracts will be sold jointly or separately, to suit purchasers and the subscriber will divide the tract to effect a sale, if not sold as a whole before the 1st of December next. He will also have some of several mules and horses and a quantity of corn. There is a competent supply of good laborers with their families on the premises and anxious to remain. For further information apply to me on the premises—each one to see the other, Mississippi.

PEYTON KING.

Enterprise, Miss., Aug. 14, 1867-swtf

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MAYER BROTHERS, Manufacturers of Tobacco, 21 Tchoupitoulas street, betwee n No chez and Poydras, New Orleans. sept8 ly

CARPET WAREHOUSES. A. BROUSSEAU & CO., 17 Chartres street, Importers and Dealers, Wholesale and Retail. Offer at low prices Carpeting, Floor Oil Cloths, Matting, Window Shades, Table and Piano Covers, Curtains, Lace, Worsted, Cornices. may1ly

A. R. GRISWOLD, & CO., old firm of Hyde & Goodrich; established in New Orleans Fifty years. Manufacturers and Importers of Watches, Jewelry, Silver Ware, Military Goods and Pistols, corner Canal and Royal streets, New Orleans. nov7 ly

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ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

JOHN B. OGDEN,
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TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he considers to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, free, by return mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
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NO EXCUSE FOR BAD BREAD

DARCY & PUTNAM'S

SELF-RAISING FLOUR

—FOR—

Bread, Biscuit, Puddings, Cakes, Pastry, &c., without using Yeast-Powders, or Soda.

TIME AND LABOR SAVING AND HEALTH GIVING.

GENERAL DIRECTIONS.

Stir in the water with a spoon and beat at once without kneading or waiting for the dough to rise; the oven, therefore, should be in good baking order before beginning to mix—MIND THIS.

Milk is superior to water for all pastry purposes.

For Cakes, Pastry, &c., the SELF-RAISING FLOUR should be the last article mixed. Salt to suit the taste.

RECEIPTS

SALT TO SUIT THE TASTE

For Loaf Bread.—Use cold water or milk, and mix with a spoon just sufficient to thoroughly wet the dough; put it into a deep pan not more than half full, bake immediately. The pan should be covered to prevent the formation of a hard crust before the loaf has risen sufficiently. If the bread does not brown on the top, remove the cover a few minutes before taking the loaf from the oven.

Bread Pans.—Are found to bake best when seven inches long, four inches deep, and four inches wide at the bottom, flaring and tall with covers. These pans are excellent for cake.

For Biscuit.—Make the dough as soft as can be handled, using cold water, with half the usual amount of shortening, or cold sweet milk without shortening. Bake at once in well heated oven, they will be light, with a sweet and tender.

For Lower Crust.—Bread as biscuit, except that the dough should be a little stiffer, use less shortening.

For Meat Pudding.—Three eggs, one quart of milk or water, three pints of flour, one tablespoonful of melted Lard. Bake in deep Muffin Pan.

For Pies.—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

Sponge Cake.—One cup of Sugar, diluted in three gills of milk or water, half a pound of butter, two eggs, half a pint of milk or water and two pounds of flour.

Quick Pound Cake.—One cup of powdered sugar and one cup of flour, well mixed together. Break in three eggs, stir quickly and bake in a square tin immediately, in a moderate oven. Flavor with lemon or otherwise to suit the taste.

Gold and Silver Cake.—One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, four cups of flour. Divide this dough into two equal parts; to one part add the yolks for the gold and the whites for the silver cake. Flavor with lemon or otherwise and bake in covered bread pans.

Dough Nuts.—One pound of Sugar a little shortening, two eggs, three pounds of flour and one pint of water.

Pot Pie and Dumplings.—Prepare the dough in every respect the same as for biscuit. Use a little melted sugar and butter for sauce.

Tea Cakes and Fritters.—Will need no eggs. Butter and Griddle Cakes, etc., are very superior made from Self-raising Flour.

The quicker you handle this & or the better. Never let it stand or rise. See that the oven is hot before you touch the flour. The softer the dough the better. Do not knead it.

☞ Put up in every style to suit the trade. ☜

☞ To be a true Graham or Rye prepared flour, you will use no other—every package warranted.

Manufactured by DARCY & PUTNAM,
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CHANCES FOR ALL.

The Southern Asylum Land Company, in addition to their previous schemes of Public Benefit, a d Lots, in which Col. H. C. Galloway's value ble residence in Memphis, constitutes the capital Prize, at Five Dollars per Share, now offers chances in a scheme that embraces

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There is not in this scheme an acre of swamp or wild land; each Farm is part, or the whole of a cultivated plantation—each Farm one or with in a few miles of a Railway, either on the

Memphis & Charleston,

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Meridian & Vicksburg, or

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The several tracts are disposed of at the lowest cash valuation, in subdivisions of 40, 80 and 160 acres. Each subdivision constitutes a prize, and each

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For a description of the property refer to the new Pamphlet issued by the Company. Titles are perfect, or the money will be paid to the winner of the prize.

All land in this scheme is in the State of Mississippi. The Capital Prize within fifteen miles of Memphis, on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

The lands are adapted to the growth of grain, cotton, grapes, etc., are cheaper than Government lands, in mild latitudes, at a dollar and a quarter per acre. The purchasers of these lands is secure dollars for dollars.

Attention of 10 per cent. in favor of ten or more. Tickets may be had of local Agents or through the Memphis Agency.

L. M. HART, Agent, Meridian.

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AT THE

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MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI,

ARE now receiving from New York, and the Western Cities, their Spring and Summer Stock, embracing every desirable style of Goods suited to the trade of the country, and making their stock one of the largest and best assorted in the market.

Having purchased their Goods in the cheap at seasons, and at times when goods were lowest, they congratulate themselves on being able to give satisfaction to customers, both in the style and qualities, but in prices also. Their stock of Ladies' Dress Goods will consist in part of a full assortment of the richest and most varied styles of

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Cloaks,
Laces,
Edgings,

They would also direct attention of their visiting friends to their store (Broach & Co.,) where they will find a full assortment of

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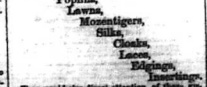
Terms low for cash and cash only.



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Constantly on hand a full supply of Liquors, to be found in the market, which will be dispensed by the MEANEST and BEST of servants to the best and most attentive patrons on hand.

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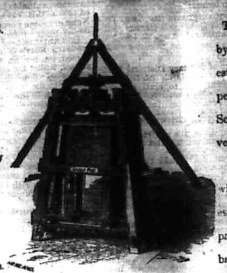
NEW PATENT

Cotton and Hay

PRESS.

SPEAR & CO.,

Agents.



The latest, and by far the cheapest and most perfect Cotton Screw ever invented.

One Mule, with the greatest ease, can pack a heavy bale of Cotton

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Gullett Steel Brush Cotton Gin.

These Gins which attained such great celebrity during the few years just previous to the war, are again manufactured by Mr. Gullett, the Patentee with greatly improved facilities. We can offer this with confidence as the very best Gin made—The steel brush carries the Cotton from the hair brushes and delivers it through the fine perfectly straight, preventing any snags, and chokes out all dust, moles and trash, thus making Cotton to sell for a much higher grade over same Cotton ginned in other gins to pay entire cost of gin in one crop of fifty bales. Price $6 per saw. All sizes from 4 to 80 Saws.

☞ We have now on hand a supply of the above.

Also:

Leach & Avery's Plows, Isaac Straub's Corn Mills; Engines and Saw Mills, and Machinery generally.

Hoe & Co's. Circular Saws, Leather Belting and Lacing Leather, India Rubber Belting and Packing, Iron Pipes, Hose and Couplings.

Also, a General Assortment of Tin and Lead Plate, Sheet, Boiler and Bar Iron, Rivets, Nails and Spikes, Brazes and Sheathing Copper and Metal.

Always on hand and for sale by SPEAR & CO., 12 South Commerce Street, Mobile

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June 30 swlm

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All other articles to be found in a

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All orders from the country promptly attended to, and packed with care. Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours.

Mr. HUGH A. LEE, an experienced druggist, will attend to the business, and can be found at the House, at all hours. Terms Cash.

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Hair Restoratives, Dyestuffs, Tooth and Nail Powders, Hyer's Ague Pills, Bitters, Books, Lines, &c.

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&c., &c., &c., &c.,

which he will sell as low as he can afford; and asks his old friends and the public generally to give him a call.

His CLOTHING will be sold for the present at cost, and SADDLES below cost.

He is now running his own machine, and all his sales is a little greater than formerly to make it pay.

Aug. 1, 1867 ly

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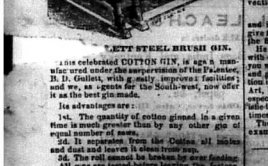

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THE OHIO CANVASS.—The hope we entertained of an interesting and instructive development of national issues out of the Ohio canvass, has been disappointed. Thus far that canvass has been extremely unedifying. With the exception of the elaborate, able and dignified speech of Mr. Pendleton at Lima, and a similar one from Gov. Cox, the discussion has been barren of instruction—the speakers on both sides giving utterance to little else than invectives, which sound loudly, and mean little. The most indecorous specimen of declamation in all the controversy, is the speech of Senator Wade at Portsmouth—We copy it as a sample of the coarseness and flippancy of which an Acting Vice-President, and possible President of the United States may be capable of. It is a mixture of vitality and blasphemy that the most reckless and characterless demagogue could hardly have surpassed.

Mr. Wade prides himself on his plainness of speech; but when he speaks of the last Democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio as "a traitor who ought to have been hung before they put him in nomination" and calls the "one hundred thousand freemen of Ohio who voted for him, traitors;" when he asks if "any of you ever knew a Democrat who was not a traitor?"—and promises that "not one devil" of the Kentucky Congressmen "will ever get a seat"—he only exhibits a vulgarity and coarseness that have no kinship with candor, but which make Mr. Wade's countryman regret that such an indecent shapwanger should be the second officer of their Government.—St. Louis Dispatch.

A MAN DESERTS HIS WIFE.—Nine years ago there lived in the neighboring town of Manchester, Coffee county, the Waddemore county line, a man and his wife—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whiteside. Robert, from all accounts, was not a very good or attentive husband. He had a habit of absenting himself from home, sometimes for a month or two at a time. But his last voluntary absence proved more lengthy, and

The sunny and rainy season came and went
Year after year

and still he came not back. The truth welcome or unwelcome as the case may be, was forced upon his wife that her husband had deserted her. At length there came a man to Manchester with tidings of Whiteside, who had then been absenting some seven years. The stranger said he had known him in Saginaw, that Robert had died there and that he had seen him buried.

Passing implicit confidence in the above Mrs. Whiteside believing herself a widow, married again, doubtless having hopes of a more happy union than her first had been. Week after two ago she and her husband went to the town of Cambridge, in this county, and on their return from there home with a view of purchasing some sheep. Inquiring at a house for sheep they were informed that a man named White-side living a short distance had some for sale. The mention of the name very naturally excited the woman's curiosity, and further inquiry convinced her that, at length, she had gone on the track of her missing husband. She and her husband then drove to the house, and there, sure enough, found Robert Whiteside, in very good health.

The scene which followed can be better imagined than described. The faithless Robert had, all the while, been living within sixteen miles of his deserted wife, had gone in the same whole time, had married and buried one wife, and was then living with his second matrimonial venture. He presented his lawful wife no acquaintance. He lived in a somewhat secluded portion of the town, on a forty-five acre farm, and for this reason the whole time, in the neighborhood, At first he feigned not to recognize his wife, but finding this subterfuge unavailing, he at length acknowledged the corn. Mrs. Whiteside has made complaint against her truant husband for larceny and adultery, and the matter will be brought before the court for investigation.—Adrian (Mich.) Times.

AWFUL RAILROAD CASUALTY.—As the Iowa Central Railroad train was coming north a few miles above, when it had arrived about two miles this side of Freeport, the windows of the passenger cars, many of which had been opened to allow the ingress of the pure fresh morning air, suddenly and simultaneously came down with a crash, and the cause was soon occasioned by the influx of a peculiar and unendurable odor, almost suffocating the passengers by its overpowering. The occasion of this was afterwards explained by the conductor of the train. It seems that a very little animal, noted for its offensive breath, popularly known as a skunk, taking an early morning walk, had found itself upon the railroad track just as the train was approaching. Mr. Skunk mounted on the rails, and with the eye of faith surveyed the advancing foe. The odds were excessive, but the soul of the little animal was undaunted, and he determined to stand his ground. The ponderous engine approached, and the skunk brandished his battle-axe for the coming battle, bringing into requisition his natural and only means of defense. Nearer and nearer came the locomotive, while with steady eye and well-balanced tail the assailed made ready, took aim, and—fired! Heavens, what a perfume floated on the morning air! No one, not a passenger on the train could imagine. His skunkship had fought well but not wisely; another moment and the remorseless wheels of the train had passed over him, and nothing was left of the brave defender of his natural rights but an infernal stink!—Dubuque Herald, 24th.

Brevet Maj. General A. Baird, Assistant Inspector General U. S. Army, has been ordered from Louisiana to this Military District, and O. D. Greene, Assistant Adjutant General of the District, assigned to duty in the Inspector's Office of Civil Affairs at Headquarters in Vicksburg.

Wendell Phillips comments very severely on Gen. Grant's course in accepting the post of Secretary of War. He says, among other bitter things: Let us hear no more of Gen. Grant's being obliged to take this office, as it was said, he was obliged to accept command in Texas, on that disgraceful Western tour. On both occasions such statements were only foolish excuses invented by Gen. Grant's friends to cover up the mistakes and servility of their idol.

So far as we have been able to ascertain, the army worm has not done much injury to cotton in this region of country. It has made its appearance on a few plantations, but not in sufficient numbers to be destructive.—Coldwater News.

Gen. Frank Blair, of Missouri, made a speech at Council Bluffs, Iowa, on the 14th inst., in which he exhibited the fact that the reconstruction policy of President Lincoln is entirely antagonistic to that of the present Radical Congress.

Mississippi News.

Rev. W. H. Holcombe, a prominent Baptist minister, and late a member of the Mississippi Legislature, died on the 30th inst., at his residence in Tippah county.

The entire population of Raymond, Miss., has changed since 1833, with one exception.

Gen. Alcorn will speak in Macon on the 16th September.

BARNETT'S FACTORY.—A large amount of the machinery for this factory, was carried out from here week before last, and by the 1st of October it will be under full headway.—Winona Vidette.

Lieut. Pickett, in command of the post at Greensboro, has been relieved by Capt. Noble with a much larger force, and our informant states that they are erecting hospitals for the purposes probably of remaining some time.

The farmers from Choctaw county gives discouraging accounts of the cotton crop there, on account of the drouth. In many of them tell us they will not make more than half crops.

RELEASED.—Rumors asserted.—Thos. Reed, charged with robbing the Express Office, and who is awaiting in the Macon jail his trial at the next term of the Circuit Court, was released last Monday morning, some parties in Indiana going on his bond, and the next day left for that State with the said parties were worth fifty thousand dollars. He was scarcely permitted to breathe the free air before the Sheriff received an order from Gen. Ord to have him again placed in confinement.—Macon Beacon.

Our planters, pretty generally, are now picking cotton and we are pleased to hear that the crops turning out better than many anticipated. We have heard of two or three cases of general failure from Hinds to market. The panic on the cotton question which was the rife here some two or three weeks ago has given way to complaints as to the drouth of the past few weeks, which seems to be destroying the young squares and bolls. We still think a pretty fair crop will be made, considering everything.—Raymond Gazette.

The first bale of the new crop of cotton reached Vicksburg on the 23d ult., from the plantation of Mr. Robt. Moss, of Hinds county. It was consigned to the house of W. M. Williams & Co.

A company styled the "Mississippi Mercantile Mutual Life Insurance Company," has been organized at Vicksburg, and is now prepared to commence business.

The Vicksburg Times claims 20,000 inhabitants for that city. About 10,000 more than Vicksburg really has.

The Times says—From every section of the county, we have most flattering reports of the crops. The corn crop will be the largest and finest ever raised here. Nearly every planter and raise enough for his own consumption for twelve months, and many have laid in that they expect to have enough for two years. The cutter-piller has attacked the late cotton in some of the fields, but all we have seen it has not done much damage.—Holly Springs Reporter.

The children here about, disappointed in the Fourth, have recently made the Wesleyville Republican.

The population of Natchez is not down in the census, but while and black it numbers 12,000.

Two nice pair of twins have been born in Pontotoc county since the 1st of March.

A grand tournament comes off at Oxford on the 24 and 25 of October. Mr. Kavanaugh has announced Holly Springs is ready on the day.

The Weekly Columbian of the 23d published at Friars Point, says that chills and fever are very scarce there, and also other diseases usually prevalent at this season of the year. All hands in the office seek but the Devil.

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Gilles Scruggs, (spoons in the Republican Mississippian a simple and effective remedy of preventing worms in cotton. It is to spit tobacco juice on the seed. In addition to corn, grain, fruit, hogs, cattle, sheep, mules and horses &c., Good remedy Gilles.

Water Valley Courier, 23d: Our farmers tell us they have never known such rapid growth of country before. We are made to a certainty. We are all on though, that the army worm will interfere with the crop this year. This we can see some neighborhoods, but little damage can be said to be raised.

Mr. Hamilton, one of the Indies writing from West Point, tells a sad story. He says: From Okalona to West Point the cotton crop is a complete failure, and I doubt if it prove even that good. Southern planters must change their mode of farming—take something to eat, or—emigrate.

The Hernando Press, published in De Soto county, one of the finest in the State has the following to say of the drouth. The worm has made its appearance in the farms in that section, is somewhat similar in appearance to both the cotton and the boll worm. We have heard of no serious damage being done to the crops as yet.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE.—On our return from Port Gibson last Saturday, accompanied by Alonzo Jones, Esq.—when within 17, or 18 miles from this place—being about mid-night, some low-life puppy—in the form of a human being—concealed in the bushes, fired a shot-gun—perhaps two caps at us while passing along the road in our carriage.—Fayette Chronicle.

The Wesson cotton factory, in Copiah county, Miss., on the Jackson Railroad. Jackson Railroad employs one hundred workmen, and consumes one hundred and fifty bales of cotton annually. The cotton yarns made at this factory are said to be of superior quality.—Vicksburg Telegraph.

CROPS.—Having conversed with planters from different portions of the county, we are satisfied that the crops of the corn and cotton will be very much shortened. The cotton, upon the whole, is not good, but as there is a good deal planted, as well as many crops of corn, sweet potatoes and other crops, the prospect is fair for plenty of bread and fat hogs this fall.—Fayette Chronicle.

After twenty-two days' drouth, rain fell in Tishomingo county on the 20th, in time to do great service.

THE CROPS.—We have more cheering news from the country than we have had for some time past. It seems that the extreme warm weather we have had has played havoc with the army worm, and now the prospects for a good cotton crop is brighter in this neighborhood than it has been for years. We are told there will be a larger crop of cotton in this county this season than we have had since the war. Besides this there will be a large excess of corn made. We are receiving information from the counties of Perry, Carroll and Calhoun counties, of the same tenor.

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Gen. Ord has removed the city officials of Vicksburg and inside other appointments. Gen. Ord says he makes the change to insure an equal, just administration, and execution of the laws upon all alike in the city of Vicksburg, Miss., and to secure the best interests of the citizens thereof. The order will be found in to-days paper.

A black man is running for Congress in the First District of Georgia. Another of fellowships like example in the Cherawee District of South Carolina.

Notwithstanding the chronic reticence of Gen. Grant, an officer who has daily intercourse with him, has informed a letter writer, that he has expressed himself privately against unqualified negro suffrage. This fact is corroborated by leading Radicals, who declare they will not take him for President unless he comes out square on the question.

The World's special says returns from Internal Revenue Department here show a falling off of fifteen millions of dollars in revenue for two months past as compared with returns for the corresponding period last year.

We hear that Gen. Ord has removed J. W. Hull, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Kemper county, and appointed in his place noisy loud-mouthed Radical by the name of Stafford. Hull made a good officer, and had held the office many years. This man Stafford has made several speeches, one of which he has had the temerity to have published in the Chronicle. It is remarkable only for its dullness and his malignity towards the Southern white man. Such men are laboring hard to effect that which every good man in the country should deprecate, the organization of a black and white party in the South.

By virtue of the ordinances of the city of Vicksburg, and the resolutions of the new Mayor and Council, the port of the city of Vicksburg is declared under quarantine against all vessels from New Orleans, and also against such persons and goods whose introduction may be prohibited by the ordinances of the city, and order of the Board of Health.

We learn that the Convention on last Saturday has created some disgust among some colored brethren. One of them, who is high in office among the loyal leaguers, is confident of being nominated himself. He wants another Convention to sit it over, and expects next Saturday to turn down Sam Jackson.

The Convention.

In our present issue will be found a call upon Dr. T. W. Florer and Dr. Rhodes to become candidates to represent Lauderdale county in the convention. It is very apparent that the nominations of last Saturday give satisfaction to very few, white or black. From what we learn the meeting was a scene of the wildest confusion and disorder, composed of about one thousand blacks and perhaps fifteen or twenty whites. The nomination was made altogether by the Loyal League, and none but those who belonged to that association voted or took part in the nomination—four of the white voters of this county there are certainly not one hundred who have any affiliation with the Republican party. We do not believe we say too much when we assert that nine-tenths of the white voters of the county are opposed to the way in which the convention was held and will vote against the ticket nominated. Many of the conservatives who are for a convention do not object so much to Mr. Mosley on his own account as they do to the way in which he became a candidate and to his associate on the ticket. Personally we know nothing of Jackson, but it is reported that he is in favor of confiscation and is considerably more ultra than Thad. Stevens and full of hatred and uncharitableness towards Southern white people. If this is true the people should know it; if he is falsely accused and denies the charge, we will cheerfully publish his contradiction. Besides he is said to be deficient in education and intelligence wholly unqualified for the position to which he aspires. Dr. Rhodes is a clever gentleman, an old citizen of the county and has always been a consistent Union man. He is for a Convention and for a conservative and prudent member.

Dr. Florer is a Northern man, was an officer in the Federal army, is a Republican as I has the talents and acquirements of all who have them. He has resided in the county for the last two years, and is well identified with our interests. He is a missing candidate, and we hope that Dr. Florer will consent to run. We believe he would be more acceptable to the people of the county than any other man, and we hope he will be the loyal candidate of the loyal majority.

In the harmony of the world, all things in their sphere and worth do live and move; the very best as feeling love and the greatest as not exempt from her power; both angels and men and creatures of what condition soever, though each in different sort and manner, yet all with uniform consent, admiring her as the mother of peace and joy." For a long time the southern people lived up to the teachings of Hooker—believing that obedience to law was the soul of all government; but the doctrines of equality of men and the sovereignty of the people, have, of these latter days, been preached and practiced to such an extent as destroy peace and contentment and create the legitimate offspring —discontent and misrule, anarchy and despotism. It is not necessary to enumerate the facts by which this assertion can be proved and illustrated. They are familiar to all, and the case of Gen. Sickles is one in point. This officer, once a law maker of the government, has been called upon to preside as military Governor over the States of North and South Carolina, and in the discharge of his duty as such, sees fit to interfere with the Courts of the United States, the most conservative arm of the government—created to protect the people in their rights, regardless of partisan feeling or ambitious executives. "If the United States Courts in the rebel States," proclaims Gen. Sickles, "be allowed to control the military authority, the execution of the reconstruction acts will, for obvious reasons, soon become impossible. Some of these courts will begin by declaring the acts of Congress void. For a long time their judiciary, like the great principle of gravitation, kept every other power of the government in its proper place and action and maintained the whole in uniform order. The various parts of our complicated system were maintained in position by the integrity of the judiciary, and this and crude enactments of Congress got up with very little care or labor, were trimmed down to that authority which has ever been held to be higher than any act of Congress. We have been sadly degenerating, however, during the present century, when a soldier of the government undertakes to reverse a judgment of the highest tribunal in the land, presided over by men whose whole lives have been devoted to the study and administration of justice and a faithful and enlightened execution of the laws. Fortunately there is one man in the land who possesses the boldness and firmness to resist and drive back these encroachments of the army, and support and sustain this monument of American wisdom in protecting the people and disposing of the individual questions that grow out of the nature and necessities of our form of government. This man is Andrew Johnson; and though much abused for other acts all must applaud him in this. His proclamation appears elsewhere. He warns all persons against hindering or obstructing in any way whatever the due execution of the Constitution and the laws, and he solemnly enjoins and commands all officers of the government, civil and military, to render due submission and obedience to said laws and to the judgments and decrees of the courts of the United States, and to give all the aid in their power necessary to the prompt enforcement and execution of such laws, decrees, judgments and processes. The proclamation is eminently proper. Contempt of law indignant, says the acting Attorney General, specifily grasps at the heart-strings of public order. Certainly so teaches history.

The Amnesty Proclamation.

The much talked-of amnesty proclamation, which Gerrit Smith and the New York Herald regard as the great measure of pacification, the telegraph tells us, will be issued by the President in a few days. It will be supplemental to that issued on the 29th of May, 1865. It will not proclaim universal amnesty, but will enlarge the fourteen classes named in that proclamation. Among the classes excepted by the latter, but which it is understood will be included in the coming proclamation, will be all persons who shall have been military or naval officers of the late Confederate Government, who are below the rank of Brigadier General in the army, or Captain in the navy. Also, all persons who are or shall have been pretended civil or diplomatic officers, or otherwise domestic or foreign agents of the Confederate Government; also, all who have been engaged in any way in treating otherwise than lawfully as prisoners of war; persons found in the United States service as officers, soldiers, seamen, or in any other capacity. Other details are yet to be arranged which may delay the issuance of the proclamation, some days yet, but it is probable that it will be decided to pardon all persons except high officials, who may be on bail for trial before or after conviction. This proclamation is desirable, but we think it will be followed by some troubles and mischief. It will restore the bulk of our disfranchised people to their political rights, if the military and boards of registration obey it, which will not be done unless the President secures the co-operation of Gen. Grant.

As yet we believe there are no negro candidates for the Convention, in this part of the State, publicly announced. We find in the Eastern Star the name of Ben Arrington, a freedman, for the Convention; but we understand that is a mere *goak* of our Clarke county friends, and that Ben is not seriously in the field.

In Newton county 1,023 whites; 388 blacks and 5 Indians have been registered.

Hon. J. L. Alcorn will address the people of Kemper county at Dekalb on the 14th inst.

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Meridian, Miss., Sept. 7, 1867.-3t.

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Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the undersigned, at Meridian, Miss., until the 15th day of September, 1867, for the erection of a Court House and Jail in the city of Meridian, Miss., according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned.

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JOHN M. MOORE,
Clerk Board of Supervisors

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The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends. Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read it, and we know they will derive profit from it. It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world wide, having been used through the South with great success for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them as they do, is never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrups and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seabrook's Universal Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, uses equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies ought not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician. tf

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen, at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler, Butler's Grammar, Towne's Mathematics and Barber's Geography.

The object of this action on the part of the Legislature, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a supply of these books for their pupils. With the exception of the Geology, which is just being issued from the press, these books are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, and the dealers have large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but as regards schools off the lines of the railroads, a difficulty will occur unless prompt action is taken. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to aid the association in its work, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, stating the number of books likely to be needed. Our acquaintance with the members of that house, warrants us in asserting teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every reasonable request complied with. tf

A case somewhat novel and unusual was tried at Clarke Circuit Court of this state: The defendant was charged with assault and battery upon Rebecca Rogers a highly respectable young lady of Clarke County. Her evidence showed that on going to the house of defendant she was rudely seized by him, and thrown to the ground and rendered insensible by beating so for some time, that she was carried to go out and when she took hold of her, and endeavored to assist her several severe blows with a large rifle switch. She stated that she fled started in to the house of defendant to see her aunt on peaceable business.

Another female witness stated that she was present; asked defendant not to kill Miss Rieher; saw him when he struck her, that she was seriously injured by the switch. Witness afterwards saw the person of Miss R., and she discovered stripes of blood resulting from the blows. The defendant was convicted and sentenced to six months imprisonment in the county jail.

We learn that Judge Hancock, before passing sentence on the defendant, gave him a severe reprimand, fully justified by the facts.

Dr. Emanuel, President of the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad, was in our city on Wednesday, arranging with our merchants for the fall trade and receiving the advantages of his route for the shipment of freights. The power conferred on he was ready to join in the erection of the Union Passenger depot at once.

Gen. Ord has issued a circular to have officers and agents look into instances where land-holders, upon frivolous pretexts, drive off their laborers with a view to withhold their arrears of wages or share in the growing crops.

NEW COTTON.—The first bale of new cotton brought to Meridian this season was purchased on Wednesday by Mr. W. W. Shearer. It was from the plantation of Wright Pigford, of this county, and brought twenty-one cents per pound. The grade was middling.

RENOVED.—Our energetic friend Capt. Early has removed his glove and tinware business to the store recently occupied by Kerlee & Co., on Front street, where he has more room, and is better prepared to supply the wants of the public. He has a couple of excellent workmen to manufacture whatever our citizens may need in his line.

Major George C. McKee, Registrar in Bankruptcy for this District, has been in attendance here during the present week. As yet only five cases have been referred to him at the place. In August Sol. Myer, of Shubuta, and R. D. Weems, of DeSoto were declared bankrupts, and on Thursday last Charley Mackey, and Henry Henry, all of this county, were, on their petitions, adjudicated bankrupts.

The public are again reminded that the first drawing of the Mississippi Agricultural Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society, takes place in Vicksburg on the 18th of the present month. The batch of tickets at Chadwick's drug store is rapidly diminishing—convincing proof that the scheme is properly understood and confided in. Any one who will take the trouble to examine the plan of distribution must concede that the chances for making a fortune are even better than those presented by the Havana Lottery. Chadwick has a few tickets left yet; the 18th is not far off; if you want to try your fortune go round and invest $3 75; it may prove the best investment you ever made.

PAID OFF.—The soldiers stationed here received six months pay the early part of the week, which they have been spending very freely ever since. Six thousand dollars scattered among our business men can't remain when once matters are so tight, is felt very sensibly.

ANOTHER MERCHANT COMING.—Dr. Bennett, of Bennett's Station, on the Selma and Meridian Railroad, is about to settle in our city. He has rented the two-story store of Mr. Threefoot, on Lee's Avenue and will soon have it well stocked with groceries and dry goods. Success to him.

The following notice of our city is from the last Liberty Journal:

THE PLACE FOR MECHANICS.—The Meridian Gazette says that there are fifty or more mention made of thirty-four store rooms and dwellings, some of them brick, one and two stories high, in course of erection, and work will be commenced on as many more in a week or two. Two or three large wagon and buggy shops are in full operation, turning out work of the most superior and finished style, and other factories are in course of erection. Among other buildings that have just been completed we notice the large school house of Rev. John A. Smylie, formerly minister of the Presbyterian church in this place, and for many years a valuable citizen of our county.

SELF-RAISING FLOUR.—We call attention to the advertisement of Isaac D. Putnam's self raising flour, to be found among our new advertisements. We are using this flour, and can recommend it to the public as a superior article. It has been examined by chemists and pronounced free from any flour that can be used. Read the advertisement and give it a trial. tf

COTTON PLANTERS.—Those who are contemplating the purchase of a cotton gin, would do well to call at the store of Kerlee & Co., and examine the Eagle Gin, which is highly recommended by those who have used it. The Eagle is the best gin in the market, and is rapidly superseding all others in the cotton growing districts. Kerlee & Co. are the agents for the sale of the Eagle Gin, and will be pleased to show it to all who may call on them.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS!

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Gen. Grant was absent from the Cabinet meeting to-day, which lasted two hours.

Senator Joe. Y. McDougal, of California, is dead.

CHARLESTON, N. C., Sept. 4.—The delegates to the Republican Convention assembled to-morrow. Crowds are arriving on every train. A large number are already here, and still arriving. Present indications foreshadow an increased gathering. The weather is fine. Rain is largely needed, nearly all of whom are moderates of Gooding's wing.

RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 3.—Four hundred spiritualists are in convention here. California is the only State which is not represented.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The principal question was before the Cabinet meeting to-day. The President hoped last night that it would be disposed of to-day.

The proclamation will be based upon that of March 2d, 1863, issued by Mr. Johnson while Provisional Governor of Tennessee, which was superseded at the time by President Lincoln and Congress.

The proclamation says in effect:

While consequences for treason may be punished, no vindictive or retaliatory measures will be adopted, but a general amnesty for all past actions and participations will be granted, on the sole condition that they yield unconditional fitness under majesty of the law.

He appeals to all citizens and misguided people to return to their allegiance and avail themselves of this amnesty.

An abundance of outlines been discovered in Colombia, Ore., sufficient to make 2,000 miles north of Fort Union, in ten feet thick, and extending fifty square miles, and is equal to the best production of the Pittsburg mines.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 3.—Gen. Canby arrived this afternoon with his family and staff. He took quarters at the Mills House.

Registration returns from all portions of the State indicate that the interest in registration is lagging. The blacks as a class are more than two-thirds of the whole number registered. The returns yet to come will probably reduce their majority, but not materially.

Proclamation of the President.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.

The following proclamation has been issued by the President of the United States:

WHEREAS, by the Constitution of the United States the executive power is vested in the President of the United States of America, who is bound by solemn oath faithfully to execute the office of President, and to the best of his ability preserve, protect and defend the constitution of the United States, and by the same instrument made Commander-in-Chief of the army and navy of the United States, and is required to take care that the laws be faithfully executed; and—

WHEREAS, By the same Constitution it is provided that the said Constitution and the laws of the United States which shall be made in pursuance thereof, shall be the supreme law of the land, and the judges in every State shall be bound thereby; and—

WHEREAS, In and by the same Constitution the judicial power of the United States is vested in one Supreme Court and in such inferior courts as Congress may from time to time ordain and establish; and the aforesaid judicial power is declared to extend to all cases in law and equity arising under the Constitution and laws of the United States and the treaties which shall be made under their authority; and—

WHEREAS, All officers, civil and military, are bound by oath that they will support and defend the Constitution against all enemies, foreign and domestic, and will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and—

WHEREAS, All officers of the army and navy of the United States, in accepting their commissions, undertake the obligations, combinations, or assemblages of persons, or rebellion against the authority of the government of the United States, and shall become impracticable in the judgment of the President of the United States to enforce, by the ordinary course of judicial proceedings, the laws of the United States within any State or Territory, the Executive in that case is authorized and required to secure their faithful execution by the employment of the land and naval forces; and—

WHEREAS, Impediments and obstructions have arisen which hinder and delay, essentially been interposed in the States of North Carolina and South Carolina, hindering and preventing, for a time, the due enforcement there of the laws of the United States and of the judgments and decrees of the Supreme Court, in the case of the command of the President of the United States; and—

WHEREAS, Reasonable and well-founded apprehensions exist that such ill-advised unlawful proceedings may be again attempted there or elsewhere, now, therefore—

I, ANDREW JOHNSON, President of the United States, do hereby warn all persons against obstructing or hindering in any way the due enforcement of faithful execution of the constitution and the laws, and I do solemnly enjoin and command all officers of the government, civil and military, to render due submission and obedience to said laws and to the judgments and decrees of the Supreme Court of the United States; and to give all the aid in their powers necessary to the prompt enforcement of executive and judicial acts, decrees, judgments and processes.

And I do hereby enjoin upon the officers of the army and navy to assist and sustain the courts and other civil authorities of the United States in the faithful administration of the laws thereof, and in the judgments, decrees, mandates and processes of the courts of the United States; and I call upon all good and well-disposed citizens of the United States to remember that upon the said constitution and laws, and upon the judgments, decrees and processes of the courts made in accordance therewith, depend the rights, liberties and the lives, liberty, property and happiness of the people and exhort them everywhere peacefully and faithfully to support the constitution and laws of their country; their pride in the principles and greatness, and their determination to uphold the institutions by hearty cooperation in the efforts of the government to sustain the authority of the law, and to maintain the supremacy of the federal constitution, and to preserve unimpaired, under the favor of Divine Providence, the priceless inheritance of free government.

In testimony whereof, I have caused the seal of the United States to be affixed to these presents, and signed the same with my hand. Done at the city of Washington, this 3d day of September, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

ANDREW JOHNSON.

By the President:
WM. H. SEWARD, Secretary of State.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—The committee to investigate the frauds in cotton and other matters, have been in session and examined many of the parties implicated. They will probably close their investigations to-day. It is believed that the evidence will show frauds to the amount of cotton.

The Republican majority in Ohio is 10,000 majority.

The Red Jacket Mowers are among agreeable and handsome machines in use. Call and see them at the store of Kerlee & Co., and examine them before purchasing elsewhere. They are durable and simple.

W. H. Bailie, United States Marine Hospital Steward at Pensacola, died yesterday on board.

The national debt, bearing coin interest has increased $36,781,000; the debt bearing currency has increased $1,000,000; the gold bearing debt, not presented has increased $2,063,000; the bearing no interest has increased $7,000,000; coin in the treasury has increased $943,000; currency has decreased $28,401,000; total decrease in debt $32,-458,000.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 4.—The Board of Health last night declared the yellow fever epidemic, but describes it as being of a mild type. The deaths from fever yesterday were 26.

The council last night adopted a resolution suspending the schools until October 1st, on the ground of an epidemic. The resolution amounts to nothing legally, as the board of school directors exercise their authority under the State laws.

The school embroglio is coming to a focus.

The Schools were opened on Monday, the day specified by law, under the auspices of the old Board of Directors.

The appointees of the Council are restrained from action by a writ of *quo warranto*, returnable on the 9th before Judge Dowdell.

The Republican suggests the calling off of supplies from the banks as the means of overcoming the difficulty.

MONTGOMERY, September 4.—The Conservative State Convention met to-day.—Thirteen out of sixty-two counties, were represented. There is considerable enthusiasm. Eighty seven delegates are present, including twenty colored. The platform will be reported to-morrow.

NEW ORLEANS, September 4.—The Southern Famine Relief Committee have held a final meeting. The total cash receipts have been $2,250,000, all of which has been expended. The number of bushels of corn purchased were 1,175,316.

Descriptive Catalogues with prices sent by mail if desired.

HENRY, MOORE & GENUNG,
New York City, No. 67. 322 Broadway.
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Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and sold out the

Meridian Star Brewery

to W. L. McCorkle. The Brewery will be closed up until the 15th of September, owing to the warm weather, after which it will be opened for business on the same terms as before. All orders should be addressed to the McCorkle, Meridian Miss.

WISE & CLAY.

July 1st, 1867—augtwswtf

A. B. WAGNER,
Cabinet Maker and Undertaker.
In rear of Barber Shop.

WILL continue to make and repair furniture. We and will keep constantly on hand coffins and metallic cases of every description, and will be glad to meet his old customers as usual.

☞ Wholesale and retail depot for Prince Metallic cases. augtwswtf

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber in consequence of feeble health, is anx ious to sell his land on which he now resides. The tract contains eight hundred acres, with some four hundred and fifty in cultivation. It lies immediately on the Selma and Ohio Rail road, about half way between Meridian and Enterprise, and nearly all good and productive land. There is a good dwelling and out houses, and a good gin house and press, &c. It has a good orchard of choice fruit trees, &c. It has a good range for stock on the woods, and a good range for cattle and hogs, and is altogether a pleasant and valuable little farm.

He is also anxious to sell about 400 acres of good cleared land adjoining, with about 100 acres in a good state of cultivation, with improvements, &c. Any person desiring to buy a farm in this county will be sold jointly or separately, to suit purchasers, and the subscriber will be glad to visit tracts to offer; so as, if not sold as a whole he may have the facilities of showing them in parcels. Terms of several or one and one-half a quantity of cash. There is a competent supply of good timber on the land for the purposes of improvements as to remain. For further information apply to one of the purchasers or address me at Enterprise, Mississippi.

PLYTON KING.
Enterprise, Miss., Aug. 24, 1867 aw6t

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New Shoes! New Shoes!!
At Mrs. Norton & Neville's, for Ladies and Children. A good article at low prices.

COUTHEN'S FAMILY SEWING MACHINES. The noiseless machines of Wilcox & Gibbs, Lock Stitch, Shuttle Machines, Either quilt, cord, and embroider, with satisfaction. Agents wanted at No. 3 St. Charles street—Up 1 flight, New Orleans. nov17 1y

MAYER BROTHERS, Manufacturers of Tobacco, Cigars; Dealers in Chewing and Leaf Tobacco, 51 Tchoupitoulas street, betwe n Natchez and Poydras, New Orleans. sept15 1y

CARPET WAREHOUSES. A. BROUSSARD & CO. Dealers in Carpets, Oil Cloths, Carpets and Rugs, Wholesale and Retail. Offer at 9 Upper Carondelet, Under Hotel Dieu. Window Shades, Table and Piano Covers, Curtains, Lace, Worsted, Cornices. mat1sw1y

A. B. GRISWOLD & CO., old firm of Hyde & Goodrich; established in New Orleans Fifty years. Headquarters and importers of Watches, Jewelry, Silver-Ware, Cutlery, Guns and Pistols, corner Canal and Royal streets, New Orleans. nov27 1y

KNIGHT & CO., Dealers in Machinery, Belting, Cotton Gins, etc., 172 Gravier street, New Orleans. oct8 1y

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

JOHN B. OGDEN,
42 Cedar Street, New York.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, can, by return mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
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Manufacturers and Jobbers of

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No. 323 Broadway, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel.
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We have ready a large, handsome and well assorted stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Manufactured by us exclusively for the Southern Trade, which we are prepared to sell at low prices and on liberal terms.

Our stock is adapted in material, style, length, and general neatness of fit to the South, and comprises goods from the lowest priced to the finest made, including a large assortment of goods for

Freedmen's Wear.

The recent decline in woolen and cotton fabrics will enable us to offer clothing at much lower prices than it has been sold for at any time since 1860.

Cash and dealers buyers from the South are invited to examine our stock before purchasing, as we believe we can offer them great inducements.

We will be happy to receive orders, and our long experience in the Southern business enables us to make selections which will be perfectly satisfactory to buyers.

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VEGETABLE REMEDIES.

IT is difficult to account for the perversity of man in digging deep into the bowels of the earth in search of a remedy, when the best and most salutiferous to disease grow upon the surface. The learned writers, who have so engaged us have derived their knowledge directly from the Pharisees of all Nations, who have ever studied this wholesome remedies. "The tree," we are told, "was made for man to eat of the fruit thereof." When King David established, it was the "Balm of Gilead" that remedied his wounds; when Jeremiah wept over the ruins of the pagan temples and the gates, formerly impregnable, of the Syrian capital, it was the medicinal gum taken by Timothy "for his stomachs sake." In the same way all the ills that have been made for the healing of the nations, is it likely that the virtues of Nature's remedies would have been hidden from the patriarchs?

The instincts of the brute creation teach them how to doctor themselves, and they invariably select the vegetable medication. The most powerful poison, the bitter by a deadly serpent eats of a certain herb, and thereby neutralizes the effects of the deadly virus; the sick dog eats grass; and many other animals, guided by that faculty which serves them instead of decay. As a stimulator it is altogether the best known. Like the healing balsam, it is also highly evident in bilious cases, in which it assists to purify the blood and invigorate the whole system. In all cases of constipation which can only coexist with a healthy circulation. Certainly there is no more efficacious corrective which more completely stimulates the efficacy of botanical treatment.

PREPARATIVE MEDICINE;

or other words, its effect is to preserve the physical powers in their full vigor beyond that period when constant decay sets in. The vegetable tribe, and more especially the roots, are more highly charged with this principle than any other portion of the plant, and hence our forefathers made use of the roots in their liquids.

These indications that the Vegetable Kingdom is the true Materia Medica are corroborated by daily experience, and the time is not far distant when the fact of its universality will be admitted.

Without disparagement to other botanical remedies, it may be asserted that the combinations of vegetable properties and restoratives in

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

entitle the preparation to a high place among the benefactors of the race. Dyspepsia and kindred forms have contributed of their hyperion scourge to produce its extraordinary properties. It is a

PRESERVATIVE MEDICINE;

a medicine that excites appetite without quickening digestion is always injurious. Its effect is to impart to the stomach a power which it is unable to perform, and the result is chronic derangement of that organ, and of its dependents, the liver and the bowels. The operation of

HOSTETTER'S BITTERS

is very different from this. The preparation does not excite appetite, and indigestion and sometimes the digestive powers at the same time. Hence when indifference to the requirements of the table no artificial diagent for food is combined with gastric weakness, one of the worst forms of dyspepsia, flatulency, and vegetative preserves the entire difficulty. It is not a cure that does its work by halves.

LADIES IN DELICATE HEALTH

WILL FIND

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

wonderfully adapted to the relief of the difficulties to which they are subjected. The preparation in cases of this kind has a double operation. It not only contributes to the replenishment of the blood, but also, by acting simultaneously upon the liver and the bowels, relieves the former of the torpidity and despondency which almost always accompanies such disturbances.

Sick wives and mothers are advised to give the medicine a trial. They are earnestly assured that it contains no ingredient that can possibly do any harm to the feeblest of their number while it confidently contains the invigorating principle which their enervated system requires.

Let them beware of the cordial drops and tinctures often prescribed for medical ladies. All these medicaments are mainly composed of common alcohol, and are thus the worst of poisons. The liquors entitled forth given as tonics are still worse: being all deteriorated with poisonous drugs.

NOTICE TO

DR. SEABROOK'S

Infant Soothing Syrup.

We have, by experiment of the most thorough character, found it to be the best infantile medicine. We ask you to give it a trial, with an assurance that you will be pleased, and if these names and destructive stuffs, such as Morphine, Dropp, Godfrey's, Cordial, Mother's Friend, &c., be condemned as a public good, by every conscientious man, when it was thought that the mere discussing the matter was to advertise the medicine.

Use in the future only SEABROOK'S, a combination, came up with the commencement of the age. Present table, therefore is in action efficient and reliable to all cases. Tarabadon is the following distance:

SUMMER COMPLAINT, IRREGULARITY OF THE STOMACH, RESTLESSNESS, TEETHING, &c.

Gives health to the child and rest to the mother.

We could furnish any quantity of certificates bearing evidence of its superior qualities, but prefer that our medicine should stand on its own merits, which it will do, we feel sure.

JAMES SU DDLE & Co.
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PURIFY YOUR BLOOD.

HURLEY'S SARSAPARILLA.

OF all the remedies that have been discovered during the present age for the purification of that flesh is heir to, none equal that wonderful preparation known as Sarsaparilla. Since the discovery—who spent a decade in study and experiments, and perfected it—it has been introduced to the public, and it is already recognized by the most eminent physicians of all parts of the country to be the most reliable, safe and active remedy, for certain diseases, of which they have knowledge.

All other compounds or sarsaps of this root have either been found to contain inferior ingredients, which neutralize the properties of the table sarsaparilla, and effectively injure the health of the patient, or else were of a weak, inferior power.

This is the pure and genuine extract of the root, and will, on trial, be found to effect a certain and perfect cure of the following complaints and diseases:

Affections of the Bones, Habitual Costiveness, Debility, Disease of the Privates, Dropsy, Erysipelas, Female Irregularities, Fistula, Gout, Impotency, Fever, Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Pulmonary Diseases, Scrofula, Ulcers, Worms, &c.

King's Evil.

Hurley's Ague Tonic,

PERFECTLY RELIABLE.

The only remedy for Chills and Fever or Ague and Fever that will can be depended upon is Hurley's Ague Tonic. There have been those hands cruel enough to call it a quack, but all remedies without benefit, but in no case has

Hurley's Ague Tonic

failed to effect a cure. All who have used it cheerfully tell their neighbors of it as a sure and certain cure for chills and fever. Any one can be convinced by calling at once and getting a bottle. It is pleasant to take compared with other, and will be found to cure in all cases of fever and ague or chills and fever. Send for it to the Proprietors.

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Popular Worm Candy!

As this is really a specific for worms, and the best and most palatable form in use to relieve children, it is not surprising that it is fast taking the place of all other preparations for worms, being perfectly harmless and any child will take it.

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STOMACHIC BITTERS.

For
Debility,
Loss of Appetite,
Weakness, Indigestion, or
Dyspepsia, Want of Action of the
Liver, or DISORDERED STOMACH.

There are no bitters that can compare with these in restoring the system completely. For sale or can be had at any good store in the United States, or from the proprietors.

JAMES RUDDLE & CO.,
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Oriental Pearl Drops,

FOR beautifying the complexion, effectually removing Tan, Freckles, Blotches, and giving the skin an even, healthy appearance unlike any by other. In use among the ladies of fashion gives it character of effects—by which an encomium it is an infinitely superior for the toilet of any lady.

Bettison's English Horse Liniment.

has proven itself one of the best Liniments made for sprains, bruises &c., in all cases when tried either man or beast. It will do as we claim for it. Try a bottle and we are satisfied you will never afterwards use any other.

Extract Jamaica Ginger.

Use James Ruddle & Co's Extract of Jamaica Ginger for all summer complaints, Cramps, Indigestion, &c. This is the pure Ginger and can be relied on.

Beato's Chemical Writing Fluid AND CARMINE INK.

These inks are used only be used to be employed as the best for Banks, Counting Houses and Offices.

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The above medicines are for sale by

R. R. R. CALDWELL,
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at their respective drug stores.

TWO WOMEN.

Kate and Sidney her yellow hair,
Where the summer winds sported by;
While Blanche tossed out her ebon locks
With many a blush and sigh.

For both were fair, and the world was wide,
Where they sought to reap and win
A harvest of joys with golden sheaves,
With manya heart within.

Kate, like a queen, would conquer and reign,
With a kingdom of men at her feet;
But Blanche, like a lily, would bend and sway,
Where the waters of love sleep sweet.

And each but the wish her thought had made,
For their pathes were wide apart;
For one rolled a host of foes as her back,
And the other ruled only—a heart.

And Time, the teller, went flitting by,
Found Blanche as bright and fair
As in the days of the summer winds
That waved Kate's yellow hair.

But the yellow hair was thin and gray,
And the heart of Kate grown old;
For the hearts of women must love or die,
And they never die cold.

News Items.

Gen. R. E. Lee it is said, is to be appointed President of the Covington and Ohio Railroad, of Virginia, and his son, Curtis, is to be Chief Engineer.

Other goods may have declined, but the rise in hoop-skirts on the streets is at times quite startling.

"How does that look?" said James, holding out his trowser leg. "That," interposed Amos, "looks as if you were out of soap."

Ex-Gov. Foote, while defending a client in Nashville, got into a personal altercation with the Recorder, was fined several times for contempt of court, and finally committed to jail for thirty days. The fines were afterwards remitted and the order of committal revoked.

A young and unhappy Parisian killed himself recently by sticking about fifty pins in his breast.

A lady appeared at a Long Branch fancy ball in a nudability. Her husband failed to recognize her.

The suspension bridge to be built over East River, at New York, will be the greatest bridge ever built—costing $6,000,000, and requiring five or six years for its construction.

A servant girl living in a family near Liverpool has unexpectedly come into a fortune of $1,000,000, by the death of a relative in one of the colonies.

"Symmetrical goods," is the dainty euphonism with which a New York firm advertises certain wares. An enemy calls the knock-kneed tragedians, false calves, &c.

An Omaha correspondent writes: "The Indians say that Gen. Sherman talk heap but no fight. They say that the squaws can drive him with sticks."

Whales are said to be dying out rapidly. Sperm candles will soon be "the light of other days," if they are not already.

A young lady at Long Branch is reported as "choked in laughing eyes and a bewitching smile." Light gear.

It is stated that Gen. Pope has ordered the closing of the Georgia University in consequence of a speech by a student at the Commencement, and the building was to be converted into a barracks. But Gen. Pope allowed the exercises to continue on condition that the newspapers would omit all allusion to the speech. It is also stated that Gen. Pope ordered the legislative appropriation of $8,000 to be withheld.

One of the showmen connected with Dan. Castello's circus lost his life at the White Sulphur Springs, Virginia, last Sunday, from the bite of a rattlesnake. The deceased was an Arab and one of the most accomplished acrobats connected with the circus. It seems that the deceased was attempting to tame the snake at the time he was bitten.

A frightful accident occurred at New Florence, on the North Missouri Railroad, on Monday last. It appears that a party of laborers, engaged in working on the embankment of the Fair ground at that place, were driven to take shelter from an approaching storm under the trestlework. The wind blew with such violence that a part of the heavy timbers came down with a crash, killing two and wounding some fifteen or sixteen others.

During the year ending June 30th, 1867, there were of total imports of foreign merchandise and specie, $413,942,726; less foreign merchandise and specie exports, $10,541,227; net imports, $392,201,499. The amount of $253,545,147 remained in the warehouse on the 30th June. The domestic exports for the same period were $351,601,001. All these values are in gold.

Maj. Gen. E. A. Hitchcock, U. S. Volunteers, has just been mustered out, to date from October 1st.

There is a law in Tennessee, as there is in other States, which requires all the able bodied men in a road district to work the road for a certain number of miles. The negroes in Shelby county declined to do their portion of such work, and were called on the Bureau to sustain them in the refusal. The Bureau did it.

Of deaths from yellow fever in Galveston on the 13th, there were twenty-one—among the number Gen. Lorenzo Kent, Collector of the Port.

Gen. Schofield is quite ill with the fever near Hampton, Virginia.

Gen. Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, has written a letter recently stating that while he is anxious for restoration he prefers military rule to the proffered terms.

The London Spectator says "Women's Rights" is to be the great political question of the future—the new social danger.

There seems to be a "Kilkenny-cat" fight going on in Kansas over the question of women's suffrage.

The New York Herald says our whole national trouble seems to spring from the color of the skin.

The total sum handed to the Pope as Peter's pence by the French bishops is estimated at from fifteen to sixteen millions.

Some of the prominent Radical Republicans at the North seem afraid President Johnson and Gen. Sherman will be nominated for President and Vice President at the next Presidential election.

The wife-ship Nonpariel, according to the latest date, was to be exhibited at the Crystal Palace, London.

The American excursionists to the Holy Land were mistaken for Garibaldian conspirators at Leghorn, and treated accordingly.

Three hundred cavalry left Fort Hayes on Tuesday, on an expedition to chastise the Indians that attacked Major Ames several days ago on the Saline. They were commanded by Major Elliot, of the Seventh United States, and Major Moore, of the Eighteenth Kansas.

The Baptists in Kentucky, disappointed at the result of the recent State election, have set up a claim for the surrender by the officers elect, of the custody of the flags carried in the war.

The Mexicans have imprisoned the wife of Prince Salm-Salm and others, sentencing them to imprisonment. Santa Anna is to be tried by court-martial.

The entire line of the Mississippi Valley Telegraph Company is being put under contract, from St. Paul to New Orleans, and it is expected will be finished by the first of January.

James P. Fleiting, a colored man, has announced himself as a candidate on the Conservative ticket for Congress in the Third Congressional District of Georgia.

The potato vine is committing serious ravages in Grimes county, Texas.

Joseph Anderson, recently from Mississippi, was found dead Monday evening at the Nicholas Hotel, St. Louis. He was over thirty-five years old. Appearances indicate that he had taken an overdose of opium.

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The Amnesty Proclamation

The amnesty proclamation has been issued at last, and will be found elsewhere. We have not time to refer to it at length in our present issue. Nearly all our people are restored to full citizenship by the liberal provisions of the President's order.

A New Orleans dispatch of the 9th says: The total yellow fever deaths for the week ending yesterday were 249. The deaths for the twenty-four hours ending yesterday morning were 49; ending this morning, 51.

A GREAT HARDSHIP.—The order of Gen. Gillem, requiring all the bar-rooms at military posts in this State, to be closed from sun-set on Friday evening until sunrise on Monday morning, is very damaging to licensed retail dealers. Here in our little city it costs a man seven or eight hundred dollars to open a saloon, and by Gen. Gillem's order, he is not permitted to open on Saturday, the best day in the week for that kind of business. If the order was issued on account of the soldiers, strict discipline would have a better effect, and obviate the necessity of enesoaching on private rights; if on account of freedmen, the object will be defeated. Houses to retail liquor clandestinely will spring up, and the soldier and freedman will get an increased quantity, and a very bad article at that—while the licensed dealer is compelled to keep his door closed. We hope Gen. Gillem will carefully consider the subject, and rescind the order.

The question of "color" is exciting much feeling among the Radicals of New Orleans. One wing of the party is represented by the Republican, and is composed mostly of white and part white Radicals. The other party is represented by the Tribune, and is mostly composed of simon pure black Radicals. The former contends that the should be content with the full right of voting, and let the former enjoy all the offices of honor and trust. The latter claims that, as the blacks have the majority of the votes, they should enjoy a monopoly of the offices. They feel they are capable of taking care of themselves, and are going to try the experiment. How it will end is easily foreseen.

Capt. Sumner, Commander of the post at Jackson, has received orders from Gen. Ord to proceed forthwith, in conjunction with the city authorities, to establish quarantine regulations at Jackson. There is no yellow fever there, but this order is intended to protect the place from disease.

We have received the first number of the Corinth Daily News, which presents a very neat appearance. We extend to the Daily News our best wishes for its success.

Gen. Helm of Kentucky, recently elected [illegible] Lieut.

The Electoral Change in England.

The Reform Bill recently passed by the British Parliament, has received the royal assent and is now the law of England.—This government measure of Electoral Reform has been before the people for some time, and during the past year was frequently alluded to by telegraph.—The Lords and Commons have received it with perfect complacency, and the royal approval is given as readily as if there were no high interests involved. It further showing a great change in the public sentiment of that country since 1832, when the Tories and Whigs fought for dear life; when mobs were organized and recusant lords pelted in the streets, and Tory gentlemen hunted through their own parks. The progress of events has made a decided change, and the reformers push quietly along. County voters in 1832 were Freeholders, whose land was worth forty shillings a year, or ten pounds a year, if they did not live on their leading; Copyholders of ten pounds annual value; Leaseholders of clear ten pounds annual value, if held under a lease of sixty years, or of fifty pounds a year, if the term was originally for not less than twenty years; Persons holding landor tenements of fifty pounds yearly rent.

To possess the purchase in a borough, a person had to occupy as owner or tenant a house of the clear value of ten pounds ($50) a year. By Mr. Disraeli's new law, every householder in every borough through his hovel may only cost him eighteen pence a year, can, if he will but pay this rate become a voter after twelve months' residence. Every lodger who occupies a room or rooms of the clear yearly value of £10 can place himself upon the register. In the counties, every forty-shilling freeholder, every £5 copy holder, every holder of fifteen or twenty acres and every village or suburben resident, provided they are rated at £11 or upwards, will in future be endowed with the franchise. The urban element of the the counties will be greatly reduced by the creation of new boroughs and by the rectification of the boundaries of old ones. The borough members will outnumber the county members in the proportion of 62 to 38, and of the 750,000 borough electors about 450,000 will belong to the working class, and about 300,000 to all other classes put together. The new law increases the number of voters over a million, and the increase is principally in the ranks of the hard working, intelligent tax-paying people, who heretofore, have had no voice in the elections for Lords and Commoners. Next year Mr. Disraeli will endeavor to extend the chief features of the new law to Ireland and Scotland, and with success we presume, after a short, stormy struggle. That done, the electoral question will be put at rest for a few decades. The governing of England will go in the hands of the middle class and working men—the monarchy will be liberalized, and everything go on prosperously and satisfactorily.

Fall Elections

Pleasant tidings come to us from the Pacific. California has gone against the Republican party. Haight (Democrat) is elected Governor of the State, and Democratic candidate for Congress in the San Francisco district is known to be elected, and a majority of the Congressional delegation from the State. It is believed, are Democrats; the Democrats have a majority of the members of the Legislature chosen from San Francisco and Sacramento; and it is thought the coming returns from the State will show a Democratic majority in the Legislature on joint ballot—a fact which insures the election of a Democratic United States Senator in the place of Mr. Conness. San Francisco gives a Democratic majority of 3348, and elect Copping Democrat Mayor. Every ward in San Francisco, "to the surprise of everybody," gives a Democratic majority, and everywhere in the State the Radical vote is reduced. The spring-tide of Democratic success is thought to have reached the Pacific slope. Other elections will soon follow. The result in Maine on Monday has not reached us. The States of Ohio, Indiana and Pennsyvania elect on the 8th of October. Then comes, on the 5th of November, New York, New Jersey, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri and Nevada. Colorado votes on the 12th of November, which closes the State elections for this year. New York and Ohio elect State tickets, as in a few of the other States. The contest in Pennsylvania will be simply between two candidates for the highest place on the Supreme Bench of the State. In these three great States the Democrats hope to gain as much in proportion to their numbers, as the Democracy elect in Democracy gained, and thus secure the overthrow of the Republicans. The result will be awaited with profound interest. In the meantime, the work of reconstruction will be pushed forward vigorously in the dependent States of the South, and by the time the reaction begins to make its power felt we will be in the Union with Radical harness on our backs. We cannot avert it, nor will these elections. We must pass on with the ruling tide, leaving old landmarks and issues behind. The Radicals will reconstruct the country, and when the work is done give way to the authority and law which ruled us of old. Authority and law, peace and good will, peep out "half unseen from a low-hung cloud" now, but the party in power must enhance the happiness which it exists—reconstruction in the South—before the blessings of our better days can overcome the martial barriers that now environ us.

On the whole, the Ruralist thinks, the corn crop throughout the States is a good one—wheat also has turned out far better than was at one time anticipated—but Old King Cotton is in the last agonies of dissolution. Worms, worms, worms, is the cry that reaches us from all points of the compass, and fortifies us more strongly than ever in the position we have taken; that in view of its utter unreliability of late years, cotton is the least profitable of all our crops.

Three negroes, charged with perjury in having taken the registration oath, having been convicted, have been elected of 8 days, are in jail in Yorkville, S. C.

Orphans' Home.

All the railroads in the State have agreed to take and return visitors to the Orphans' Home on the 25th inst. for half fare. Those passing over the Mobile and Ohio, and some other roads, will retain their tickets till they return; others will be furnished by the undersigned at the Home on the 25th, with certificates of attendance, which will pass them free to their homes. The station agents on each road will inform you whether to retain your ticket or to apply for a certificate.

Since the railroads have been so liberal, it is desirable that there should be a general attendance of the people—a mass meeting on the occasion; It may not, however, be convenient for some to be present at that time. Let then, each neighborhood designate some one or more to represent them—sending by these representatives such provisions and other things as they can spare. Our object is to benefit the Home, as well as to let the people of the State know what we are doing, and what we propose to do for the orphans. We desire to interest the people in our enterprise. To do this they must become acquainted with us—with the orphans themselves, and with our plans and purposes.

We have therefore invited all our fellow-citizens to visit us on the 25th inst.—And in order that the Home may not be put to unnecessary expense, we have requested each one to bring his own subsistence with him, not forgetting to lay in a little for the orphans at the Home.

Arrangements will be made by the Superintendent, Prof. S. S. Granberry, to have all provisions conveyed from the station at Lauderdale, to the Home, one mile distant. Should it be necessary for any to remain over night at the home, I am authorized to say that there is room on the premises to accommodate all such, and the Superintendent will do all in his power to make visitors comfortable while they remain. They need go be at no expense, whatever, except the one fare for passage.

Several distinguished speakers will be present, and will address the people. Several brass bands have also been invited, and every arrangement has been made to entertain, as well as to instruct and interest those present.

The times are indeed hard, but if they are hard for us, how much harder are they for the poor orphans. We have but little money, our orphans have none, and but few friends. Will you be one of the *pure religion*, and undefiled before God, is to visit the widow, and the *fatherless* in their affliction, &c.

Let every neighborhood in the State then be well represented on the 25th. Let there be a grand rally of the people. Let them go to the world that we love the helpless sufferers; that we have hearts full of sympathy for them, and are ready to divide our little with them; in a word that we have *pure religion*.

W. S. WEBB,
SEC'Y BOARD OF TRUSTEES
of Miss. Orphans' Home.

The Alabama Conservative Anti-Reconstruction Convention was rather poorly attended on the 6th, not more than one-third of the counties in the State being representad. Among the resolutions adopted is one declaring that Congress is not the Federal Government, nor is the President or the Supreme Court. The Federal Government is that form of civil policy established by the Constitution, consisting of all three, each supreme lirits own limits, and each entitled with the other to the loyal obedience of every inhabitant of all the States. And another that in all conflict of powers under that instrument, the supreme judiciary power is the only arbiter which is independent of and, in its province, superior to each of the others, and which they are bound to obey.

TAXES MUST BE COLLECTED FROM ALL. The Mayor of Aberdeen telegraphed Gen. Ord, the other day, that some freedmen refused to pay street or road and poll tax, and asked shall the law be enforced against them? Here is the response:

HEAD QR'S DISTRICT NO. 4.
Vicksburg, Miss., Sept. 6th.

JAS. R. KING, Mayor of Aberdeen:

You are required to enforce the laws on all alike, as regards both money and work, whether white or black, and I will see that the enforcement of the law. is required from you, and you will be held accountable that it is so.

O. D. GREENE, A. A. General.

A meeting of the reconstructionists was held at Kosciusko on the 2d of this month. A friend writes us that "Attala is all right." Col. Wilson, of the Chronicle, is mentioned as the reconstruction nominee of Attala for the Convention.

THE NEW ORLEANS SCHOOL BOARD TROUBLE.—A New Orleans letter to a Chicago paper says:

The new Board of Public School Directors, elected by Gen. Sheridan's Civil Council, without any authority of law, is composed partly of negroes, and some who have illegitimate negro families. If they are permitted to have control of our public schools, their fate is sealed. The old Board have already appealed to the courts to test their authority for assuming such control. The old Board will be sustained unless Sheridan interferes.

A BLOODY AFFAIR.—We learn from a gentleman from Vaiden, that on Sunday morning last, an old negro woman about 60 years of age, and a little girl some seven or eight years old, were found dead in the road about four miles below that place. The old woman was shot through the head, eight times in the head, neck and breast, and the little girl three times in the head. The gentleman informs us that he has known the old negro woman for a great many years, and knew her to be a peaceable, kind-hearted old woman.

The perpetrators of this bloody deed are unknown.—Carrollton Conservative.

MONTGOMERY AND SELMA RAILROAD.—Work on this road is progressing favorably, and it is thought it will be completed within twelve months. The Selma Messenger, speaking of the road, says:

With the completion of this road, there will be an unbroken connection, with through cars for freights, from Vicksburg to Savannah, Ga., which will be a saving of ten per cent. in freights from Vicksburg to New York—Cotton will positively be carried from Vicksburg to New York by this line at a cost not exceeding $6 per bale, and through freight will be at the same rate.

According to a correspondent of a Liverpool paper, the Irish King has at present in his army in Abyssinia 4,000 men, who are now working as a steam engine at building in Tenterden Park, Liverpool.

NEWS ITEMS.

It is rumored that General Sickles will, on retiring from the command of the second district, leave the army and commence the practice of law in New York.

JOURNALISM OF THE RESE.—The Chicago Tribune, of the 28th instant, in commenting upon the following from the Times, says: "This is simply a lie, and the Times knows it. They keep gentlemanly fellows up in Illinois, who edit newspapers.

The King of Greece is in England on a visit.

At St. Louis on Friday a boy ran against a knife blade set in a post in Gallagher's rope factory for the purpose of cutting hemp. He was cut in the neck as severely that he bled to death.

The hostile tribes around Fort Phil. Kearney and Fort Smith, it is said, mean war to the knife offensive and defensive. Red Cloud is leader.

A telegram from the headquarters of General Augur, says the Indians attacked a government train near Fort C. F. Smith on the 26th ult. Six teamsters and two soldiers were killed. Twenty Indians were killed. The fight was severe, and the Indians were repulsed.

The Republicans of Maryland have decided not to vote on the new Constitution, which is to be submitted to the people on the 18th, and have prepared an address to Congress, in which they state that the said Constitution is not Republican in form.

Steps are taken in St. Louis to contribute to aid the yellow fever sufferers in Galveston.

The Cincinnati Commercial states: There is an impediment to the progress in the line of the presiding officer of the Senate, Mr. Wade, who would become the acting President upon the former's removal. Mr. Wade's wild words in Kansas, which he has not undertaken to explain to the people of Ohio, though he has been before them on several occasions and his fury of speech at Marietta and Portsmouth, have greatly impaired public confidence in his judgment.

A warrant has been issued from the Treasury Department for $1,317,677 00 in coin in payment of the interest due on 10-40's up to the 1st inst.

The Department of State has received the full report of the proceedings of the recent monetary conference at Paris, which agreed upon the French piece as the unit. A reduction in weight of the United States gold dollar of three and one-half per cent. necessary to secure uniformity with other nations.

A correspondent states that Gen. Grant has already saved several millions of dollars by reducing the expenses of the War Department. This is good news for the tax-payers.

Gen. B. McClellan is the latest "nomination for Secretary of War.

The President is determined to relieve Gen. Pope, and is only waiting to find a man to put in his place. Gen. Pope cannot be considered safe in his position.—The President gives out that he will surely remove him. So says a Washington dispatch.

Gen. Canby is reported to have said that he thoroughly approves the reconstruction laws, and considers their faithful execution essential to the welfare of the nation.

The libel suit of the Confederate ex-Major Cummings, of Tennessee, against the New York Herald, has been dismissed.

Revolutionary proceedings have again broken out in Hayti. Somebody will have to take that island and enforce order.

A colored preacher at the South, recently said in a prayer: "O Lord, be pleased to shake your great hickelock over Andy Johnson, and let all his children, dat dey may be fed wid le crums of your love."

Some straw at Warsew, Indiana, a few days ago, wound round the cylinder of a threshing machine, and by the motion of the machinery was set on fire. A barn and much property was consumed.

The immigration to Minnesota this year has been immense. It is estimated that 40,000 persons will be settled in the Sauk valley alone. The average number passing Winona was at one time 700 daily.

The Missouri Republican calls loudly for a report as to the disposition of the proceeds of the Southern Relief Fair, held in St. Louis last fall, which amounted to nearly $200,000.

A young man, named Regan, died in Albany recently from having a blade of straw, on his face cut by a razor, while being shaved. The wart was on the left cheek, and while the whole right side was paralyzed, the left leg and arm became rigid and the face turned over the left shoulder.

The New Orleans Times, of the 4th, states: "The accounts of the growing cotton and sugar crops appear to be daily improving. Estimates of an aggregate cotton crop of at least 2,500,000 bales are now freely made."

There is a story of a Mississippi pilot, recently deceased, to the effect that, being impressed in the Union service during the siege of Vicksburg, he used to constantly communicate important facts to General Pemberton by throwing the rays of the sun, from a mirror, on a number of houses in Vicksburg, each of which was made to represent a letter in the alphabet.

General Hancock, in his testimony before the Indian Commission, said that a serious war existed, and that it was his decided opinion, if the troops were all withdrawn, not a white man would be left in Colorado, and that the great highways to the Pacific would be closed.

Bridget Durgan, who was executed at New Brunswick, N. J., a few days ago, loved Dr. Cornell, and killed Mrs. Cornell so that she might become his wife. Mrs. C. was a beautiful woman, Bridget a lumpy, half-idiotic servant. There is no evidence to show that the doctor cared for her.

Mr. John Rhum, editor of the Staats Zeitung, the German Radical paper in Nashville, has been indicted and arrested for bastardy. The complainant is an unmarried negro woman, "black as the ace of spades."

The Liberal party has triumphed at the late elections. Democratic ideas are advancing rapidly in Europe.

Sickles is expected to demand a court of inquiry on account of statements in the President's proclamation. He claims that the issuance of the celebrated Order No. 40 was without the knowledge of his powers. He appointed a negro as magistrate.

The negro leaguers have been doing a little mobbing in Washington.

Dispatch from St. Paul, dated the 9th, states: "There was quite a severe frost here yesterday night. Vegetation was cut down, and corn considerably damaged. Reports have not been received from the States, and the amount or damage is not known."

United States vessels are quarantined at all the Spanish ports.

A terrific combat took place Wednesday week at Little Elk Creek county, Md., between Thomas Thackery and Randolph Bennett, A. Isaac and Jas. Sears. They fought a duel on the street with guns, and both were badly hurt. Bennett's wife and child would have killed each other outright had not the Sheriff and a party of citizens interposed and stopped the fight.

The Methodist Conference, which is to be held at Steubenville on the first Wednesday in October, will be composed of 300 preachers, and will be the largest ever held in the United States. Bishop Simpson will preside, and will be assisted by Bishops Janes and Thomson.

The debt of Allen Brice & Co., the defaulting Cincinnati bankers, is $1,000,000. Of this amount $600,000 is due to the Ohio Life Insurance and Trust Company. The assets are estimated at $1,000,000.

According to the census of 1860, there were in the United States 1,000,000 persons who could not read or write.

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with teeth so arranged as to instantly clamp the hoop when the pressure is removed from the bale and hold now without slipping.

Great pains have been taken to secure the best quality of iron.

These Ties are so simple in their arrangement that they can be applied by any one, to bales of any size, with the same facility and expedition as rope. Its strength, security and facility of application, they will compare favorably with any yet introduced.

The advantages of Iron Ties are now generally recognized; but it is deemed not out of place to call the attention of those interested to the very emphatic recommendation of Underwriters, Steamboat Captains, and Owners and Agents of Sea Steamers and Sailing Vessels, recently published in the newspapers in New Orleans.

For sale by dealers in Mobile.

CHAMBERS & LATTING,
No. 61 Carondelet street, N. O.

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Hurlbutt, Sturges & Co.,

AT THEIR OLD STAND,

on the Corner, and their

NEW STORE

ADJOINING,

HAVE on hand and are constantly receiving the largest and best supply of

Dry Goods,

Clothing,

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Cutlery,

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Bagging,

Rope,

Boots,

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EVER SEEN IN THIS COUNTRY.

Which they will sell as low as they can afford At any rate, they will not be undersold.

They trust, their old customers, friends and the public generally to call, and if they consult their own interest they will be sure to buy.

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The Safety Hand Lamp,

AND

Meteor Burning Fluid.

THE new Meteor Safety Hand Lamp is the latest wonder and novelty, as well as the greatest invention of the age. The burning qualities of the Oil are in every particular superior to anything yet used, while its illuminating power is unsurpassed. The Lamp will not blow out nor explode and the Oil is perfectly safe. The cost of the Oil is about one half that of Sperm or coal oil; has no grease, smoky smell; does not gum as the others, and will not create a fabric of any kind. You need not throw away your old Lamps. The M. & O. Fluid will burn in a coal oil lamp by attaching the Light House or Meteor Fluid burner.

We have the agency for Lauderdale county Miss., and Choctaw county Ala., and will be glad to receive orders from those counties with the M. & O. Oil and Safety Hand Lamp.

It is bound to create a great revolution in the Lamp business, and only needs a test to be appreciated.

FALLON, FULTON & CO.
Meridian, Miss.

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STAR STABLE!

MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.

B. T. HUSH, Proprietor.

HAVING permanently located in Meridian, for the purpose of carrying on the Livery business, I flatter myself that I can give satisfaction.

I can send you further, faster and cheaper than any Livery man I know of, (perhaps because I know his horses.)

Hacks always in attendance on arrival of the trains.

Orders left at the Stable for conveyances, will receive prompt attention.

Strict attention paid to feeding Horses.

Sick Horses will be treated, for any kind of Disease, on reasonable terms.

Good secure Lots for Drove Stock.

I have a good wagon yard connected with the Stable.

Thankful for past favors, I ask you to call up in.

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FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the

WELCOME HOUSE.

MRS. M. A. COX

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Valuable Property for Sale.

A HOUSE AND THE 8 ACRES OF LAND in corporation of the town of Hickory—we have rented, and a few young couples will find it a nice place to spend the honeymoon. The house is 100 feet on the Main road, and is certainly a very desirable one. Also a House and Lot in the Main road within the limits of Hickory, 100 of which is in fine state of cultivation, well watered, timbered, &c., &c. Also a House on the Main road.

This property lies 2 miles east of the city of Meridian, on the Main road.

J. SHANNON & GALLAGHER,
Agents for Lake Land Cotton Agency.

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Notice.

THE firm of Haggard & Holcombe dissolved partnership on the 14th of August. The business will be continued by the undersigned, who are authorized to receive from and settle with all indebted to the firm and will receive and attend to the up their accounts with D. G. Haggard.

Meridian, Aug. 16, 1867.

D. G. HAGGARD.

To the Public.

THE undersigned would here to inform the citizens of Meridian and vicinity, that he is now located at Mason's old stand, on the Main road, where he is prepared to supply the public with fresh bread of every kind at his old prices.

J. SARDLER.

Sash, Doors and Blinds.

P. F. SANFORD, agent of the Meridian Sash, Door and Blind Factory, is now prepared to fill orders for Sash, Doors and Blinds, of any size, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

CARONDELET HOUSE,

NEW ORLEANS.

CHARLES DEUTSCH, Proprietor.

TAPPAN & CO.,

Dealers in

TENNESSEE CHARCOAL IRON

SOLID IRON,

Steel, Springs, Axles, Rivet Spikes,

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HUBS, SPOKES & FELLOES

All kinds of Wagon and Carriage Materials,

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GRAND DISTRIBUTION.

$280 PREMIUMS AMOUNTING TO $32,850
DOLLARS IN 9000 CERTIFICATES IN

THREE PRELIMINARY

DRAWINGS,

AND

ONE GRAND SCHEME

Mississippi Agriculture, Educational and Manufacturing AID SOCIETY,

AT VICKSBURG, MISS.

Chartered by an act of the Legislature of Mississippi, passed Feb. 5th, 1867.

The following receipt from the State Treasurer exhibits the fact that the Society has paid into the State Treasury the sum of $2,250 THOUSAND DOLLARS for the benefit of the

STATE UNIVERSITY.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
No. 127] Treas ne Misis ippi, [$5,000
State Treasury, Jackson, Miss,

Received of W D Lyles, Pres't., &c, per C. R.—bills of the Peoples Bank of Mississippi, full of Andrew Jackson's receipt Warrant No 127, dated July 18th, A D 1867, in his favor on acc unt of University of Mississippi, pursuant to the provisions of acts of Feb. 16, 1867, and the an act incorporating the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN H SCHOLS,
Treasurer of Mississippi.

In the three Preliminary Distributions and Grand Scheme, there will be distributed $2,250 Premiums amounting to $32,850 in 9,000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $80 to $30,000

First Preliminary Distribution.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of		$4,000	$4,000
1	"	2,000	2,000
1	"	1,000	1,000
2	"	500	1,000
5	"	250	1,250
10	"	125	1,250
20	"	80	1,600
200	"	30	6,000
240 Premiums amounting to			$19,100

Second Preliminary Distribution,

OCTOBER 16th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$6,000	$6,000
1	"	2,000	2,000
2	"	1,000	2,000
5	"	250	1,250
10	"	125	1,250
20	"	80	1,600
200	"	30	6,000
240 Premiums amounting to			$20,100

Third Preliminary Distribution,

NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$8,000	$8,000
1	"	2,000	2,000
2	"	1,000	2,000
5	"	250	1,250
10	"	125	1,250
20	"	80	1,600
200	"	30	6,000
240 Premiums amounting to			$22,100

GRAND SCHEME.

DECEMBER 11th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$30,000	$30,000
1	"	10,000	10,000
1	"	5,000	5,000
2	"	2,000	4,000
5	"	1,000	5,000
15	"	500	7,500
30	"	250	7,500
100	"	125	12,500
645	"	75	48,375
1000 Premiums amounting to			$153,900

Whole Certificates, $10; 1st less'n ment, $ 2,00
" " 2d " " 1,00
Quarters, $2,50; " " 1,25

TAKE NOTICE, that certificates are to be paid for in instalments of 25 per cent. of the whole sum, for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd preliminary Distributions, and Grand Scheme.

The whole amount may be paid at once, if preferred. By this plan it will be seen that 40 cents or a fraction over is a day for saving of a month, will purchase a Quarter Certificate, and when the drawings are completed, the whole series if not drawn out in 1st 2nd or 3d preliminary.

PREMIUMS PAID WITHOUT DEDUCTION.

Certificates may be purchased from or ordered through any of the Society's Agents, or ordered direct from this office.

All orders and communications by mail or express will receive prompt attention.

W. D. LYLE, Pres't.
ALBERT HARDY, Sec'y.
R. H. HADWICK, Agent.
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WHOLESALE dealers in

Gunny Bags, India and Kentucky Bagging, Baling rope and twine, Iron Cotton Ties, Bale wrapping paper, &c.

211 Olive Levee, Cairo, Ill.

Will negotiate and forward goods, and pay all charges.

Orders solicited for FLOUR, GRAIN, PROVISIONS and all kinds of PLANTATION SUPPLIES.

Careful attention given to consignments of cotton.

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J. B. WILDER & CO.,

Wholesale Druggists,

No. 181 Main St.,

LOUISVILLE, KY.

J. S. HO

GENERAL MERCHANT

COMMISSION

AND

FORWARDING AGENT,

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 2.32 P. M.
" " down ..... 6.56 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 8.00 A. M.
" " arrives ..... 5.45 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.30 A. M., arrive at Humboldt 11.37 A. M., Artesia 1.45 P. M., Meridian 2.33 P. M., Scooba 5.53 P. M., Artesia 7 P. M., Columbus 8.10 P. M., Okolona 9.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M., Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 P. M., Corinth 7.09 P. M., Okolona 11.37 A. M., Artesia 1.45 P. M., Meridian 2.33 P. M., Enterprise 7.30 A. M., Buckatunna 11 A. M., Mobile 3.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma ..... 4.30 P. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.05 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.20 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Forest at 9.30 and leaves at 2.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, will take mail train at Meridian, and those intending taking trains on Southern Railroad will stop at Jackson, Miss., with trains leaving Meridian daily at Canton with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points North.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Memphis daily at 10.45 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 1 p. m. and 1.30 a. m., making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

S. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

BVT. MAJ. THOMAS H. NORTON, U.S.A., Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., Inspector of Registration, Commanding Post.

1st Lieut. THOMAS L. NYE,
24th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

2ND LIEUT. W. O. CORY,
24th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Asst. Surg. R. H. WALKER, U.S.A., Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS,
Agent B. R. F. and A. L., at Head'qrs. Sub-District, Meridian, Miss.

Capt. JAMES SUNDERLAND, Y. R. C., Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick's is the old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night.—Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and an experience of twenty years in the drug business, is sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded. tf

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. Rumble & Co., of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown to really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world-wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never trifling to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Benbrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and exclusively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office uses equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as on the prescription of a regular physician. tf

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—The large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler, Butler's Grammar, Towne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geography.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order to do so desirable end, it is only necessary that the Boards of Education throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a supply of these books for their people.—With the exception of Barbee's Geography, he just being issued from the press, these books are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Memphis, Vicksburg, Jackson, Mississippi, Columbus and Aberdeen, Miss., and the large supplies on hand, in Louisville and in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but as regards schools off the lines of the railroads, a difficulty will occur unless prompt action is taken. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to use the above books in their schools, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, for the number of books likely to be wanted. By acquaintance with the merits of these books, warrants us in recommending that prompt attention will be given to them—and early orders be given to insure being supplied with them.

ANOTHER MARKET.—Mobile is rapidly extending her commercial connections. Her steamers are now making regular trips to the corner of Fourteenth street, and on early days, they will be loaded to the deck with cotton. Connecting with these steamers are stalls, Concord coaches and omnibuses here and there on the streets, where butchers will make a good display this winter, and at the same time supply the people regularly with fresh meat. At present, none of the slaughterers of animals are killing enough to warrant their bringing more than thrice a week. A market reform of some kind is very much needed.

GEM PICTURES.—Our young friend Ed. Allen, Turner's assistant in the photograph business, is prepared to supply the public with the new and popular gem picture. Drop in at Turner's and examine them.

We would respectfully ask the attention of our readers to the advertisement in another column, of the Mississippi Agricultural, Manufacturing and Mechanical Aid Society. This Society was chartered by an act of the State Legislature. The first preliminary distribution will take place at Vicksburg on the 18th instant.—Mr. T. R. Chadwick, druggist, is agent for this place, and persons from a distance would do well to give him a call, as the tickets are being taken up very rapidly.

The season of fires is approaching, and all should be well insured. Capt. E. V. Eesly represents the best insurance companies in the country, and is ready to protect you against loss or damage by fire for a moderate per centum.

MORE NEW COTTON.—Another bale of new cotton, raised by Dr. Sam'l Johnson, was bought by Mr. Shearer yesterday at twenty cents.

Episcopal services will be held at the Mission Free School house hereafter every Sabbath. The members of the church desire us to return thanks to the Masonic fraternity for the use of their hall during the past year.

Meridian, and the country surrounding it now sustaining five drug stores, and we are soon to have the sixth. A gentleman from Demopolis was here last week to secure a suitable building for a large wholesale house, with a branch at Demopolis.

The new money order system of the post office department, has gone into effect, and is a very cheap and convenient way to remit small sums of money. Mr. J. R. Smith, the postmaster here is prepared to send orders for fifty dollars and under to all parts of the United States.

SELF-RAISING FLOUR.—We call attention to the advertisement of Darcy & Dunham's self-raising flour, to be found among our new advertisements. We are using this flour, and can recommend it to the public as a superior article. It has been examined by chemists and pronounced *healthier* than any flour that can be used. Read the advertisement and give it a trial.

COTTON PLANTERS.—Should prepare for gathering the crop, and we offer a little advice on the subject, as it may prove beneficial. The season for chills and fevers is now upon you at a time when you need all the assistance you can get. If you will send and procure a few bottles of Dromgoole & Co's King of Chills, it will break up the fever in short order. This compository at Cincinnati. $50,000; do. Louisville, $30,000; National banks and others, $253,000; National bank currency issued during the week was $46,500; the amount in actual circulation on the whole State $220,080,613; the amount of fractional currency redeemed and destroyed during the week was $151,600.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Washington, Sept. 6.—Intelligence of large pardon proclamations to officers are expected.

Those condemned or under sentence of Military proceedings are pending.

Trial of Jefferson Davis at Norfolk, Va., is still progressing.

Trial—Military officers leave the bank of Washington Arsenal, with several officers aboard as guards.

Trial—Persons implicated in the Lincoln conspiracy.

The President has directed that copies of his late proclamation be sent to all persons who have taken part in the late unconstitution, so that they may know officially what is required of them, according to that document.

New Orleans, Sept. 6.—In assuming command of the Fifth Military District, Gen. Griffin says that all military orders will remain in force. The Provost staff officers will continue to perform their customary duties at Headquarters in New Orleans until further orders.

Gen. Ord, relieving Gen. Vicksburg has been placed under quarantine. Boats from that city are not allowed at the station, but must land below the town.

There were forty-three yellow fever deaths in the twenty-four hours ending at 6 o'clock this morning.

Washington, Sept. 7.—The President has issued the following proclamation for the executive departments to furnish each person holding an appointment in their gift to the Senate, a copy of the 4th inst., of the proclamation of the 3d inst., with directions to observe strictly its requirements, as a condition precedent to their retention and faithful execution of the laws which have been made in pursuance thereof.

President Johnson is said to be highly elated with the Democratic victory in California, and predicts similar results at the elections in the Atlantic States.

The latest returns from California show a Democratic majority in the Legislature, thus cutting off all probability of a Republican Senator in Congress.

The draffie of the First National Bank of Kingstown, on the State, are thrown out of employment by the failure of Fenton, defaulter to the extent of $60,000. The Treasury officials are investigating.

The elections in Canada yesterday resulted in riots at Montreal, Griffintown, Chateauguay and other places. The disturbances were not very serious though several persons were badly injured.

Hartford, Sept. 7.—The Naugatuck Railroad broke through a bridge near Thomastown, Connecticut, yesterday, and the baggage car fell into the river, killing engineer Alexander Peck. It was swept over the dam and floated three miles from the scene of the accident, where it was recovered, but only five persons were found clinging to it. The first are supposed to have been drowned.

New York, Sept. 7.—A Montreal dispatch gives the particulars of the riot yesterday. About a dozen rioters were captured by soldiers and the police, and were only with difficulty saved from the vengeance of the enraged citizens, who threatened to lynch them. One policeman was killed and about thirty other casualities and half a dozen gun-shot wounds are reported. About a dozen citizens are reported as wounded.

Richmond, Sept. 7.—The registration returns, official final, from the whole State have been received at Headquarters. The total number of voters are 217,000. The ratio of voters are eleven whites to nine blacks.

The Whig has information that the Commissioners of Election will be appointed for delegates to the Convention, (104 in number,) between the tenth and fifteenth of October.

Richmond, Sept. 7.—Yesterday a negro named Howe, who had bought a first-class ticket for Petersburg, and when told he was put on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac cars near this city, having refused to ride in the colored car, he was about to sue the company, but to-day the matter was compromised by the company paying him $200 damages. This is the first case South where a negro has received damages in such a case.

Washington, Sept. 7.—The amount of fractional currency printed at the Treasury Department during the week ending this day was $420,000. The shipments during the same period is as follows: Assistant Treasurer, New York, $600,000; do. Philadelphia, $50,000; do. Louisville, $30,000; National banks and others, $253,000; National bank currency issued during the week was $46,500; the amount in actual circulation on the whole State $220,080,613; the amount of fractional currency redeemed and destroyed during the week was $151,600.

Amnesty Proclamation.

Washington, Sept. 8.—The following proclamation of this morning is issued by the President of the United States of America:

Whereas, In the month of July A. D. 1861, the two Houses of Congress, with extraordinary unanimity, solemnly declared that the war then existing was not waged on the part of the Governm nt in any spirit of oppression, nor for any purpose of conquest or subjugation, nor for the purpose of overthrowing or interfering with the rights or established institutions of the States, but to defend and maintain the supremacy of the Constitution, and to preserve the Union with all the dignity, equality and rights of the several States unimpaired, and that as soon as these objects should be accomplished the war ought to cease; and

Whereas, The President of the United States, on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1863, and on the 20th day of March, 1864, did, with the objects of suppressing the existing rebellion, of inducing all persons to return to their loyalty, and of restoring the authority of the United States, issue proclamations offering amnesty and pardon to all who had directly or indirectly participated in the then existing rebellion, except as therein excepted, and upon terms prescribed, which oath should be registered for permanent preservation; and

Whereas, In and by the last mentioned proclamation of the 20th day of March, A. D. 1865, fourteen extensive classes of persons, therein specially described, were altogether excepted from the benefits of said proclamation; and

Whereas, The President of the United States, on the 2d day of April, A. D. 1865, did issue a proclamation declaring that the insurrection was at an end, and was then suppressed in all the States except Texas; and

Whereas, The President of the United States, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1865, did issue a proclamation declaring that the laws could be executed in the State of Texas, and that the people of that State were in all respects entitled to the benefit of the constitutional provisions which guarantee to each State a republican form of government, and to protect the States against invasion and domestic violence; and

Whereas, The President of the United States, on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1865, did issue a proclamation declaring that the insurrection was at an end, and was suppressed in all the States of the American Union; and

Whereas, Large standing armies, military occupation, martial law, military tribunals, and the suspension of the privilege of the writ of habeas corpus and the right of trial by jury are in time of peace, dangerous to the public liberty, incompatible with the individual rights of the citizen, contrary to the genius and spirit of our free institutions and subversive of the national resources, and ought not therefore to be sanctioned or allowed, except in cases of actual necessity, for repelling invasion or suppressing insurrection or rebellion;

And whereas, For these reasons it is now deemed essential to the public welfare and to the more perfect restoration of constitutional law and order, that the said last mentioned proclamation, so as aforesaid issued on the twenty-ninth day of May, Anno Domini 1865, should be modified, and that the full and beneficient pardon conceded thereby should be opened and further extended to a large number of the persons who, by its aforesaid exceptions, were therein excluded from executive clemency;

Now, therefore, be it known that I, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, do hereby proclaim and declare that the full pardon described in the said proclamation of the twenty-ninth day of May, Anno Domini, 1865, shall henceforth be open and extended to all persons who directly or indirectly participated in the late rebellion, with the restoration of all privileges, immunities and rights of property, except as to property with regard to slaves, and except in cases of legal proceedings under the laws of the United States, but upon this condition, nevertheless, that every such person who shall seek to avail himself of this proclamation shall take and subscribe the following oath, and shall cause the same to be registered for permanent preservation, and the same manner with the same effect as with the oath prescribed in the said proclamation of the twenty-ninth day of May, 1865, namely:

I do solemnly swear, or affirm, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Union of the States thereunder, and that I will in like manner abide by and faithfully support all laws and proclamations which have been made during the late rebellion with reference to the emancipation of slaves; so help me God.

The following persons, and no others, are excluded from the benefits of this proclamation and of the said proclamation of the twenty-ninth day of May, 1865, namely:

First—The chief, or pretended chief executive officers, including the President, the Vice President, and all heads of departments of the pretended Confederate States, or any of them, and all who were agents thereof in foreign states and countries, and all who held, or pretended to hold, any military rank or title above that of Captain, and who were, or pretended to be, Governors of States while maintaining rebellion or assimilating to and acquiescing in the rebellion.

Second—All persons who in any way treated otherwise than as lawful prisoners of war, persons who in any capacity were employed or engaged in the military or naval service of the United States.

Third—All persons who, at the time they may seek to obtain the benefits of this proclamation, are actually in civil, military or naval confinement or custody, or legally held to bail, either before or after conviction; and all persons who were engaged, directly, or indirectly, in the assassination of the late President, Mr. Lincoln, or in any plot or conspiracy in any manner therewith connected.

In testimony whereof, I have signed these presents with my hand, and have caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington, the seventh day of September, 1867.

ANDREW JOHNSON.

By the President:
WM. H. SEWARD, Secretary of State.

Mississippi Items.

The Vicksburg Poisoning Case.—The Grand Jury of the Criminal Court of Vicksburg investigated the late supposed case of poisoning, in which Dr. Lyon was implicated, and found bills of indictment in the death of several persons who had attended a party at the residence of Mrs. Hebron. It will be proved that the occurrence created much excitement at the time. The Coroner, after a jury of inquiry into all the circumstances, reports that the mortality was caused by cholera, aggravated by the indiscriminate use of cakes and confectionaries.

In the Sentinel of the 31st ult., M. K. Mister, of Grenada, accepts the call made on him a week or ago to become a candidate for delegate to the Constitutional Convention from Yalobusha county.

The Aberdeen Examiner says the amount of long staple saved in Monroe county this year will be sufficient to fatten a hundred thousand head of cattle. Cotton picking has already commenced.

In Hinds county the planters pretty generally are picking cotton. The crop is turning out better than many anticipated. Several bales have been shipped to market. Marshall county will not be as large as we generally was anticipated two weeks ago.

The Jackson Clarion reports a favorable change in the weather, and that there is not a case of cholera in the city; "the citizens are doing all they can to prevent any such cases."

A woman named Nancy Darls was found dead near Aberdeen a few days since, and the Coroner's Jury returned a verdict that she had been shot by Byron Smith, who had been taken into custody.

The venerable Thomas Scott died on the 6th ult., at the residence in Franklin county, in the 80th year of his age. He served with Gen. Jackson in the Indian wars and the battle of New Orleans. He recollected when Natchez was a village and Gayoso was Spanish commandant.

From registration returns it is believed the black majority in the State will be about 10,000.

Mrs. Popham, of Monroe county, a widow lady of wealth and character, committed suicide a short time ago.

We have been informed that Gen. Ord has, by special order, suspended the sale of lands forfeited for taxes in Lowndes and Scott county was removed from office by Gen. Ord.

The cotton is not affected by the weather, but the prospects of a caterpillar crop has put the planters in a panic. Many of them have commenced picking cotton, and in the portions of the State we have visited, the crop will be very much shortened by the ravages of the worm.—Many planters are picking cotton, and

From the Atlanta Sunday.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

BY F. M. FINCH.

"The women of Columbus, Mississippi, animated by nobler sentiments than are many of their sisters, have shown themselves imperial in their offerings made to the memory of the dead. They strewed flowers alike on the graves of the Confederate and of the National soldiers."—New York Tribune.

By the flow of the inland river,
Whence the fleets of iron have fled,
Where the blades of the grass are grass quiver
Asleep are the ranks of the dead;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Under the one, the Blue;
Under the other, the Grey.

These in the robings of glory,
Those in the gloom of defeat,
All with the battle blood gory,
In the dusk of eternity meet;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Under the roses the Blue;
Under the lilies, the Grey.

So with an equal splendor
The morning sun-rays fall,
With a touch, impartially tender,
On the blossoms blooming for all;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Broidered with gold, the Blue;
Mellowed with gold, the Grey.

So, when the summer calleth,
On forest and field of grain
With an equal murmur falleth
The cooling drip of the rain;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Wet with the rain, the Blue;
Wet with the rain, the Grey.

Sadly, but not with upbraiding,
The generous deed was done;
In the storm of the years that are fading,
No braver battle was won;
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Under the blossoms, the Blue;
Under the garlands, the Grey.

No more shall the war-cry sever,
Or the winding rivers be red;
They banish our anger forever
When they laurel the graves of our dead.
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Love and tears for the Blue,
Tears and love for the Grey.

All About the Sex.

A lady, young, lovely, and intelligent, called on a celebrated physician to do something for a rush of blood to the head. She had been doctoring myself, said the languid fair one, with a smile, to the bluff though kind M. D., while he was feeling her pulse. "What have taken Brandreth's pills, Parr's pills, Strubury's, Sands' sarsaparilla, Jayne's expectorant, and Dr. Sherman's lozenges and—" "My dear madam," interrupted the astonished doctor, "all these do your complaint no good." "No—they do what I could take," petulantly inquired the patient—"Take," exclaimed the doctor, coming her from head to foot—"take? why, after a moment's reflection, only take off your corset."

When rubbish youth now arrives, friends gather around him to start him in the path of virtue. Goodness and virtues are industriously upon him to win him back again to innocence and peace.—No one would suspect that he had ever sinned. But when a poor, young girl is betrayed, she receives the brand of society, and is henceforth driven from the pale of virtue. The betrayer is honored, respected and esteemed; but there is no sorrow for the betrayed this side of the grave. So with licentious men. Helping hands for her no smile of peace, no word of forgiveness. These are earthly inequalities unknown to heaven. There is a despairing in them, and fearful are the consequences.

A woman is said to be always at the bottom of trouble. You remember the story of the Shah of Persia. When he was told that a fair woman had fallen from the ladder, he called out, "Who is she?" "Please your Majesty, it's a he." "Nonsense!" exclaimed the Shah; "there is never an accident without a woman. Who is she?" The Shah was right; the man had fallen from his ladder because he was looking at a woo man in the window opposite. Many a man does this in other countries besides Persia.

A young widow of Quincy, Ill., met a stranger on the street, and asked him the way; he asked her if she was not a widow; she said she was; he said he was a widower, a) ebetor from Palmyra, Mo., and proposed matrimony on the spot; she blushed and hesitated—wouldn't he come home and see her friends about it; the fin'erview was satisfactory; the marriage was arranged for next morning; the widow cash $80, got into the doctor's pocket; he went to get shaved, and has never returned. He even left her, cruel man, standing in the public square, while he "just run over to the barber's." There is no such doctor in Palmyra, and the curtain drops upon a woman in tears.

"I wonder how they make heifer matches?" said a young lady to her husband, with whom she was always quarrelling. "The process is very simple," said she husband; "I once made one." "How do you do it?" "By leading you to the altar."

"Put out your tongue a little further," said a physician to a female patient. "A little further, ma'am. If you please—a little further still." "Why, doctor, do you think there's no end to a woman's tongue?" cried the fair invalid.

"My dear," said a smiling spouse to her other half. "I'm going a shopping to-day, and want a little change." "Why," responded the savage, "that would be no change at all; you go a shopping every day."

A widow has lately brought suit against a prominent physician of Nashville, Tenn., whom she charges with having killed her husband, by administering an overdose of morphine. She lays her damages at $40,000.

Woman's love is a good deal like chamomile—the more it's trod on, the faster it grows. To give a girl "mis," we know of nothing worse than too prudent attendment. A little water makes some fires burn the faster.

"I believe mine will be the fate of Abel," said a wife to her husband one day. "Why so?" inquired the husband. "Because Abel was killed by a club, and your club will kill me, if you continue to go to it every night."

"What would you be, dearest," said Wallace to his sweetheart, "if I were to press the seal of love on those sealing-wax lips," "I should be stationery."

The young ladies of Milwaukee are just now collecting buttons as curiosities. One young lady has a string containing 1,200 buttons, each of a different pattern or kind.

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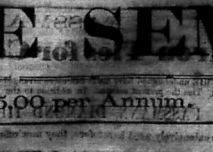

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

The Lover and the Husband.

In his "Dream of Life," Ik Marvel thus sketches, in a pleasing vein, and with those self-concelled, humanizing incidents which have ever gained the laughter and good will of the world, the lover and the newly-married man:

You grow unusually amiable and kind; you are in earnest in your search of friends; you shake hands with your office boy as if he were your second cousin.—You talk cheerfully with your washerwoman, and give her a shilling over change, and insist upon her keeping it.—You tap your hackman on the shoulder very familiarly, you tell him he is a capital fellow; and you don't allow him to whip his horses, except when driving to the post office. You even ask him to take a glass of beer with you on some chilly evening. You drink to the health of his wife—whereupon you think him a very miserable man, and give him a dollar by way of consolation.

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You think that Madge has been weeping before now by scores of enamored men, and boune off, like the Sabine women in Roman history. You chuckle over your future, like a boy who has found a guinea in groping for sixpence. You read over the marriage service, thinking of the time when you will take her hand and slip the ring upon her finger, and repeat after the clergyman, "for richer, for poorer, for better, for worse." A great deal of "worse" there will be about it, you think!

Through all, your heart clings to that one sweet image of the beloved Madge as light, clear as to day. The week leap with a bound; and the months only grow long when you approach that day that is to make her your wife. There are no flowers rare enough to make bouquets for her; diamonds are too dim for her to wear; pearls are fine!

And after marriage the weeks are even shorter than before; you wonder why on earth all the single men in the world do not rush tumultuously to the altar. You look upon them all as a wretched race who will take her hand and slip the ring upon her finger, and repeat after the clergyman, "for richer, for poorer, for better, for worse." A great deal of "worse" there will be about it, you think!

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You blush a little at first telling your butcher what "your wife" would like; you bargain with the grocers for sugar and teas, and wonder if he knows you are a married man? You practice your new way of talking upon your wife, for you tell him that "your wife" expects him to discover, and is astonished that he does not save at you to hear you say it.

You wonder if the people in the omnibus know that you and Madge are married; and if the driver knows the shilling you hand him is for "self and wife?" You wonder if anybody was ever so happy before, or ever will be so happy again?

You enter your name upon the hotel books as Clarence —— and lady; and come back to look at it, wondering if anybody else had noticed it, and thinking that it looks remarkably well. You cannot help thinking that every third man you meet in the hall wishes he possessed your wife, nor do you think it very sinful in him to do it. You are fond of placing temptation in the way of covetous men in the shape of Madge's little gaiter outside the chamber door at night.

Your home, when it is entered, is just what it should be—quite small, with everything in order. The cards reflect it in the happiest possible way, the piano is the sweetest toned in the world, the library is stocked to charm. Madge, that liberal-minded wife, is there, adding ring and giving life to it all. You think, even, of her possible death, in a suffering spirit, and of the tortures of the Inquisition. You grow twaddle of heart over marriage. Smiles seem made for marriage, and you wonder how you were one before!

A TRAGEDY PREVENTED.—Officer Wiltney, of the forty-first precinct, arrested John L. Taylor, who was a commissary general in the rebel army during the rebellion, for attempting to shoot his wife at his residence on Fifth avenue, near Forty-first street. Taylor resided in this city, but about the time of its commencement went to Virginia, leaving his wife here. When the war closed Taylor returned to Brooklyn, and found his wife living in the family of Mr. Brodwell, in Bridge street, near Johnson, as housekeeper, but he could not induce her to live with him again. Finally he became jealous, but resolved to take her life, let the consequences be what they might. On Wednesday night he went to the house, and seeing her pass the window, discharged a pistol at her; but the ball passed through the window and entered the wall without doing any further injury. He then made his escape. The next night Mr. Broadwell saw him lurking about the house again, and went to the station house to get an officer to arrest him. Shortly after, however, he was caught by Officer Whitney while attempting, apparently, to repeat the deed of the previous night.—When searched, a four-barreled pistol and a large case knife with a keen edge were found in his possession. Taylor has no desire to live; and had he succeeded in shooting his wife as he no doubt have committed suicide immediately after.—Brooklyn Union, Aug. 23d.]

THE FASHIONS.—The inimitable New Orleans Picayune thus takes off the article. Its application is universal: Unfortunately, in these levelling days, nothing can be distinctive. Whatever is distinguishing is made can never be ugly—ridiculous—unless who wears it, or how it may be exaggerated. In any case it is to be hoped the virtuous will trip through the streets beside the vicious without any fear of mistake. Low necked dresses are already seen on the streets, and females pass along boldly, with only the shawl of gossamer shawls to drape arms, neck and busts that were once handsome. I have observed, also, that as youth and freshness decays the passion for exposure increases, and many a grand-mother is adorned—rather undressed—in a style in which she would have objected to see her youthful daughter.

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J. GIBSON, Publisher.
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Frantz garbles one of our editorials, and then misrepresents us. How unkind! The Gazette stands to-day where it stood three months ago. *To submit is not to endorse*—to urge the people to accept the best terms of reconstruction the radical party will ever present, cannot be a very great crime.

We are as deeply interested in the country as the editor of the Brandon Republican, and have never advocated any measure that we did not honestly believe would redound to the good of our people.

Reaction is certainly at work in the North and spreads daily in the radical tent. The "sober second thought" is beginning to tell. In Maine, the radicals, so far as heard from, lose three-fifths of their former majority. Chamberlain's majority last year in the precincts reported, was 15,085, now it is 6,032—a republican loss of something over ninety-five hundred. May the example of Maine and California be heard throughout the land, and crush out the despotism and wrong now retarding the progress of our section.

A short time ago, according to a published statement, a party of soldiers, by the connivance, if not by the express orders of a Major Pierce, sacked the Constitutional Union office at Camden, Arkansas. We are by the Vicksburg Times that Gen. Ord has ordered his arrest and trial by court-martial.

FOR IMPEACHMENT.—The Mobile Times' candidate for the Vice-Presidency, Senator Fessenden, of Maine, now avows himself in favor of impeachment. He states that he favors it in the belief of its "absolute necessity for the preservation of the public interest, and in obedience to the well-nigh unanimous sentiment of his constituents. What say the Southern advocates of the Maine Senator now?

MAINE FOLLOWING CALIFORNIA.—A Washington telegram of the 11th, says returns from the Maine election, shows a very heavy Radical loss, and creates an intense excitement. The Lower House which had but thirteen Democrats last session, is now claimed by that party.—The great Central States of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio are claimed as certain, and the defeat of negro suffrage in Ohio seems to be conceded. The news from Maine is unexpected and will inspire the friends of law and order with additional zeal in the States where elections are approaching.—The result of the fall elections cannot change the mode of reconstruction in the South, because the political status of Congress will not be altered, but in the Presidential one the southern States will cast their votes, and the northern States will not necessarily be united, and some assurance given that constitutional landmarks will not be thrown a little feet in future.

The Presidential Aspirancy.—President Johnson has evidently aroused and put forth his strength in a way little expected by the people of either section. The satirical laughs and sneers, the contumacy and insult so freely indulged in by caucus representatives of the dominant party during the past twenty months, have been changed in the twinkling of an eye, to wonder and dismay. Fixing his foot firmly behind the broad and protecting folds of the Constitution, Andrew Johnson has raised his sword and is tumbling from power every barrier hindering the march of the republic, and forcing forward the great principles of government so long ignored by the radicals. He commenced by clearing the pallet of the old war debris obstructing every door, and next put aside the chief commanders who pressed military despotism to ourselves and proclaimed that reconstruction must be carried on under the strict rules of the Constitution. And now we have his amnesty proclamation, announcing that the war was for declaring its objects to have been accomplished, that the Constitution is supreme and that by the authority of this great and sacred bulwark, he grants amnesty to a large class of our citizens for participation in the late war, thus effacing and causing to be forgotten, as far as the public interest is concerned, the crime of which they are supposed to be guilty—This necessity of the proclamation is thus forcibly set forth:

Whereas, There no longer exists any reasonable grounds to apprehend within the States which were involved in the late rebellion, any renewal thereof or any unlawful resistance by the people of said States to the Constitution and laws of the United States.

And whereas, Large standing armies, military occupation, martial law, military tribunals, and the suspension of the privilege of the writ of habeas corpus and the right of trial by jury, are in time of peace dangerous to the public liberty, incompatible with the individual rights of the citizen, contrary to the genius and spirit of our free institutions and exhaustive of the national resources, and ought not therefore to be sanctioned or allowed, except in cases of actual necessity, for repelling invasion, or suppressing insurrection or rebellion;

And whereas, A retaliatory or vindictive policy, attended by unnecessary disqualification, pains, penalties, confiscations and disfranchisements, now as always would only tend to hinder reconstruction among the people and national restoration, while it must seriously embarrass, obstruct and repress popular energies and national industry and enterprise.

This official notice to the public is in keeping with the theory to which Mr. Johnson connected himself long before his first amnesty proclamation was issued, and has been kept back no doubt by the radical Cabinet that surrounded him. It is, of course, in conflict with the reconstruction acts of Congress, which declare no person shall be entitled to vote by reason of executive pardon, who would otherwise be disqualified from registering or voting. But the President goes behind the reconstruction acts for his authority; he gets it from the Constitution, which states that the President "shall have power to grant reprieves and pardons for offences against the United States except in cases of impeachment." Whatever view may think however, about the legality of the amnesty, it is evident Congress will take very firm steps to obstruct its operation, and indeed we cannot see how it is to be made available at the coming elections, unless the President appoints military governors of the Administration way of thinking. He has now taken a stand from which he cannot withdraw; he must maintain his ground, and throw around him all the moral and physical powers available, or he is lost. If he is properly fortified and prepared to fight it on the autumn line, the political rights of the people may be acknowledged in time to vote on the question of ratifying the new Constitution. In the meantime, while applauding the movement, we of the South must not forget that we have only the way of reconstruction. Let that work go on as Congress indicated until the President gives specific instructions—instructions that will be obeyed—to the contrary. Then it will be time enough for us to act.

GROWS BETTER.—The St. Louis Dispatch has advices that the California victory is greater than the telegrams at first indicated. In San Francisco the Democrats have carried the State legislative and municipal ticket by overwhelming majorities. Returns from the interior continue to swell Haight's majority, which will exceed eight thousand. The entire Radical ticket is defeated, and it is doubtful if one Radical Congressman is elected. The Democrats will have a majority in the State Assembly, but as fourteen hold over Senators out of twenty are Radical, they may retain a Radical majority in the Senate, but the election of a Republican Senator now is impossible. This reaction if maintained in the elections to come, will check Congressional recklessness in November.

A Washington telegram advices us that the semi-authoritative statement of the Intelligencer, declaring it was unanimously decided in the Cabinet on Friday, that any one pardoned by the proclamation was restored to his civil rights and allowed to register as a voter, has caused a wide spread inquiry in official quarters for an executive order requiring the registration in the South to be opened to the alleged newly enfranchised class. At Grant's headquarters no intimation of such an order has been received, and on inquiry at the White House it was learned that no such order is in course of preparation. While the Cabinet officers of the opinion that a pardon conveyed the right to vote, it was not held that it could be enforced against a positive proposition in the reconstruction law. As executive order, it is stated in the proper quarter, will not be issued therefore for the opening of registration lists to the class embraced by the last manifesto. In Washington the proclamation is looked upon as a rather small affair.

It appears that of the four leading political sage dailies of the city, the Intelligencer claimed to endorse but one hundred cents, while the chosen just pardoned. Those who have been urging general pardon therefore do not feel as if their efforts with the President had fully succeeded.

A Visit to East Lauderdale.

MERIDIAN, Sept. 13, 1867.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—Having just returned from a trip to Louisiana, I propose to give you a few jottings of what was observed by the way. The trip to Jackson, thence to Summit, was performed so quickly, that little opportunity was afforded to notice anything except the country. In this instance, Summit like Meridian, is rapidly improving. I noticed a permanent market house near by the depot, also, the building belonging to a mercantile company of that place. The surrounding country in Summit is settling rapidly. Quite a number of new buildings have gone up during the year, and others still going up during the number are some large brick business houses.

The best cotton crops noticed were between Summit and Osyka. The cotton was unusually large for that region in fine growing condition, and remarkably full of blooms. The crop of that region would I judge, be very good, in proportion to the breadth of land in cultivation, if not damaged too much by the worms. Every where a discouragement and despondency prevailed, in view of the cotton worm. I could hear of the worm being in the fields on the whole route. But up to the time of my return they had done very little damage. Crops in the parts of Louisiana visited. At the junction of Jackson, La., the stripping of the fields was about completed. In Pointe Coupee Parish, (Poor suffering Pointe Coupee) the desolation was complete. Only think of large portions of that Parish, being under water from the middle of March until the first of August—four months and a half. Of course it was too late when the water went off to plant any thing.

Indeed the fences were nearly all carried off by the flood, and would have taken months to be repaired. There was scarcely a thing to eat in the overflowed regions, except what had been imported. No vegetables—no bread and very little meat. A few of them saved some of their cattle, by boating them out during the high water.

In the portions of the Parish not overflowed, the cotton was about all eaten up by the worms on some places more than a month ago. But for the rations furnished by the Government, and the charities of the benevolent, there must have been great suffering in that Parish. As it is, the State at present, is not able to rebuild said levee. And even if it were rebuilt, there would be very little confidence in its resisting the flood. Two years in succession, it has been rebuilt, and given way each time, when the water rose against it. From the labor system of the country reorganized, so as to be made efficient, I fear that much of the low grounds of the Mississippi must be abandoned.

In former days, a heavy force could be concentrated, in a few hours, to any one point in the levee that exhibited signs of weakness. During the high water they were watched night and day. But these things can not be done now.

CIVIS.

We see by the Natchez Democrat, that Gen. Gillem refuses to modify his order closing saloons from Friday evening to Monday morning. "The exigencies of the public service," he writes to the Mayor of Vicksburg, require the order to be enforced. The same officer has also issued another ukase. All saloons "are to be strictly closed for the day, on occasions of political meetings in the towns garrisoned by troops."

A Herald special says it is alleged that further damaging disclosures of the designs of Ashley and Butler, in their alleged conspiracy against the President, are about to be made by the Attorney-General. A Captain Chandler, who was formerly in charge of the Washington jail, and said to be a Radical, is the supposed authority for the new developments.

QUARANTINE AT MONTGOMERY.—A quarantine was established at Montgomery, Ala., on the 10th inst., prohibiting steamboats arriving there within seven days after having infected yellow fever districts; and also all persons, unless they can subscribe the oath prescribed by the city Council.

ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC GAIN.—Telegrams from Virginia city announce that the Montana election Monday was spirited. The latest returns give Governor Vanough, Democratic candidate for Congress, 4,000 majority. Stuart's result must startle the Summer school of politicians.

A SURE CURE FOR YELLOW FEVER.—So far our city has been visited with a single case of yellow fever, and we may escape it altogether, still it is not best to be too sanguine, and it is well to provide for it in case it should steal upon us. There are many remedies for this scourge, but the following, which is from the pen of Dr. Alexander Hamilton, who has extensive practice in Jamaica, who has lately had great success in treating yellow fever in its most malignant form, is believed as reliable as any:

Keep good principles and they will keep you.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

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Who have no time to lose, feeling with various symptoms of Chills, Fever, &c., its taste is pleasant, and it never gripes or sickens.

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Lose time to money, and why do you continue with Chills, and Fever, when for a mere trifle of your pocket change you can procure a remedy to be sure of, and that will cure you. Don't be humbugged by quacks, but buy a remedy that has been tried and proved, and is known to be a positive cure.

FARMERS AND PLANTERS

Visiting the country, and not having the means to procure a remedy for Chills, Fever, &c., will find it a good friend. Send and procure a bottle, and be sure it will return, as it does when used.

MERCHANTS AND CLERKS,

Who will you spend your leisure hours with, Chills and Fever, or Health and Pleasure? Then procure a bottle of Chills Tonic, and be sure of the latter, without one of Our Doctor's bills will surely restore you to health. Don't be humbugged by buying on the taste, but procure a bottle and be sure of a cure. Remember, it is the only remedy in the country that will cure Chills, Fever, &c., effectually. After using one bottle you will have no other to purchase.

CAUTION.

A negro about twenty years old was arrested near Mineola, Ill., the other day, who had entered the farmer's house when he was absent and ravished the farmer's wife, under threats of death if she resisted. A large and excited gathering formed, some threatening to hang him, but the husband of the woman had too much fear of the law to take the life in the matter, so the negro is now safely in jail, awaiting the due process of the law.

A Bad Case.—Every Horse.—The Macon Journal and Messenger has information from Henry county, Georgia, to the effect that the Superior Court, now in session in that county, is composed of six whites and six blacks, and as a consequence, are dead hung on an issue between the State and a negro charged with larceny. The case was submitted to them Tuesday, and after accounts, Wednesday, they were as far from a verdict as ever.

The Radicals have just made the unpleasant discovery that they themselves, active Byes, indication to them, are generally during the last month or two, and that they will not return, as it does when used with

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Special care in attendance on arrival of the trains.

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Strict attention paid to feeding Horses.

Thankful for past favors, I ask you to call on me.

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I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the

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MRS. M. A. COX.

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Valuable Property for Sale.

A HOUSE AND THREE ACRES OF LAND in corporation of the town of Hickory, Newton county, Miss. The house is new, and has seven rooms. The three acres 160 below the R. R. road is enclosed, a very few bushels of which 150 miles of Hickory, 100 of which is in a fine state of cultivation. The depot of Hickory is situated immediately on the Railroad.

The property is in the west of the city of Meridian on Southern railroad.

SHANNON & GALLAGHER,
Attys at Law and Solicitors in Chancery.

Notice.

THE firm of Hopper & Sadler dissolved per mutual consent on the 1st of August, 1867. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle their accounts with G. G. Hopper.

Meridian, Aug. 10, 10-7.

To the Public.

THE subscribers would here beg leave to inform the citizens of Meridian and vicinity, that he is now engaged in the Saddle and Harness business, and will be prepared hereafter, to supply the public with all kinds of every kind to be found at our Leather Store.

J. SADDLER.

Sash, Doors and Blinds.

F. T. SANFORD wishes to inform the public that he has on hand a large lot of Sash, Doors and Blinds, which he will sell at a small advance from our other stock. You can find a good one remember and at our Planing Mill. Those wishing to purchase will do well to call on us at our old stand on railway street, Meridian, Miss.

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Iron Ties for Cotton Bales.

THE undersigned have made extensive arrangements to supply the demand for these Ties the present season. In addition to the

FASSMANN DIAMOND TIE and BUTTON TIE,

so extensively used heretofore, they now offer his

ALLIGATOR TIE,

with teeth so arranged as to firmly clamp the loop, when the pressure is removed from the bale and hold it without slipping.

Great pains have been taken to secure the best quality of iron.

These Ties are so simple in their arrangement that they can be applied by any one, to bales of any size, with the same facility and expedition as rope. In strength, security and facility of application, they will compare favorably with any yet introduced.

The advantages of Iron Ties are now generally recognized; but it is deemed not out of place at the attention of those interested to the very emphatic recommendation of Underwriters, Steamboat Captains, and Owners and Agents of Sea Steamers and Sailing Vessels, recently published in the newspapers in New Orleans.

Orders solicited. Circulars furnished on application.

CHAMBERS & LATTING,
No. 61 Gravier street, N. O.

GRAND DISTRIBUTION.

$250 PREMIUMS AMOUNTING TO $83,950 DOLLARS IN 9000 CERTIFICATES IN

THREE PRELIMINARY DRAWINGS, AND ONE GRAND SCHEME,

Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing AID SOCIETY,

AT VICKSBURG, MISS.

Chartered by an act of the Legislature of Mississippi, passed Feb. 15th, 1867.

The following sum has been deposited in State Treasury, as a fund for the Society, has paid into the State Treasury the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, and for the benefit of

COPY OF RECEIPT.

No. 127 | STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, | $5,000 00

State Treasury, Jackson, Miss.

Received of W. H. Ellis, Treas., &c., per C. R. Wells, the sum of five thousand dollars in full of Ellis's receipt Warrant No. 127, dated July 18th, A. D. 1867, in his favor on act, act of University of Mississippi, under 8th section of acts of 1867, which act, and the act incorporating the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Society.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN R ECHOLS,
State Treasurer.

In the three Preliminary Drawings and Grand Scheme, there will be distributed $2,250 Premiums, amounting to $833,950 in 9,000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $30 to $30,000

First Preliminary Distribution.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of	$4,000	$4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
2 "	500	1,000
5 "	100	500
10 "	50	500
200 "	30	11,000

400 Premiums amounting to..... $21,000

Second Preliminary Distribution.

OCTOBER 16th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$6,000	$6,000
1 "	3,000	3,000
1 "	1,500	1,500
2 "	500	1,000
5 "	150	750
10 "	50	500
45 "	15	675
450 "	30	13,500

500 Premiums amounting to..... $28,950

Third Preliminary Distribution.

NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$8,000	$8,000
1 "	4,000	4,000
1 "	2,000	2,000
1 "	1,000	1,000
5 "	200	1,000
10 "	100	1,000
60 "	50	3,000

75 Premiums, amounting to..... $46,000

GRAND SCHEME.

DECEMBER 11th, 1867.

1 Premium of	$20,000	$20,000
1 "	10,000	10,000
1 "	5,000	5,000
2 "	2,000	4,000
5 "	1,000	5,000
10 "	500	5,000
100 "	100	10,000
200 "	50	10,000
700 "	30	21,000

1000 Premiums amounting to..... $130,000

Whole Certificates, $10, 1st Instalment, $10.00
Halves " 5.00
Quarters " 2.50

TAKE NOTICE, that certificates are to be paid for in instalments of 25 per cent. of the whole sum, for the 1st, 2d, and 3rd preliminary Distributions, and Grand Scheme.

The above scheme may be varied as occasion, if preferred, but the whole amount is not to be less than the aggregate of premiums set in 1st and 2d preliminaries.

PREMIUMS PAID WITHOUT DEDUCTION.

Certificates may be purchased from or ordered through any of the Agents of the Society, or direct from this office.

Orders for information enclosing stamp or fee, will receive prompt attention.

W. H. ELLIS, Pres't.
ALEXANDER SHARP, Sec'y.
R. Y. R. CRABTREE, Agent,
augtow-4t Meridian, Miss.

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No. 1 Second Street,

LOUISVILLE, KY.

Will purchase upon commission and forward all kinds of produce. may1ly

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Meridian, Miss., Sept. 1, 1867.

Mail trains pass up at 2.23 P. M.
" " down at 6.55 A. M.
Accommodation Train leaves at 5.30 P. M.
" " arrives 9.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11 A. M. Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 3.05 P. M. Artesia 5.05 P. M. Okolona 10.5 P. M. Corinth 1.40 A. M. Humboldt 2.20 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10.30 A. M. Distance 473 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 5 P. M. Arrive at Humboldt 10.5 P. M. Corinth 7.05 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 6.15 A. M. Meridian 8.55 A. M. Enterprise 10.25 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 22 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrives ..... 6.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrives ..... 5.30 A. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 6.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.00 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.35 a. m.; reaches Raymond at 9.30 a. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 2.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis and all points North, at the quick time and sure connections by taking Railway trains at Canton, Jackson, Brandon, Jackson, Miss., with trains on M. C. & C. R. Railroad, at Grenada with trains on the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Leave Grenada daily at 1 a. m. and 2.25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6 p. m. and 7.45 a. m. making connections with trains for Louisville and Cincinnati, Nashville, Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points north.

Through tickets to all points North.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Pass Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

Hdqrs. Mas. Thomas R. Morton, U. S. A., Sub-Assistant Commissioner, B. R. F. and A. L., Inspecting Officer, Commanding Post.

1st Lieut. Thomas L. Nye, 38th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

2nd Lieut. W. O. Cory, 38th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Act. Asst. Surg. H. H. Walker, U. S. A., Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

Andrew Thomas, Agent B. R. F. and A. L. at Head'qrs. Sub-District, Meridian.

Capt. James Sunderland, V. R. C., Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for them than a number of long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Blitzers, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure, and it is with the "Hurley Preparations," as also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequaled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seabrook's Combined Writing Fluids and Carbonic Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West, the Southwest, for school, bank, and office use, equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot say enough of any two articles, for they are truly a blessing to mankind, and we advise all to give them a trial by Military Commands.

Hdqrs. Gen'l Pope's Military District, Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 15, 1867.

The Proprietors, Messrs. Hurley & Co., Louisville, Ky.

Gentlemen:—Your communication of the 7th inst., with certificates of cures, received. In reply I have to say that I have used your Ague Tonic with success in my family, and have found it a reliable remedy for Fever and Ague. I have also used your Worm Candy, and can say that it is a safe and effective vermifuge. Your Sarsaparilla I have not used, but have no doubt it is a good article. Your Horse Liniment I have used in my family, and find it a good remedy for sprains, bruises, &c. Your Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup I have used in my family, and can say that it is a safe and reliable remedy for children suffering from Cholera Infantum, Diarrhœa, &c. Your Writing Fluid I have used in my office, and find it a good article. Your Carbonic Ink I have used in my office, and find it a good article. Your Carbonic Ink I have used in my office, and find it a good article. Your Carbonic Ink I have used in my office, and find it a good article.

Respectfully, your obedient servant,
JOHN POPE, Major General Com'dg.
O. D. GREENE,
Assistant Adjutant General.
Official:
Hdqrs. Military District of Mississippi,
1st Lieut. U. S. Infantry,
Aide-de-Camp.

Self-Raising Flour.—We call attention to the advertisement of Darcy & Putnam's self raising flour, to be found among our new advertisements. In recommending this flour, satisfaction is guaranteed to the public as a superior article. It has been examined by chemists and pronounced *healthier* than any flour that can be used. Read the advertisement and give it a trial.

Cotton Planters.—Those interested in gathering cotton are referred to the advertisement of Hall, Wood & Co., which will be found beneficial. The success for cotton and prizes is now upon you at a time when you will need the assistance of a good machine. Read the advertisement and procure a machine. Descriptive & Co's King of Cattle, it will save your stock, time and money. Hardest to the target from glasses the stomach operates the nerves, and never fails to immediately relieve the worst of chills and fever, without affecting the system, and makes permanent cures. See advertisement.

From and after Monday next, no mail will be received at this office, but will be sent out as usual. Persons desiring to receive mail will govern themselves accordingly.

The Meeting To-day.—We wish to remind our readers that the Tournament Club and Agricultural Association meets to-day at 3 o'clock, in the Lawyer's office. We hope to see a full attendance. The industry of our county must be better augmented than by supporting this Association. Let every one attend, and those who do not intend to participate in the tournament can at least encourage push forward the enterprise.

Stringent sanitary regulations should be enforced here. "Bronze John" may visit us soon, and we should feel very much alarmed at him. A glance at some places in our own neighborhood, will convince any one that the health committee has not been around lately.

The public will learn with painful surprise, of the death of Dr. John P. Kennedy, of Lauderdale, in this county, which sad event occurred a few days since. The honest, straight forward manhood was conspicuous in all his dealings and gained him a position of honor and respect wherever known. His dies, loved and lamented by all whose privilege it was to become acquainted with him in the familiar walk of life.

Our young friend, Frank Emerson, has just returned from Brazil, and brings us a few copies of the Immigration Reporter, published at Rio de Janeiro. Those wishing to gain information about that country, would do well to subscribe to the Reporter. Mr. Frank Emerson will remain in our city some weeks to receive subscriptions.

Correspondence.

Chadwick has a few more tickets left for the distribution of the Mississippi Agricultural and Manufacturing Aid Society on the 19th inst. The contributions promised are far more numerous than we had any chance than those of the Havana, or any State Lottery. The distributions will be conducted with the utmost fairness, and to those wishing to invest on chances, presents inducements rarely met with.

We are indebted to W. A. Payne, Esq., for a piece of choice venison. "Mr. P. is very successful in hunts for beasts of chase, and rarely spends a morning in the woods without securing enough venison meat to supply himself and friends.

The firms of Kennedy & Gibbs, and Griffing & Malone, it is announced, are dissolved. Mr. James H. Martin collects all claims due Kennedy & Gibbs and Mr. A. W. Malone succeeds Griffing & Malone in the grocery business. He has our best wishes for success.

Rev. J. A. Smylie's school for boys opened last Monday. Mr. Smylie is a finished scholar himself, and has a happy faculty of imparting instruction to those entrusted to his charge.

We hope that our readers will not forget that a grand pic-nic is proposed at the Orphans' Home, Lauderdale Springs, to be given on Saturday next. As it is strictly a local affair, we hope everybody is invited to attend and see what is being done for the orphans. They are expected to bring their own supplies, with something over to assist in feeding and clothing the little ones at the Home.

Head'qrs 4th Military District,
(Mississippi and Arkansas.)

Vicksburg, Miss., September 6, 1867.

General Orders No. 38.]

I. Whenever any person indicted for a criminal offence in the State Courts of this Military District, shall produce to the Court the affidavits of two credible persons, setting forth that, during the late rebellion, he was in the service of the United States, or loyally adhered to them, while holding as far as possible all aid and comfort to their enemies; or these facts shall be known or officially certified to the Court, and the accused shall thereupon make oath that owing to them, he has reason to fear that, if tried, he will not receive impartial justice, the Court shall proceed to the trial of the case, but the presiding judge will cause the affidavits to be forwarded to the Assistant Adjutant General of the District Headquarters, and will direct the District Attorney to transmit to these Headquarters a statement of the indictment, with a brief statement of the judicial residences of witnesses and the testimony which can be expected; and the case will be viewed in this by Military Commission.

II. Upon receipt of this current report, from the Headquarters, depending until after December 31st, 1867, sales of special decrees for forming, and the Commissioners appointed under which the cause of action accrued prior to January 1st, 1868, and the proceeds of which property as may be necessary to satisfy the legal costs of court and the expenses of sale.

III. All officials concerned in the administration of the laws of the States hereby subject to the supervision and authority of the General Commanding the District, as the local courts bear their share of taxation, no doubt to them of the benefit of the protection afforded by the military power, and it is expected that no obstacle will be interposed to the collection of the taxes levied for the support of the State Governments.

By command of Brevet Major General Canby.

LOUIS V. CAZZARC, A. A. G.

Louisville, Sept. 10.—Gov. Helm was buried to-day with Masonic honors. The flags are at half mast. Business was suspended. The procession was one of the largest ever seen in this city.

Richmond, Sept. 10.—A telegraph from Farmville has been received to-night, stating that a fight took place this morning between some soldiers belonging to the 37th U. S. Infantry, and the citizens of that town. The soldiers had beaten a colored man for refusing to get out of the way of a white man. The negroes then collected and attacked the soldiers, who were badly beaten.

Portland, Me., Sept. 10.—Chamberlain was elected Governor yesterday by about 14,000 majority.

The Democrats have made gains throughout the State.

The Republicans lose in Bath to 247.—Biddeford gives the Democrats majority of 240, against 90 last year. The Democrats will gain representation in some of the towns, but not enough to give them much power in the legislature. In one hundred and nine towns, giving Chamberlain over 6,000 thousand majority, there is a Democratic loss of over nine thousand votes.

Havana, Sept. 8.—Señor Aldama son is contemplating the expedition of Gen. Lersundi.

Two hundred cigar makers who engaged in a strike, have been thrown into prison.

Admiral Farragut has arrived at Vera Cruz on the 25th ult., and left for the capital of Mexico the next day.

New York, Sept. 10.—The steamer Manhattan, from Charleston, has arrived with Gen. Sickles on board.

Savannah, Sept. 10.—Joseph S. Carutthers, a teller of the Central Railroad Bank, was arrested on Saturday night with eight or nine thousand dollars. One thousand dollars reward is offered for his apprehension.

Joseph E. Carathus, the defaulting teller of the Central Railroad Bank, shipped on board the schooner Wm Gregory sunk for Darien. The ship was overhauled by blockade boat two miles out at sea, and brought back in a leaking condition, with five feet of water in her hold. She was injured in the Western and Phœnix Insurance Companies. Carathus says that he allowed a friend to overdraw six thousand, and that he has used a dollar himself.

Philadelphia, Sept. 10th.—The Sick and shoe-makers have struck for twenty per cent. advance.

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 10.—An extensive operation in Gold, Silver, Bill & Co., Bankers, was developed to-day. The business of the concern was found to be embarrassed, and the accused shall themselves make oath that owing to them, he has reason to fear that, if tried, he will

YOUNG LADIES'
High School.

L. GOULD, A. M., Principal.

The Second annual term of this Institution, comprising nine extension months, will be divided into two Sessions. The first session, of three months, will commence on Monday, the 2 th September next, and close on Friday the 25th December following. The second session, of six months, will commence on the first Monday in January and close with a public examination in the month of June.

Charges per Month:

Primary Department	$3 00
Intermediate Department	4 00
Higher Branch Dep't	5 00
Ancient and Modern Languages, English included	6 00
Music on Piano and Guitar, each	6 00
Ornamental Branches from the 6 to	6 00
Board, exclusive of washing, fuel and lights	16 00

☞ Bills of tuition for each session must be paid in advance, either in currency or negotiable paper. No deduction will be made for absence, except in cases of protracted illness. For the accommodation of those who have come to educate, a male Department will be connected with the school, subject to the above terms and regulations, and young men, desirous of preparing for College or for teaching, will receive particular attention.

Meridian, Aug 23, 1867—sw1f

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Sale of Wood and Iron Machinery,

IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,

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and all descriptions of

LABOR SAVING MACHINES,

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Wants of the portion of the South

WILL be the result stated STAFFORD CULTIVATOR, or Sucky Plow; Planters Planter, Cotton Planters, Grain Drills, Patent Reapers, Mowers and Threshers, Patent Cotton Presses and Cotton Gins, Horse Powers, Stump Extractors, plows, Rotes and Well Pumps, Sorghum Sugar Cane Mills and Evaporators, straw Cutters, Corn Shellers, Saw Mills; Flouring and Grist Mills, Rice Hullers and Cleaners; Planing Machines, Shingle and Stave Machines; Brick Machines; Mill Picks, and Gearing; Belting; Belting, Circles, Bungle Threading, Quilting, Washing, Sewing and Knitting Machines; Patent Churns, Brushes and Wagons, and the various Patent Looms; Woolen and Cotton Factory Machinery; Axes, Chickering's, Meade's Lights's, Bradburg's and other Pianos's, Melodeons, &c., &c., &c.

Also prepared with the latest and most approved implements for saving all labor, by the use of machinery, and also the very latest and most approved Agricultural implements, and labor Saving Machines, and with these artificial aids developing the countless sources of wealth, the undersigned has organized after much labor, time and expense, a extensive Agency, to visit all parts of the State, and furnish almost anything desired, in the way of machinery, etc., at the very lowest prices. He is assisted by a number of gentlemen of experience and integrity. For the benefit of the ladies he has made arrangements specially for them. Having been duly authorized by a very large number of Northern and Southern Manufacturers to sell their goods, he is prepared to furnish information on all the different reasonable terms for any article comprised in the great range of his agencies.

☞ A free call and that has not procured a Circular.

☞ To Vendors: agents for whom he does not sell. Agents for other lines are solicited to correspond with him at Meridian, Miss.

Meridian, Miss. G. D. BUSTAMANTE.

RECOMMENDATION.

Kosciusko, Miss., Aug. 12, 1867.

G. D. BUSTAMANTE: *Dear Sir*:—It is with pleasure I avail myself of the opportunity afforded me by your solicitation to express my opinion of the value of your labor saving machines in general, and especially of the Stafford Cultivator, which I have used for the last two years. Your judicious selection of the various kinds of labor saving machines in use in the North, and fully understanding our views as to the necessities of our State for such, and following up by the energy and individual interest you have manifested in the business many new labor saving machines recommended and introduced into the State and which I am satisfied will prove of great benefit to the country, I feel confident will meet with success. Wishing you success in your enterprise to this point and much success in your agencies, I am, dear sir, yours truly,

J. A. P. Campbell, Ch'n'r Judicial Dist. W. S. Scarborough, Probate Judge Attala county. L. Lamar, Sheriff of Attala County. W. W. Dixon, Probate Clerk Attala Co. Jas. H. Wallace, Circ't Clerk Attala Co. aug 13 dw 3 w 6 m

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CLOTHING,

No. 322 Broadway, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel

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We have ready a large, handsome and well assorted stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING,

Manufactured by us exclusively for the Southern Trade, which we are prepared to sell at low prices and on liberal terms.

Our stock is adapted in material, style, lengths, and sizes exclusively to the South, and comprises goods from the lowest priced to the finest made, including a large assortment of goods for

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The recent decline in woolen and cotton fabrics will enable us to offer clothing at much lower prices than it has been sold for at any time since 1860.

Cash and check buyers from the South are invited to examine our stock before purchasing, as we believe we can offer them great inducements.

We will be happy to receive orders, and our long experience in the Southern business enables us to make selections which will be entirely satisfactory to purchasers.

Descriptive Catalogues with prices sent by mail if desired.

HENRY, MOORE & GENUNG,
New York, July, '67. 322 Broadway.
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FOR AN APPETIZER USE
Red Jacket Bitters

$100 Reward.

SOLD, as a Mr. Owens, on Sunday night, the 18th inst., at Zion Church, Kemper Co., near Calvert's Store, a small bay mare, four years old, no brand about her. A reward of $100 will be paid for the return of the mare to my residence near Calvert's Store, or $50 00 for the delivery of the mare and the apprehension of the thief.

aug 24 w 2 w* S. T. POOLE.

Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and sold out the

Meridian Star Brewery

to W. L. McCaskle. The Brewery will be closed until the 15th of September, owing to the warm weather, after which time customers will be supplied on the same terms as before. All orders should be addressed to W. L. McCaskle, Meridian, Miss.

July 30, 1867—aug3tsept1 WISE & CLAY.

NO EXCUSE FOR BAD BREAD

DARCY & PUTNAM'S

SELF-RAISING FLOUR

FOR

Bread, Biscuit, Puddings, Cakes, Pastry, &c., without using Yeast Powders, or Soda.

TIME AND LABOR SAVING AND HEALTH GIVING.

GENERAL DIRECTIONS.

Stir in the water with a spoon and beat at once, without kneading or waiting for the dough to rise; the more, therefore, and the longer the baking order before beginning to mix—MIND THIS.

Milk is superior to water for all pastry purposes.

For Cakes, Pastry, &c., the SELF-RAISING FLOUR should be the last article mixed. Sift to suit the taste.

RECEIPTS.

SALT TO SUIT THE TASTE.

For Light Bread.—Use cold water or milk and mix with a spoon just sufficient to thoroughly wet the dough; put it into a deep pan not more than half full, bake immediately. The pan should be covered to prevent the formation of a crust not before the loaf has risen sufficiently. If the bread does not brown on the top, remove the cover a few minutes before taking the b read from the oven.

Buscuit Paste—Are found to bake best when seven inches long, four inches deep, and four inches wide at the bottom, flaring and fitted with covers. These pans are excellent for cake.

For Biscuit—Make the dough as soft as can be handled, using cold water, with half the usual amount of shortening, or cold sweet milk without shortening. Bake as soon as well heated oven, they will be light, white sweet and tender.

For Light Rolls—Same as biscuit, except that the dough should be a little softer, use less shortening.

For Wheat Muffins—Three eggs, one quart of milk or water, three pints of flour, one table spoonful of melted lard. Bake in deep Muffin rings.

For Pies—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

For Cake—Sift one pint of flour, add to it three gills of milk or water, half a spoonful of butter, two eggs, half a pint of milk of water and two pounds of flour.

Quick Sponge Cake—One cup of powdered sugar, one cup of flour, well mixed together. Break in three eggs, stir quickly and bake in a square tin immediately, in a moderate oven. Flavor with lemon or otherwise to suit the taste.

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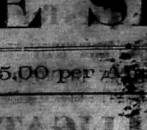

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian & Chattanooga Railroad.

Rev. W. E. M. Linfield published an address recently to the people of Natchez, on the subject of connecting that place with the interior railroads of the State, and continuing many good thoughts on the propriety of diverting the labor of the country, and turning our thoughts in other directions than that of the exclusive production of cotton. The public remarks are the following extract which may serve to show that the N. E. & S. W. R. R. has more significance abroad than at home:

"I am not able to repress the desire to sketch at this early season of your existence the route that I think will subserve the future glory of the grand, magnificent West. If altogether practicable I would suggest that you strengthen the make your connection with the N. E. & S. W. R. R. at Meridian. The only objection to this route arises from the necessity of running a good distance almost parallel to, and but near, the Vicksburg and Jackson road, in connecting at Jackson. If so, that objection would be entirely removed. Such a route would obtain a necessity of exploring that region as level as originally thought, and give you, in addition to a termination to a long road, reaching the Alabama River at Demopolis, and draining the rich valley of the Tombigbee, a direct line to the Gulf of Mexico to run. At the same time such a route would open to the greatest commerce and agricultural resources of the State, and productive regions of the country in which Natchez is surrounded.

Again, with a route of this kind public sympathy and aid of the greatest munificence of those, perhaps, who are slowest to help both Vicksburg and Meridian, to which I would be as greatly concerned in the success of the road as yourselves, and the counties through which your road would pass would thereby be put in need of more ready talk and a large part of the stock and bonds would be taken by the people. Principal. The third Term will open on Monday, Sept. 23, 18-7. augtf

But I will not trespass upon your time and to seek at the outset the kindest regard gentlemen. I do not wish to be a stranger to you. I am a native of the county represented in the Legislature by Mr. Stevens, and I am not ignorant what manner are regarded in the South. Everything is for promoting good feeling among all classes of citizens, and for the common interest and welfare of the whole people of the whole country. I am in favor of it. I do most earnestly pray for some settled order of things, and that the first meeting is in the service of individual interests or party, paramount to the common weal. I am not in favor of the *Reconstruction Act*, or of any measure which may be passed by Congress, however important can challenge the attention of our people, than the selection of candidates for each and every office. It ought to be an element but one most thoughtful and wisest men should be selected. Such men are to be found in this point. The formation of a party, for the white man and a party for the black man is a dangerous experiment. The colored man cannot see the real issue presented in that case of things. The white man will be driven to the wall. The only hopes that in the general conflagration be saved are in the best. Thoughtful men ought to take hold of the elections of the day, and try to intrust the new suffrages of the citizens to responsible and honest men. Such men would not tend over the past and stir up feeling by calling to mind the *Black Laws, Burnt Bureau Bills*, etc., not by saying what might have been if so and so had been. But what I believe will be good, that

Sensible Views.

Prof. T. S. Gathright, of Summerville Institute, having been admitted to address the Legislature, on the 4th inst., on the objects of the institution, in response to a resolution, is much to copy the following extract, containing some sensible views on education, to the profession of Tennessee:

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A MISSOURI PLOT.—Old Thad. Stevens' cast-iron policy is said by the correspondent of Congress and discovered one of his old tactics—a real Masonic Plot. Many of the members of the House, with its central Banks at the head, belong to the order, and in his opinion, are bound to screen President Johnson, a Brother Mason, from all other, or old liabilities, under the obligations of Masonry. The old Masonic agitation has discovered that this is the plan where the rule comes in—the old rule of "Root, hog, or die." Somebody is the wind—he scents it, and behold the signal. A worse thing Gov. Fletcher has not kept Masonic Post—Missouri Democrat.

The New York Herald professes to have some very curious and suggestive information from Washington, touching a reported Radical scheme entering the impeachment and remodelled President-ship. Mr. Wade is then to resign as President of the Senate, in order that Mr. Stanton may be put in his place as President. President Johnson is to be impeached and deposed, and then, under the existing law of Congress, under the succession to the Presidency, Mr. Stanton, as President of the Senate, will take the place of "the man at the other end of the line," and Mr. Wade will be re-elected President of the Senate, and Mr. Cameron to fill the vacancy left by Mr. Stanton, will be restored to the Senate.

DEATH OF GOV. HELM.—Our readers will see with regret the announcement by telegraph, of the death of Hon. Wm. Kelley, John L. Helm, Governor of Kentucky. This sad event occurred at Elizabethtown, Kentucky, yesterday. Gov. Helm held many important positions in Kentucky, and once before filled the office of Chief Magistrate of the State. He was a gentleman of high character, fine ability, and kindness of heart, and leaves many friends to mourn his loss. He was elected only last August by the largest majority ever obtained by any man in Kentucky, or perhaps any other State.

The Lieutenant Governor elected at the same election, and by the same overwhelming majority, is John White Stevenson, formerly a well known citizen of Maysville, Ky., and who has since resided in Covington. The duties of Chief Magistrate devolve upon him, and another will be chosen by the people Vicksburg Herald.

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PROSPECTUS
OF THE
Meridian Daily Gazette.

The undersigned proposes to issue a daily paper from this office, about the first of October, with the above title. The commercial importance of Meridian, its rapidly increasing population, and its prosperity, almost without a parallel in the South, has induced us to believe that the public would liberally sustain and support a daily paper at this place. There is no reason why Meridian, with its railroad advantages, and its greatly increasing wealth, should not maintain a daily newspaper that in size, appearance, mechanical execution and industrial management would take rank with the dailies of our neighboring cities. We believe a daily will properly represent the great interests of the city at home and abroad, and give greater aid to its friends in its rapid improvement than the Semi-Weekly and Weekly we now publish. We promise all that industry, and energy can accomplish will be employed to make it an exponent of the enterprise and public spirit of this section of the State. The Daily Gazette will give the latest telegraphic news and market reports eight to twelve hours earlier than they can be received by any paper, and will be specially valuable to merchants and business men in this and the neighboring towns.

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The Speaking To-day.

The public are again reminded that Hon James L. Alcorn will address the people of Lauderdale county at this place to-day on the political issues now before the country. We bespeak a large attendance for him.

The Fenian Congress, at Cleveland, Ohio, has adjourned. We notice that the meeting has resulted in the union of the two wings of the party in this country with the I. R. B. of Ireland, under the common name of the Irish Republic. Mr. Roberts has been elected President, and is now perfecting arrangements to a vigorous campaign. Four military organizers have been appointed, who are expected to reorganize the army without delay, and instructions have been issued to the different circles to expend no more funds for banners and in making bile displays, but to forthwith remit all funds now in their hands to headquarters, in order that the work of securing the independence of Ireland may be speedily effected. Stevens and his clique are severely handled for their Canadian invasion, and for the vast sums of money which they squandered so recklessly.

THE COMING MARYLAND ELECTION.—Washington telegrams advise us that the Government has received intelligence that the Radicals in Maryland contemplate the inauguration of a scheme at the election on the 8th of October, when the new State Constitution is to be submitted for ratification, which will surely lead to riot and bloodshed. Under the assumption that a colored man has as much right to vote in Maryland as in Virginia; the more desperate Radical leaders in the former State, are urging the colored men to present themselves at the polls and demand the right to vote on the New Constitution. The border State Convention it is thought means mischief in that direction, and it is not improbable that Gov. Swan will have to call on the General Government for aid to be furnished in the manner prescribed in the Constitution.

We take the following item from the Vicksburg Telegraph for the purpose of introducing an old friend and comforter to the people of this section. They will find Col. Partridge able and vigilant as a lawyer, and a very successful practitioner before the Military Court at Vicksburg, where our citizens are frequently tried in these days of Southern humility:

COL. L. M. PATRIDGE.—The law card of our late confrere of the morning press of this city appears in the Telegraph to-day. He is now devoting himself exclusively to his profession, and capable as he ever was, and with a character unsullied, to guard before the courts the rights of those he has lost with signal success. Col. P. is too well and widely known throughout the State of Mississippi to require any commendation at our hands, and we know of his many friends will join us in wishing him a prosperous career in his profession.

The President's Power and Effect of the Amnesty.

The practical effect of the amnesty is being pretty freely discussed, and in the North opinions are greatly divided on the subject. The radical newspapers have set themselves up against the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States and declare that a pardon or amnesty will not restore to those to whom it was intended, the elective franchise—that Congress by the passage of the Military Government bills, put it out of the President's power to enfranchise any one disfranchised by those enactments. On the other hand, the friends of the President hold, and very properly too, that the power of pardon vested in the President by the Constitution, cannot by legislation be taken from him, save in any way he thinks fit or qualified. This is the interpretation the great masses of the people will sustain and the President need have no fears on the subject. Said Hon. Reverdy Johnson, in the Senate last January:

"The Senate are not to be told that in the deliberations of the convention by which the Constitution was framed this particular clause was the subject of some controversy of opinion. Some of the members believed that if the power of pardon should exist at all, (and most of them did think that it should, contrary to the opinion of Montesquieu and some of the European writers) that the power should not exist in a republic because there is no necessity for it, that it should be vested not in the President alone, or in any of the departments of the Government alone, but in the President, in connection with some of the other departments. They, however, came to the conclusion, and I believe the conclusion received finally the unanimous assent of the convention, that it was better to give it to the President alone; and so it was given. From the nature of the power it must, I think, be very evident that it is not only in the President, but in the President exclusively.

"The power of pardon cannot be, under the same governmental, in any two departments separately. It must be in one, to the exclusion of all others. The decision of that one, whether to grant or to refuse the pardon, must be conclusive. In our government, the only possible control that Congress can have over offences created by statute is after the offences are committed, and they desire that they shall not be prosecuted; or after they have been prosecuted, and prior to final judgment, to repeal the statute. The statute being repealed, no prosecution can be instituted, if none has been instituted, and every prosecution that has been instituted, necessarily falls. * * * * *

"The power, then, of the President to pardon is not only co-extensive with every variety offense which may be subject to prosecution, unless pardoned, but is granted to him in terms so comprehensive by the English language affords. How he is to exercise the power is not stated—Whether he is to exercise it at all is not necessarily stated. When he is to exercise it is also not stated. In the absence of any particular specification of the mode in which the power is to be exerted, it would seem to follow that it may be exerted in any mode by which the President can make known to the public or to the Government what his decision is.

"All proclamations which the President is authorized to make, no matter what may be their purport, are public acts of which the courts are bound to take notice of them.

"In the case of Wells, to which my friend from Illinois referred, reported in 18 Howard, (where the immediate question before the court was the validity of a statute) had a right to pardon conditionally, and the court held that he had; they did so in part upon the ground that the extent of the power was to be ascertained by referring to the power and to the mode in which it was exerted in England at the time the Constitution was adopted.

"The decisions of the Supreme Court in the Garland case, as well as the Missouri test oath case, show conclusively that a pardon from the President removes all disabilities, and restores the men pardoned to all the rights they enjoyed before the commission of the acts rendering amnesty necessary. And that the President intended to restore the elective franchise, is very plainly set forth in the proclamation. He mentions a state of things now existing in the South, which is incompatible with the rights of the citizen, and then goes on to say, that 'whereas a retaliatory or vindictive policy, attended by *disqualifications and disfranchisements*, can only tend to hinder national restoration,' therefore he declares a full pardon, in order to remove these *disfranchisements*, and to restore to all the *entire rights of political citizens*." The object is clearly set forth, and will no doubt be made much plainer, if unauthorized agencies render an appeal to the Supreme Court necessary. Once before that tribunal, all the restoration acts will come up, and then radical reconstruction legislation will be completely obliterated.

Here is a synopsis of three orders recently issued by Gen. Ord, and sent us for information: All persons who voluntarily exiled themselves from any of the Southern States after the surrender will return within thirty days from the date of this order. (Sept. 10,) report to district headquarters their full names and residencies and address, in order that a copy of the parole oath may be furnished them. All persons who can prove their loyalty to the United States, and who are included in the criminal offences, can be tried before a military commission, provided they fear that they will not receive a fair and impartial trial by jury. The assembling of all armed organizations or bodies of citizens is prohibited, and if persons go to gatherings or meetings of a political character armed, it is the duty of post commanders to disarm them.

Since the removal of Stanton, Gen. Fitz John Porter who was dismissed the service in 1863, has had an interview with the President and presented an appeal for a new investigation of his case, on the ground that new and important evidence favorable to him has been discovered. His application was endorsed by Senators Wilson, Foster, Sherman and Harris, Gen. Banks, Horace Greeley and Ex-Gov. Curtin. The President decided to grant Gen. Porter a court of inquiry, in accordance with his appeal and Gen. Grant approved the decision.

We are glad to see that Newsom and Flournoy, delegates to the late Convention at Jackson, are being thoroughly ventilated by the press of the State. They are a disgrace, even to the rabid party, of which they are members. That party selected and falsehood exhibited by these individuals in the Convention, shows that they are not entitled to common respect in any community.

Pursuant to announcement, the colored Republicans met here last Saturday, and nominated *their* candidates for the Convention. R. C. Merryman, a painter from Marion, and Ir. L. Tyner, (both white) addressed the meeting. A communication was read from Mr. R. J. Moseley, announcing that he was no longer a candidate. J. Aaron Moore, (colored) and J. H. Pierce, were finally declared the choice of the Convention. Aaron Moore is a blacksmith, who lives here, and is regarded by every one as a good honest man, but wholly incompetent to legislate for the people, and discuss those nice constitutional questions which will come before the State Convention. We are told J. H. Pierce is a clerk in the Freedmen's Bureau at Lauderdale—a man who knows nothing about the wants of this section of country, and who has no interest in it. We would advise our colored friends to consider the fact that the wonderful changes in sentiment in Kentucky, Connecticut, California, to say nothing of other North ern States, is simply opposition to negro or mixed suffrage, and this caste and exclusiveness which is becoming so prominent. We advise them to think about it well before they throw themselves into the troublesome sea of political strife. The end is not yet—and the whites will rule this continent. The demeanor and pretensions of the blacks is hastening on the radical disaster. The people of America will hardly permit men who hardly know the alphabet to go to Congress and fill other high civil positions.

NEW FREIGHT SCHEDULE.—We are in receipt of a new special freight tariff from St. Louis to Meridian, and from Vicksburg to Meridian, via the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad, which went into effect on the 15th inst. It presents advantages heretofore not offered for the shipment of freight, and must give the carrying trade of this section to the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad and Vicksburg and St. Louis packet company. Here is the joint tariff from St. Louis to this point: First class, per 100 pounds, 1 73; second class, do, 1 49½; third class, do, 1 17½; fourth class, do, 97. Flour, meal, potatoes and apples, per bbl, 1 44; pork, beef and salt fish, do, 2 59; whisky, do, 4 41; ale and beer, do, 3 70; oats, per sack, 1 12½; corn, do. 78. The special tariff from Vicksburg to Meridian is as follows: First class, per hundred pounds, 1 25; second class, do, 1 12; third class, do 86; fourth class, do, 60. Flour, meal, potatoes and apples, per bbl, 83; pork, beef and salt fish, do, 1 60; whisky, do, 2 41; ale and beer, do, 2 00; oats, per sack, 68; corn, do, 41; furniture, per car load 100 00.

CANDID.—The Cincinnati Commercial is more candid than the majority of the radical papers we receive. Here is the way it accounts for the loss of California by the party:

"The Radical party in California had fallen into the hands of its most corrupt and unscrupulous elements. The professional politicians and ward and cross-roads grocery loafers and bummers ocempied and controlled the party organization, and made intolerable use of it. * * * * * Consequently, the independent and honest men, who valued integrity and common decency above mere party allegiance, smashed the machine."

The thirteenth annual report of the Board of Directors of the Memphis and Charleston railroad shows that the road has earned $1,100 63, over and above defraying all its expenses, including the heavy outlay of $475,697 77 for extraordinary purposes, such as bridges, trestles, iron rails, chairs, locomotives, etc.

Registration returns from all the counties in the State, except Bolivar and Tunica, have been received at headquarters in Vicksburg. The report shows the total registered as follows: Whites 62,631; blacks 60,167—making a total of 1,06,803.

The President, it seems, has positively determined to appoint Gen. Steedman Secretary of War. The appointment, however, will not be made until after the elections in Ohio and Pencylvania. Gen. Gordon Granger will, at the same time, be appointed Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau in the place of General Howard.

THE JACKSON PLATFORM.—We give below the platform of the Radical party of this State adopted in the Convention at Jackson last week:

1. Resolved, That we do cordially approve all the principles of the National Republican party.

2. Resolved, That we pledge ourselves to keep step with the National Republican party in all its progressive political reforms of the age.

3. Resolved, That we heartily adopt as our own the plan laid down in the Congress for the reconstruction of Mississippi.

4. Resolved, That we will spare no pains or influence in our power, to give effect to action to every child in Mississippi, and the ballot to every man not disfranchised for crime, including freedmen.

5. Resolved, That in neither education, the ballot, or other political rights, will we ever recognize any distinction of race or color.

6. Resolved, That honest industry is in all respects honorable, and shall always be protected and encouraged.

THE COLE CASE.—The last Enterprise Star thus alludes to the trial of Dr. Cole for murder at the recent term of the Clarke Circuit Court:

The Cole case was taken up Monday morning of the second week, and submitted to the jury, with the instructions of the Court to make up a verdict on Friday of the week. This was subsequently changed from Lauderdale. The evidence was wholly circumstantial, and the verdict of the jury was "not guilty." Considerable interest was manifested in this case, for an atrocious murder was committed on Col. Lockhart's station on the person of Mr. Harrison, on his way from home to the station, before the train arrived. The counsell for the defence, Messrs. W. P. Evans, B. Y. Russell and Col. J. Seal, made long and able speeches in the case, the law and circumstantial evidence. The prosecution was ably conducted by Col. J. A. Smith, State's Attorney.

POLITICIANS.—While a gentleman was speaking of politics, a Yankee present, who was not a politician, said he was tired of politics. The council

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 3.33 P. M.
" " " down at ..... 8.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.50 P. M.
" " arrives ..... 8.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11 P. A. M. Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 2.33 P. M. Macon 3.53 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Corinth 1.50 A. M. Humboldt 3.20 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10.25 A. M. Cairo, 472 miles, time 38 hours and 30 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 3.45 P. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 P. M. Corinth 7.50 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1.45 A. M. Macon 3.05 A. M. Meridian 6.50 A. M. Enterprise 7.50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 8.30 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.50 p. m. for dinner, and leaves 1 p. m.; arrives in the Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 2.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.50 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis and all points North, make quick time and save connections by taking Liking Train leaving Meridian daily at 6.45 p. m., Jackson, Miss., with trains on N. O., J. & G. R. Railroad; also connections with Illinois Central Railroad, and with Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Memphis at 5.45 p. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 5 p. m. and 1.00 a. m. and making close connections with Illinois Central Railroad.

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A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

BVT. MAJ. THOMAS H. NORTON, U.S.A. Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., Inspector of Registration, Commanding Post.

1ST LIEUT. THOMAS L. NYE, 24th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistance.

2ND LIEUT. W. G. CORY, 24th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Asst. Assoc. Jr. H. WALKER, U.S.A. Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS, Agent B. R. F. and A. L., at Head'qrs. Sub-District, Meridian.

CAPT. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C. Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by diseases, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read it, for we know they will derive profit from it. It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has clearly shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequaled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, uses equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot understand that their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician. If

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting at Jackson, adopted as a text book in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler, A. M.; Venable, Morton & Towne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geology.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a full supply of these books for their pupils.—With the exception of the Geology, which is just being issued from the press, these books are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but as regards schools off the lines of the railroads it generally will occur unless prompt action is taken by the people, that they will be without them. One acquaintance with the members of this house, warrants us in assuring teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every reasonable request complied with. 1-t

PANACEA FOR FEVER AT ALL HOURS.—One friend cures fever, the air and malaria. Fever forced diseases, and will soon be gone. Chenical's antidote is the only one that has experience of twenty years in the business, to it ever promises that they will be prepared to cure.

The following affidavit shows that the drawing of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society, which comes off in Vicksburg today, will be fairly managed:

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Warren. Mr. Thos. Wallis and D. N. Moody, commissioners appointed by the Secretary of State of the State of Mississippi, do severally swear or affirm that we will superintend and supervise the drawing of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society, as required by its by-laws, and will see to it that the distributions are fairly made, both to the Society and to those who patronize it.

(Signed.) D. W. GEE,
T. WALLIS,
D. N. MOODY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me at my office in the city of Vicksburg, Miss., this 12th day of Sept., 1867.

(Signed.) JOHN R. HAYMOND, J. P.

The first bale of new cotton sent to market from Kemper county this season, was purchased by Messrs. E. L. Ward & Co., of Hickory, on the 12th. It was raised by Col. Robert R. Barnett, and brought 30 cents per pound. It classed low middling.

STAGE FREIGHTS.—The freight on a barrel of flour from Vicksburg to Meridian, is four dollars and thirty-five cents by express. It takes three dollars to get a barrel of ice here which only costs that amount in Vicksburg. The new express tariff has caused all our saloon keepers to abandon the Hill City, and send their ice orders to Mobile. Col. Gillespie tells us the railroad charges are so high that the Express company has been compelled to advance its rates.

C. C. Nettles announces that he has opened a shop for the manufacture of boots, shoes, harness &c., opposite Windham's carriage and wagon factory and is prepared to do satisfactory and durable work as cheap as can be done anywhere in the city.

Mr. A. J. Martin offers his place near Quitman for sale. It is a very desirable one and will be sold cheap as he, Mr. Martin is determined to move to another country.

Rhodes & Bullock have received a fine supply of books and stationery to which they invite the attention of the public.

We regret to learn that Capt. B. T. Rush, of the Star Livery Stable, had his leg broken by a kick from a horse, on Monday afternoon.

The Red Jacket Stomach Bitters are a very agreeable and healthy stimulant—very pleasant to the taste, have a soothing influence, and create a good appetite. We notice that druggists generally sells no Bitters so rapidly as these.

ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS.—Cures female complaints and irregularity. Cures falling of the womb and the whites. Cures obstructed and painful menstruation.—Cures sick headache and pain in the side. Cures hysterics, sinking and all nervousness of the head. Cures old or young married or single females. Cures an ulcerated and irritable womb. It arouses restores and reinvigorates the Uterine Organs.

FOR SALE.—W. W. Murphy & Co., offer for sale a No. 1 Portable Engine and Boiler. See advertisement in another column.

Mr. J. M. Taylor is in full blast again. The public will find him in his new building established on Sidney street, ready to cut out and make up garments in the most fashionable style. See his card.

SELF-RAISING FLOUR.—We call attention to the advertisement of Darcy & Putnam's self raising flour to be found among our new advertisements. We are using this flour, and can recommend it to the public as a superior article. It has been examined by chemists and pronounced *healthier* than any flour that can be used. Read the advertisement and give it a trial. if

NOTICE.

From and after Monday next, no meat will be permitted to leave Saddler's Market unless paid for. Those interested will govern themselves accordingly. augtltf

PERSONAL.—Ex-Gov. Watts, of Alabama, was in town the past week. He came out to examine our State, and we understand that he is much pleased with his visit and expects to move to the State this coming year. It is desirable that people of Texas to have such distinguished individuals settling homes in her borders, and that they will be receive all such with open cordiality.—Crocket (Tex.) Sentinel.

Private telegrams from Vicksburg and Jackson state that the quarantine at those places does not prevent the greenback dollar of exchange, even if in possession of yellow fever patients, those articles not being considered "goods."

Harris' Mills, near Monticello, were destroyed by fire about noon the day we left, while the operatives were at supper. It was the work of an incendiary.

The Bolivar Bulletin speaks encouragingly of the crops in that vicinity.

THE CROPS.—The crops in this and adjoining counties have turned out better than was anticipated a short time the fall. The corn crop has yielded bountifully, and cotton so far, everything considered, is doing remarkably well.—Louisville (Miss.) Bulletin.

Over 200,000 bushels of Western corn were sold at Brookhaven, Lawrence county, last season. Those saving to the South, had it been raised at home.

Grand Pic Nic at the Orphans' Home (Lauderdale Springs) Sept 25, '67.)

Everybody is invited to come. We want you to come and see what we are doing for the Orphans. We want you to come and see what the Orphans are doing for themselves. You will be expected to bring with you your own supplies for the occasion, and to have a little left for the Orphans' dinner. Any thing you may have to bring with you to assist in feeding the Orphans during the approaching Fair and Festival, will be thankfully received. Come then, come one, come all and do not come with empty hands. Remember the day, the place and the object

YOUNG LADIES' High School.

L. GOULD, A. M., Principal.

The Second annual term of this Institution, comprising nine scholastic months, will be divided into two sessions. The first session of three months, will commence on Monday, the 2d September next, and close on Friday the 2d December following. The second session, of six months, will commence on the first Monday in January and close with a public examination in the month of June.

Charges per Month:

Primary Department	$7 00
Intermediate Department	8 00
Higher English Dep't	9 00
Ancient and Modern Languages, English included	6 00
Music on Piano and Guitar, each	6 00
Drawing at leisure times from the rest	5 00
Board, exclusive of washing, fuel and lights	16 00

☞ Bills of tuition for each session must be paid in advance, either in currency or negotiable paper. No deduction will be made for absence, except in cases of protracted illness. For the accommodation of those who have sons to educate, a male Department will be connected with the school, and put on the above terms and regulations, and young men, desirous of preparing for College or for teaching, will receive particular attention.

Meridian, Aug 24, 1867—ur1f

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Impressed with the fact that the South can only replace its great loss of manual labor, by the introduction of Steam Machinery, Improved Agricultural Implements, and Labor Saving Machines, and with these artificial aids drive open its countless sources of wealth, the undersigned has organized after much labor, time and expense, an extensive Agency, to visit all parts of the South, and furnish almost anything desired, in the way of Machinery, etc., at the very lowest prices. He is assisted by a number of gentlemen of experience and integrity. For the benefit of the ladies he has many articles specially for them. Having been duly authorized by a very large number of Northern and Southern Manufacturers to sell their goods, he is prepared to furnish information as to their cost, and receive orders for any article comprised in the great variety he represents.

☞ No article offered that has not proved a success.

☞ To Manufacturers for whom he is not yet Agent, he offers his services on the usual terms. Address me at Jackson, Miss.

G. D. BUSTAMANTE.

RECOMMENDATION.

Kosciusko, Miss., Aug. 12, 1867.

CAPT. G. D. BUSTAMANTE, *Dear Sir:*

Having known you personally for twenty years, and watched with pleasure the progress you have made within the last two years in your laudable undertaking of introducing into our midst many of the various labor-saving machines in use in the North, and fully endorsing your views as to the necessities of our State for such, and believing you to be eminently qualified to succeed in the new field for Mississippi enterprise, we take pleasure in recommending you and your enterprise to the public, and in wishing you complete success.

J. A. P. Campbell, Ct Judge 5th Jud'l Dist.
I. W. Scarborough, P Probate Judge Attala co.
Jno. C. Lanes, Sheriff of Attala County.
W. V. Davis, Probate Clerk Attala Co.
Jas. H. Wallace, Circ't Clerk A tala Co.
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The recent decline in woolen and cotton fabrics will enable us to offer clothing at much lower prices than it has been sold for at any time since 1860.

Cash and close buyers from the South are invited to examine our stock before purchasing, as we believe we can offer them great inducements.

We will be happy to receive orders, and our long experience in the Southern business enables us to make such goods which will be certain to give entire satisfaction.

Descriptive Catalogues with prices sent by mail if desired.

HENRY, MOORE & GENUNG,
New York, July, '67. 522 Broadway.
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Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and the

Meridian Star Brewery

to W. L. McCorkle. The Brewery will be closed up until the 15th of September, owing to the warm weather; after which time the business will be carried on the same terms as before. All orders should be addressed to W. L. McCORKLE,
WINE & CLAY.

July 1st, 1867—aug1tosept

$100 Reward.

STOLEN, or a Mr. Queen, on Sunday night, the 28th inst., at or from Church, Kemper Co., near Lauderdale, a small bay mare, four years old, with two white hind feet. The mare is very gentle and broke, was seen on Monday last within two miles of Meridian. I will pay $75 for the return of the mare to my residence near Lauderdale Springs, or $50 to me for the delivery of the mare and the apprehension of the thief.

S. P. POOL.

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GENERAL DIRECTIONS.

Stir in the water with a spoon and beat at once without kneading or waiting for the dough to rise; the oven, therefore, should be in good baking order before begin ing to mix—MIND THIS.

Milk is superior to water for all pastry purposes.

For Cakes, Easter, &c., the SELF-RAISING FLOUR should be the last article mixed. Salt to suit the taste.

RECEIPTS.

SALT TO SUIT THE TASTE.

For Light Bread—Use cold water or milk, and mix with a spoon just sufficient to thoroughly wet the dough; pull into a deep pan not more than half full, bake immediately. The pan should be covered to prevent the formation of a hard crust before the loaf has risen sufficiently. If the loaf does not burn on the top, remove the cover a few minutes before taking the bread from the oven.

Bread Pans—Are found to bake best when seven inches long, two inches deep, and four inches wide at the bottom, flared, and fitted with covers. These pans are excellent for cake

For Biscuit—Make the dough as soft as can be handled, using cold water, with half the usual amount of shortening, or cold sweet milk without shortening. Bake at once in a well heated oven, they will be light, white sweet and tender.

For Light Rolls—Same as biscuit, except that the dough should be a little stiff-r, using less shortening.

For Waffle Muffins—Three eggs, one quart of milk or water, three pints of flour, one table spoonful of melted lard. Bake in deep Muffin rings.

For Pies—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

Sponge Cake—One pint of flour sifted in three cups of milk or water, half a pound of butter, two eggs, half a pint of milk or water and two pounds of flour.

Quick Sponge Cake—One cup of powdered sugar and one cup of flour; well mixed together break in three eggs, stir quickly and bake in a square tin immediately. Add any desirable Flavor with lemon or otherwise to suit the taste.

Delicate Silver Cake—One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, four cups of flour. Divide this dough into two equal parts; toss four eggs and use the yolks for the gold and the whites for the Silver cake. Flavor with lemon or otherwise and bake in covered braid pans.

Queen Nuts—One pound of Sugar, a little shortening, two eggs, three pounds of flour and one cup of water.

Pot Pie and Dumplings—Prepare the dough in every respect the same as for biscuit. Use a little melted sugar and lard for gravy.

Pan Cakes and Fritters—Will need no eggs, Butter and Griddle Cakes, rich, very superior made from Self-Raising Flour

The quicker you handle this flour the better. Never let it stand to rise. See that the oven is hot before you touch the flour. The softer the dough the better, do not knead it.

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There is not in this scheme an acre of swamp or wild land, each farm a part, or the whole of a cultivated Plantation, each tract is on or with the line of a Railway, either on the

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The lands are adapted to the growth of grain, cotton, grapes, etc., are cheaper than Government lands, in cold latitudes, at one dollar and a quarter per acre. The average cost of these lands is seven dollars per acre.

A deduction of 10 per cent. in favor of ten or more. Tickets may be had of local Agents or through the Memphis Agency, as follows:

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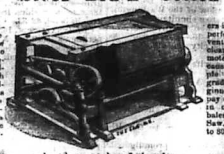

These Gins which attained such great celebrity during the few years just previous to the war, are again manufactured by Mr. Gullett, the Patentee with greatly improved facilities. We can offer this with confidence as the very best Gin made. The steel brush combs the Cotton from the seed and delivers it through the flue perfectly straight, preventing any knots, and cleans out all dust, motes and trash, thus causing Cotton to sell one cent higher per pound. Every Gin warranted in other gins to pay entire cost of gin in one crop of any bales. Price $6 per Saw. All sizes from 4 to 80 Saws.

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June 30 aw3m

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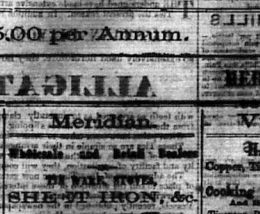

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J. GIBSON, Publisher
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OUTRAGEOUS CONDUCT.—We see by the Corinth News that while the late tournament at Iuka, was in progress, a file of soldiers led by a commissioned officer, forced themselves in, and seized the United States flag on the judges position. At night it was taken down and placed in the Ball Room, in order that all participants might be compelled to dance beneath its folds.

In alluding to the matter, North, the National Intelligencer strongly hints that the uprising of the people is of such a character that it is the President's duty to vacate most of the Federal offices in that State, and fill them with Democrats and Conservatives.

A LEAF FOR MR. WENDELL PHILLIPS has moved another step forward. He thinks that the first act of congress should be to impeach and suspend the President. The next, that Congress should overpower in the constitution three more limitations over State sovereignty. First—That no State should ever discriminate in the elective franchise on account of race or color; and if I had my individual way, or on account of sex. Second—That every State should provide a system of free schools; and if they omitted to do that, the National Government should do it at the expense of the State so negligent, and third—which ought, however, to be the first—that every man, every person born on American soil, or of American parents anywhere, is a citizen both of the nation and of the State to which the parents belong. That is, he would put the definition of citizenship and the protection of the citizen in the hands of the National Government, and not in the hands of a State government, or make them universal instead of local. He does not think the war ended until these things are done. The destruction of State sovereignty will be the chief plank of the radical platform twelve months hence. Phillips, Sumner and Stevens advance the party fellow.

A public meeting of the friends of Reconstruction will be held in the Senate Chamber, at Jackson, on Monday night, the 23d of December. All friends of a peaceful settlement of our political troubles, and who are desirous to see the State restored to her proper position in the Union, are invited to attend.

The yellow fever is prevailing quite badly at Bay of St. Louis. The college there had closed in consequence of its presence.

A society in aid of the suffering sick has been formed among the belles of New Orleans, under the title of the "Sisters of Ruth."

The Charleston, Illinois, Courier, says there was a slight frost there on the night of last ult.

Speech of Gen. Sickles, U. S. Army.

At the close, A. M., on the 7th, this distinguished gentleman addressed our citizens from the balcony of the Jones House, after being introduced by our townsman, Hon. J. P. Walker. The speaker commenced by alluding to the importance of the present crucitious nature of the times, etc., and referred briefly to charges that had been made against him of inconsistency. He belonged originally, and always, to the Old Line Whig party; opposed secession in 1861 and in 1860; was elected to the Convention—the chief principle, was in favor of awaiting the action of Louisiana, Arkansas, and Alabama, and cooperating with them. His position was lost; his affection, interest and everything tied in the South, "the Rubicon was passed;" he had no other resort than to cast his fortunes with those he loved, and with whom he had passed his life; and he devoted his time and money to the cause. He was exempt from age. He always opposed the burning of cotton and the twenty-negro law. He was for stopping the war on the assembling of the second war Congress; voted in our State Legislature, in 1864, for the Militia Bill, but did so with hesitation; was offered the command of that organization by Gov. Clark, but declined; he joined as a private; later, and at the time of the surrender, he was engaged in raising a regiment. His two sons had joined the army; one came home a cripple, and the other was killed in Tennessee.

He then referred to the terms under which Gen. Lee had surrendered; if he obeyed, he should be protected in person, but not in property; whether secessionists or revolutionists, we are rebels; President Davis believed the worst would come; we had no right to expect anything except what the humanity of the conquering army allow us. He said conquered nations usually paid the war debt; upon this hypothesis, we are responsible for the debt incurred in conquering us.

The foregoing was from the standpoint, as the majority held, that we were secessionists. Now from the assumption, as he held, that we were revolutionists, see what the Constitution gives such, what would England or France have done with you; would Austria or Prussia have treated you as has the Federal Government? The first citizen of Mexico stiled Maximilian to their country to establish a monarchy; the people rose against him, and finally conquered and executed him, together with his principal officers; the world said it was a crime and unwisdom, and should be treated upon; but there was no violation of the conqueror's rights. He referred to Turkey's barbarous treatment of her prisoners, as illustrative of the fact that the United States Government was far ahead of all others in civilization. He bore over the assassination of Mr. Davis, and the execution of Capt. Wirtz; spoke of the different constructions placed upon the Constitution of the United States; he believed secession was illegal. In our case, the sword was appealed to; it was a question of life; people were left to the mercy of the conquest. Was it the sword Lee surrendered? No. He could easily have gotten another. It was the issue that was settled; the State Rights doctrine was forever hushed, since a nation just recently arms, had been appealed to, to decide it.

At the surrender, the President struck down all State officers, and even impressed some; new officials were appointed. He said the President's present position was different from that he held at the surrender. He declared Congress was the law-making power, the President the executive power. He mentioned the fact that our State had repudiated the bonds issued during the war, for the benefit of our widows and orphans, notwithstanding the bitter wailings of the thousands of that class in our midst, because the President declared it should be repudiated. He reminded his hearers that Rhode Island, with but two millions of people, but reason should rule. He had never served colleagues into trust, but they did not answer his arguments. He advocated free schools for both white and black; said he could live in peace and harmony with the negro. Are we waiting for Northern sentiment to work a revival? Brazil and Honduras, in which places so many of our people are emigrating are both negro-voting countries. Assassination, revolt and bloodshed will reign, if we do not act, in the present crisis, with reason. At the proper time, he would ask Congress for our original rights. Why, is Kentucky refused representation in Congress? It is because Congress has the power to so exclude her; and it will be for years to come, it can be otherwise. Will you draw no inference? He said that he proposed to exclude Democrats from the control; rivers have run red with blood under their regime. Exhorted the people to allow Mississippians to govern themselves; make an effort for the future glory and happiness of this land; if they will, we say that they can be trusted. He recalled the incident of the banishment of Carlolands from Rome, and his return at the head of Rome: "Mother, you have cursed my city, but not your son!" Our fathers, the speaker observed, left us a land of liberty and good government. Where is it now? The law of the bayonet and court martial are now ours. Speak not of disfranchising the negroes. It is insanity. You might escape the result of such a step by death, but your children would not. The freedman is your friend. Again exhorted the latter to be peaceful and industrious; involve no strife; it will cause your ruin. Warned them against low demagogues; "obey your employers;" urged all to act reasonably, without passion. He was a South Carolinian, and could speak to Southerners.—He concluded by wishing a happy future to all, full of joy and domestic tranquility.

During the delivery of this speech, imperfectly reported, and which occupied nearly three hours, the most perfect quiet and profound attention prevailed, showing the distinguished gentleman's views were respected by all, no matter how widely separated they may be with him in politics. His earnestness and eloquence, he herright or wrong, certainly command that respect.

There has been a border State Convention held at Baltimore, presided over by Hector May uard of Tennessee. In the resolutions, Tennessee was complimented for her course. The convention declared in favor of negotiation accepting as a foundation N a State, and that it would be the paramount duty of Congress at its next session, to present articles of impeachment against President Johnson for usurping power delegated to Congress; for obstructing reconstruction; for pardoning faithful officers in violation of law; for indecency and indecorum in his public administration; for his perverse obstinacy, by which he has identified disloyalty, and for his present opposition to the will of the North. It is declared to be the duty of Congress, under the national Constitution, to protect the equal voting rights of all loyal American citizens, regardless of their complexion, for the reason that to admit the right of a State to limit the franchise to one class admits its right to limit it to any extent it pleases, and declares the unwise policy of congress to present to the State for their adoption an amendment that no State shall disfranchise any citizen because of race or color, and thus put beyond the danger of political changes the fundamental principle of American citizenship, and heartily approve the measures adopted by Congress for reconstructing the rebel States, based upon the principle that loyal men shall rule, and that treason, which failed in its armed attacks, shall have no appeal to the ballot-box. It would seem from the proceedings that negro suffrage is of vital importance to the Radical party, and that it must be kept in the interest of the "loyal people" alone. The black man is beginning to see through this radical affection, and has determined to be their political and social equal. The number of John Brown Clubs being organized through the country, indicates that the freedman is going to act independent of the plans laid down in the radical platform.

APPROACHING THE BLOODED-ISSUE.—The New York Herald thus alludes to the entertainment prepared for the American people by the Republican party: "Battle has to be fought, even at Washington, and must now rapidly narrow down to that point where the two great powers will strike at each other. Whichever wins, the result is an overthrow of the Government." The political language of the Herald, has always been concealed, and this declaration of its editor may, therefore, be regarded as very significant. The Republican party must be descending very rapidly from the mountain of power or Boland would not have to "shoot" as he says clings to the strong side.

The Kemper Flag request us to state that J. Q. Lavalette, a printer, pretending to be connected with the paper, is a swindler.

The Mississippi (Ala.) Record, published in the canebrake country of Alabama, says within the last few days the negroes have been holding secret meetings in the numerable hosts upon many of the plantations in that county, and are organizing a secret society for the purpose of burning all small fields. This has been agreed upon for several weeks by the negroes, and the real wonder is that it has not been done. It says the operations of the worm will cut off the crop considered to one-half of what was counted on a few weeks ago.

The lightning melted a ring from the finger of a lady at Williamstown, Mass., the other day.

TASSMANN'S
Iron Ties for Cotton Bales.

THE undersigned have made extensive arrangements to supply the demand for these Ties the present season. In addition to the

TASSMAN'S DIAMOND TIE and BUTTON TIE,

so extensively used heretofore, they now offer the

ALLIGATOR TIE,

with teeth so arranged as to instantly clasp the hoop where the pressure is removed from the bale, and become self-adjusting.

These Ties have been subjected to a severe test of quality of iron.

These Ties are so simple in their arrangement that they can be applied by any one, and require no extra machinery for their application or use. In strength, security and facility of application, they will compare favorably with any yet introduced.

The advantages of these Ties are now certainly apparent, and it is deemed but right of place to call the attention of those interested to the very emphatic recommendations of the Compress, Steamboat Captains, and Owners and Agents of Sea Steamers and Sailing Vessels, recently published in the Newspapers in New Orleans.

Orders can be addressed to

CHAMBERS & LATTING,
No. 61 Carondelet street, N. O.

Hurlburt, Savage & Co.,
CUTLERY, GUNS AND SPORTING GOODS,
No. 17 Camp Street,
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I HAVE on hand and am constantly receiving the largest and best supply of

Dry Goods,
Clothing,
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Bagging,
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Boots,
Shoes,
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EVER SEEN IN THIS COUNTRY.

Which they will sell as low as they can afford At any rate they will not be undersold.

All persons, their old customers, friends and the public generally, are invited to call and they vouch their goods will please and to buy.

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The Safety Hand Lamp,

Meteor Burning Fluid.

THE new Meteor Safety Hand Lamp is the best and safest lamp ever used, as well as the greatest invention of the times. The burning qualities of the Oil is far superior to kerosene or any other oil used, while its illuminating power has no superior. This Lamp will not blow out nor explode as do all other kerosene lamps. The cost of the fluid is about one-half that of refined coal oil; has no sediment, smoky smell, gum or smoke the chimney, and will not grease a fabric in any way. Oil is warranted to burn any old Lamps; the Meteor Fluid will burn the Meteor Oil Lamp by attaching the Light House or Meteor Fluid burner.

We have the agency for Lauderdale county, and will supply every county, also, and will be glad to supply our friends in those counties with the Meteor Oil and Safety Hand Lamp.

We will engage a competent person to travel in the Lamp business, and only handle a few to be supplied.

FALLON, FULTON & CO.

STAR STABLE!

MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.

R. T. RUSH, Proprietor.

HAVING permanently located in Meridian, for the purpose of carrying on the Livery business, I either myself feed and give attention.

I can send you further, faster and cheaper than any other man. I know so, (perhaps because I know best how).

Horses kept by the month or season, and attended to by a competent hostler.

Horses left at the Stable for conveyances, will receive prompt attention.

Nice Stallion paid to feeding Horses.

Stall Horses will be kept for any kind of Disease, at reasonable prices.

Good secure Lots for Drove Stock.

I am grateful for past favors, and shall endeavor to merit a continuance of the same.

Thankful for such favors, I ask you to call and see me.

R. T. RUSH.

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FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the

WELCOME HOUSE.

MRS. M. A. COX.

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Valuable Property for Sale.

A HOUSE AND THREE ACRES OF LAND in corporation of the town of Hickory—well watered, and a fine young orchard of choice fruit. The above lands lie between the Railroad and Public Square, and is certainly a very desirable location for a residence. House and 200 acres of fine land within 2½ miles of Hickory, 100 of which is in a fine state of cultivation. Will be sold cheap for cash, or on time. Apply immediately on the Railroad.

The above lands adjoin the east of the city of Meridian on Southern Railroad.

sep18mos&w J. GRAHAM & GALLAGHER.

All persons indebted to the estate of Jas. H. Martin, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

sep18-3mos J. GRAHAM & GALLAGHER, Adm'rs.

Notice.

THE firm of Meridian & Selma is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All those indebted to the firm will please call and settle at once.

H. GRIFFING,
A. W. MALONE.

Meridian, Aug. 30, 1867.

Notice.

THE firm of Griffing & Malone is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be continued by A. W. Malone, who will please call and settle all accounts.

H. GRIFFING,
A. W. MALONE.

Meridian, Miss., Sept 1, '67.

Notice.

THE firm of Griffing & Malone is this day dissolved by mutual consent—H. Griffing withdrawing.

The business will be continued by A. W. Malone, who will please call and settle all accounts.

H. GRIFFING,
A. W. MALONE.

Meridian, Miss., Sept 1, '67.

Notice.

THE firm of Wilkinson & Bowers is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm will settle with W. M. Howe, who has charge of the books, and is alone authorized to receive debts and settle the affairs of the late firm.

A. E. WILKINSON,
W. M. HOWE.

Meridian, Miss., Sept. 1, 1867—swtf

Notice.

OFFER FOR SALE my plantation, situated in Lauderdale county, Miss., on the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, 12 miles south of Meridian, containing 1,000 acres of land, 600 of which are under cultivation, with a very good dwelling house, and all necessary out-houses. For terms of sale apply to

J. J. SHANNON,
Meridian, Miss.

Or to
J. GIBSON,
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CONSERVATIVES

Who have no time to lose in their feeling with various conditions of the skin, and who cannot afford to throw away, could not be better than to accept Dr. Benson's Celebrated Skin Cure. It is a specific for all forms of Chills, Fever and Ague. Its taste is pleasant, and it contains no Quinine or arsenic.

MECHANICS

Your time is money, and why do you continue with Chills, Fever and Ague, when by your getting one bottle of Dr. Benson's Celebrated Skin Cure, it will break the chill, and in a few days restore the patient to perfect health. Indeed, it upon a good foundation, commences by purging the system of all bad humors, and then feeds the blood with the rich, rare and life-giving principles of which it is composed. Do not, therefore, delay any longer, but get a bottle of Dr. Benson's Celebrated Skin Cure, and be cured.

FARMERS AND PLANTERS

Visiting the city would greatly benefit your own interest by purchasing a supply of this never failing Chills, Fever and Ague Specific. Do not delay using the Chills immediately, and this medicine will cure you. Delay of a few days is dangerous, but it will not return, as it does when cured with quinine.

MERCHANTS AND CLERKS,

Who are confined to the counter, and are sure of your life, in shaking and complaining of chills and fever. Prevent business, and health. Dr. Benson's Celebrated Skin Cure, which can be had at any drug store, without sum of One Dollar, will speedily restore you to health. Your self, business and family is pleased on the taste, produces no roaring or running in the ears, but will cure you of Chills and Fever, and effectually. After using one bottle you will have no other to purchase.

J. F. BROMGOOLE, Proprietor,
Meridian, Miss.

Sold by R. T. RUSH, Meridian, Miss.

YOUR WIFE

Possesses charms to fascinate her father health, and she possesses a husband's love, by the presence of evidence in her face, that while she is young, she is virtuous, you wish to retain in her your wife's love and affection, and your children a mother, and by the blessing of her health and former beauty, you should by all means use a bottle of

English Female Bitters.

A compound that is actually restoring health to thousands of females, who have been long and sadly afflicted. It only professes to cure those diseases peculiar to the female system, and this it is prepared to do. Ladies, if you are afflicted with any of the diseases peculiar to your sex, you should not delay using this medicine. Do not be deceived by worthless nostrums, but use the one that cures—*Sons fide* cures—after all other means fail.

OLD AND YOUNG FEMALES!

Have long needed a medicine that would relieve them of all those female complaints and irregularities which prove so troublesome all over the South, and which undermine the constitution, depending upon the curative powers of the English Female Bitters. It acts upon the female system like a charm, and all those symptoms which fall below, this medicine will relieve you.

That Young Girl,

Whose blood has departed from her cheeks; whose step has lost its elasticity; whose head has lost its brightness; whose countenance betokens gloom and despair, who is pale, emaciated, feeble, and impulsive with palpitation of the heart, swimming of the head, and who is a victim to nervousness, will perfect health and beauty by using the English Female Bitters.

J. F. BROMGOOLE & CO.,
Proprietors, Meridian, Miss.

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Who will fill orders at manufacturers prices. sep18wm

ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS.

We have all never had many persons, and it is the object of advertising, to let those who are afflicted know of many individuals in this community and of others, that these bitters are effectual. Dr. Grant, a prominent physician of Meridian, Miss., has used them in his practice with success, and recommends them to his patients. Mr. Rush, a friend of Booth, and closely resembling him, was killed instead of Booth.

Mr. Intelligencer judiciously declares that Senator Fessenden has written a letter avowing that he now favors impeachment, and that he has written a letter on which the original statement was based came from an intimate friend of the Senator, and represented him as favoring impeachment.

Gen. Howard has returned to Washington and resumed the duties of the head of the Freedmen's Bureau, where he is likely to remain for the present.

A dispatch from Owatanna, Minn., states that on Sunday last W. J. Stearnes, of the law firm of Walter & Stearnes, of Chicago, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a revolver.

Two young women while returning from an excursion party yesterday to Sandusky, were caught in the coil of the steamer's stern line, and each of them lost a leg.

In order to reduce still further the expenses of the War Department, recruiting and disbursing agents will hereafter report by mail, and safety was the telegraph in great emergencies.

KAVANAUH, Democrat, is elected to Congress from Illinois in Shelf Illinois, by a majority. The Legislature is almost unanimously Democratic.

The difficulty between Peru and Brazil threatens to assume a serious character. The army of Bolivia, with which Peru is at odds, was encamped near Lopez, the Brazilian delegate, being personally in command.

A telegram from New Orleans reports that Billy Sweeney is playing the banjo with Le Brae's Minstrels. The negro Harry Stanley, is dead, and Stanley Scott and Billy Sweeney are supported to live.

The President is reported as having told Gen. Steedman that he does not intend to make any changes in Reconstruction measures at present, but that if he should do so he would appoint General Grant or Granger to take charge of the matter.

A Washington dispatch says: "A duel is threatened as the result of the recent election in this city. Republicans are jubilant over their victory, and the difficulty immediately arises out of the fact that one of these parties will be disappointed in the face. Nobody's woman is in it.

The Dubuque (Iowa) Herald, in speaking of the election in Montana says: "Old Virginia never will make the expedition of Jesse D. Bright to the Democratic Convention, and hold his seat a "thing of beauty."

The New York Times has received from Memphis a letter from Parson Brownlow, in which he says the operations of the worm will cut off the crop considered to one-half of what was counted on a few weeks ago.

The lightning melted a ring from the finger of a lady at Williamstown, Mass., the other day.

GRAND DISTRIBUTION.

$250 PREMIUMS AMOUNTING TO $53,950
AND
ONE GRAND SCHEME
Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing AID SOCIETY,
AT VICKSBURG, MISS.

Chartered by an act of the Legislature of Mississippi, passed Feb. 14th, 1867.

The following receipt from the State Treasurer exhibits the fact that the Society has paid into the State Treasury the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS for the benefit of the

STATE UNIVERSITY.

COPY OF RECEIPT.

No. 1271 STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, $25,000

State Treasury, Jackson, Miss.

Received of W. D. Lyles, Pres't, per C. H. Wells, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars in full of Auditor's Receipt Warrant, No. 327, dated July 15th, A. D. 1867, in his favor on account of University of Mississippi, under 6th section of act of Feb. 16, 1867, entitled an act incorporating the Educational, Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Societies.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th July, A. D. 1867.

JOHN R. SCROGGS,
State Treasurer.

To the three Preliminary Distributions and Grand Scheme, there will be distributed 250 Premiums amounting to $53,950 in 9,000 CERTIFICATES.

Premiums from $30 to $30,000

First Preliminary Distribution.
SEPTEMBER 18, 1867.

1 Premium of		$10,000	$10,000
2	"	5,000	10,000
4	"	2,500	10,000
8	"	1,000	8,000
10	"	500	5,000
250	"	30	7,500
			50,500

600 Premiums amounting to.....$50,500

Second Preliminary Distribution.
OCTOBER 16th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$6,000	$6,000
3	"	3,000	9,000
5	"	1,500	7,500
10	"	500	5,000
20	"	250	5,000
30	"	100	3,000
180	"	30	5,400
			40,900

450 Premiums amounting to.....$40,950

Third Preliminary Distribution.
NOVEMBER 13th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$6,000	$6,000
3	"	3,000	9,000
5	"	2,000	2,000
10	"	1,000	10,000
20	"	500	10,000
30	"	250	7,500
180	"	100	18,000
			72,500

500 Premiums, amounting to.....$46,500

GRAND SCHEME.
DECEMBER 11th, 1867.

1 Premium of		$30,000	$30,000
1	"	15,000	15,000
1	"	10,000	10,000
1	"	5,000	5,000
2	"	2,000	4,000
5	"	1,000	5,000
15	"	500	7,500
25	"	250	6,250
200	"	100	20,000
			70 =99,750

1000 Premiums amounting to.....$133,950

Whole Certificates, $20; 1st Instalment, $10.00
Halves, $10; " " 5.00
Quarters, $5; " " 2.50
Eighths, $2.50; " " 1.25

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ALBERT BARNES, Sec'y.
K. T. R. CHADWICK, Agent,
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Will faithfully attend to orders and consignments.

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 3.23 P. M.
" " down " ..... 6.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.50 P. M.
" arrives " 6.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11: A. M. Enterprise 1:05 P. M. Meridian 2:33 P. M. Marion 5:05 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Columbus 7:30 P. M. Corinth 7:50 A. M. Humboldt 8:30 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10:5 A. M. Louisville 472 miles, time 36 hours and 30 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 5 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2:30 P. M. Corinth 3:05 P. M. Okolona 4:30 P. M. Artesia 1:45 A. M. Macon 3:05 A. M. Meridian 6:35 A. M. Enterprise 7:50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3:10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" " arrives ..... 5.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:30 p. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8:35 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 3:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:10 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, make quick time and sure connections by taking Selma, Rome & Dalton Railroad, connecting at Jackson, Miss., with trains on N. O., J. & G. R. Railroad; at Canton with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi Central Railroad.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Grenada daily at 11:45 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 5:45 a. m. and 3:45 p. m. making close connections with Louisville, Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points north.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Memphis daily at 10:30 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 4:30 p. m. and 3:00 a. m. making close connections with Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

BVT. MAJ. THOMAS H. NORTON, U.S.A.
Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. Inspector of Registration, Commanding Post.

1st LIEUT. THOMAS L. NYE,
34th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

2ND LIEUT. W. O. CORE,
34th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

ACT. ASST. SURG. R. H. WALKER, U.S.A.
Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS,
Agent B. R. F. and A. L. at Head-qrs. Sub-District, Meridian.

CAPT. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C.
Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they can claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Agne Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, uses equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot understand why such remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician.

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler; Butler's Grammar; Towne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geology.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to procure a supply of these books for their pupils.—With the exception of the Geology, which is just being issued from the press, these books are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but as regards schools off the lines of the railroads, a difficulty will occur unless provision is made for them. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to aid the association in its work, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, stating the number of books likely to be needed. Our acquaintance with the members of that house, warrants us in assuring teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every reasonable request complied with.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick, the old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours. Those who call on Chadwick's medicine are fresh and no experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded.

MERIDIAN FEMALE COLLEGE will open its third year, first Monday in September. See advertisement in another column for charges. Professor Bamberlin says he will be compelled to require payment monthly in advance for city pupils, and every pupil must be in advance for boarding. Persons desiring some other special arrangement can confer with him at the time of opening.

We are glad the College rooms are all nicely painted and white-hard finish, so that comfort and elegance within are at once combined.

Arrangements for warming the rooms are also complete. The Faculty of instruction we are assured too, will be thoroughly efficient in every department. The Boarding House is also ready, and will accommodate a large number of boarders under the immediate care of the Principal and his lady. No boys are to be received into the College hereafter.

Maj. Roberts of the house of Brosch, Brown & Co., and Mr. L. A. Duncan, of the firm of Duncan, Hart & Benton, have just returned from Louisville, where they purchased large stocks of groceries &c. &c. for their houses. Their goods are now coming in and those wishing to secure some of the recent purchases would do well to call at either of these houses.

Cotton is coming in quite rapidly. We noticed a quantity receiving the internal revenue officers passport yesterday, and Thursday we understand over two hundred bales passed down on the Mobile road.

We regret to learn of the death of L. S. O. G. Greer, which sad event occurred at Livingston, Alabama, on Thursday evening. Mr. Greer was an old and, prominent citizen of this place and highly esteemed by everybody. We presume his remains will be brought here for interment.

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Pressing duties prevented Gen. Grant from visiting Andersonville.

The Herald's special says: "In view of subsequent trouble with the President there is a manifest disposition on the part of the Radicals to cultivate Grant."

Secretary Seward goes home from Auburn.

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Everybody is invited to come. We want you to come and see what we are doing for the Orphans. We want you to come and see what the Orphans are doing for themselves. You will be expected to help with your own supplies for the occasion, and to have a little left for the Orphans at the Home. Those who cannot bring with you to assist in feeding and clothing the Orphans during the approaching Fall and Winter will also be kindly received. Come then, come one and all, and do not come with empty hands, but with full ones. Let us show to the destitute little sufferers that we are not forgotten them. You will be entertained with good music, and the Orphans Mobile & Ohio Railroad will take you there and return you for one fare. Arrangements are being made with other roads to do the same. The orphans expect you.

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YOUNG LADIES'
High School.
L. GOELD, A. M., Principal.

The second annual term of this institution, commencing on the first Monday in September, will be divided into two sessions. The first session, of three months, will commence on Monday, the 2d of September, and the second, of four months, on the 2d December following. The second session, of six months, will commence on the 2d Monday in January and close with a public examination in the month of June.

Charges per Month:

Primary Department	$1 50
Intermediate Department	2 00
Higher English Dep't	3 00
Classical and Modern Languages, English included	4 00
Music on Piano and Guitar, each	5 00
Drawing and Painting, each	5 00
Board, exclusive of washing, fuel and lights	16 00

Bills of tuition must be paid monthly in advance. No deduction will be made for absence, except in cases of protracted illness. For the accommodation of those who have sons to educate, a male Department will be connected with the school, under the same regulations and regulations, and young men, desirous of preparing for college or for teaching, will receive particular attention.

Meridian, Aug. 24, 1867.—sawtf

C. C. NETTLES'
NEW SHOP.

FOR the manufacturing of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters, and for every thing else connected in this line, as cheap as can be done in the city of New Orleans, and of the very best material. Repairing and durabili ty my work cannot be excelled. Anything else can be repaired here.

Please call and see my work before trading elsewhere. My shop is opposite the A. B. Smith's carriage and Wagon factory.

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HAVE for sale a No. 1 Portable Engine and Saw Mill complete, which can be seen at the Mystic Iron Works. Having been thoroughly repaired, we can better conditions and warrant them when new. Any one wishing to purchase can call and examine for themselves. All the Foundry. sept1-sawtf.

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E. V. EARLY, General Insurance Agent, Refers to [illegible], representing the following companies in the United States. Call and have your business transacted, as a matter of [illegible] and dangers increasing. sept1-sawtf

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ALL work in my line will be done on the best of terms and with the latest styles and fashions. Gentlemen can get garments cut and made up at the lowest and most approved style, and at very reasonable prices.

Cleaning, repairing and altering neatly done. A share of public patronage is solicited

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LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber in consequence of declining health, and the desire to be near his children, he now resides. The tract contains eight hundred acres, with some four hundred and fifty in cultivation, lies immediately on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, about half way between Meridian and Okolona, and nearly all good and productive Okatibbee bottom, and all level and available for cultivation. If no disaster happens to the crops now growing, he will take for the place what the crop will be worth. The improvements are good and in good condition, and he is now building a new gin house and press &c. It is also well watered and has on two sides a good range for cattle and hogs, and is altogether a pleasant and valuable location.

He is also authorized to sell 240 acre of good level land adjoining, with about two acres in a house on the premises, which is now occupied by Jas. Belonging to Col. B. R. Lewis. These two tracts will be sold jointly or separately to suit purchasers, and the subscriber will divide the tract to effect a sale, if not sold as a whole before the 1st of October next. He will also dispose of several mules and horses and a quantity of corn. There is an abundant supply of good laborers with their families on the premises and anxious to remain. For further information apply to me on the premises or address me at Enterprise, Mississippi.

PEYTON KING.
Enterprise, Miss., Aug 14, 1867 swtf

AN APPETIZER USE RED JACKET BITTERS

GARDEN SEEDS.

E. TIEGIN, successor to D. Maupay, Dealer in Garden, Field and Flower Seeds, between Camp and Magazine, sts., New Orleans. aug2tly

SOUTHERN FAMILY SEWING MACHINES.
The noiseless machines of Wilcox & Gibbs, for family use, felt, braid, tuck, hem, gather, cord, and embroider, with satisfaction. Agents wanted at No. 3 St. Charles street. Agency at Meridian.

MAYER BROTHERS, Manufacturers of Tobacco, Cigars; Dealers in Chewing and Leaf tobacco, 21 Tchoupitoulas street, between Gravier and Common, New Orleans.

CARPET WAREHOUSE. A. BROUSSEAD & CO., 17 Chartres street, Importers and Dealers, Wholesale and Retail. Offer at low prices Carpets, Oil Cloths, Matting, Window Shades, Table and Piano Covers, Curtains, Lace, Muslins, Cornices may2tly

A. S. BRENNAN & CO., old firm of Hyde & Brennan, Manufacturers and Importers of Fancy Jewelry, Silver-Ware, Cutlery, Guns and Pistols, No. 39 Camp street, New Orleans. nov1ly

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For sale by all druggists, grocers and wine dealers throughout the world. aug2tly

VEGETABLE REMEDIES.

IT is difficult to account for the perversity of men in their search after bad and worthless things, in search of curatives, when all the best and safest remedies are within their reach. Some power, or inspired writers, who is not to be supposed to have derived their knowledge directly from the Fountain of all Truth, recommend none other than vegetable remedies. "The tree, we are told," was made for the healing of the nations." When King David inspired said "He has "Balm of Gilead that makes glad his strength" a poultice of figs cured the sick Hezekiah; all dispensed from the Syrian olive was poured into the hurts of the wounded man by the Samaritan Samaritan, myrrh and aloes were purgatives of the prophetic age, and the pure, fermented juice of the grape raises had not then been adulterated was taken by Timothy "for its stomach's sake." If all the remedies we have just named be for the healings of the nations, is it likely that the virtues of Mercury, which have been hidden from the patriarchs!

The institutes of the brute creation teach them how to doctor themselves, and they invariably stick to vegetable medications. The sagacious wolf when bitten by a deadly serpent eats of a certain herb, and thereby neutralizes the virus injected into its veins; the sick dog eats grass; and many other animals of the lower family which never were in the place of nausea find balsams for their injuries and sicknesses in the woods and fields.

These indications that the Vegetable Kingdom is the true Materia Medica are corroborated by daily experience, and the time is not far distant when this fact will be universally admitted.

Without disparagement to other botanical remedies, it may be fairly claimed that the combination of vegetable virtues and restorative in the

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

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PRESERVATIVE MEDICINE;

in other words its effect is to preserve the physical powers to their full vigor beyond that period when unassisted they are subject to decay and the first stages of decay. As a stomachic it is altogether the best known. Its depurative regulates in particular; evident in bilious cases, in which it seems to purge the whole system and manufactures a healthy circulation. Certainly there is no remedy for the purified tonic corrective which more completely removes the effluvia of intestinal treatment

APPETIZING PROPERTIES OF THE BITTERS.

A medicine that excites appetite without producing indigestion is a valuable remedy. Its effect is to impose a task on the stomach which it is unable to perform. Such is not the case with the preparation of that organ and of its dependents the liver and the bowels. The operation of

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is very different from that. The preparation invigorates appetite and invigorates and completes the digestive process at the same time. Hence when indigestion or the imperfection of the taste or stomach has dogged for food is combined with gastric weakness, the Bitters are invaluable. They are a powerful restorative removes the causes difficulties. It is not a tonic that does its work by halves.

LADIES IN DELICATE HEALTH

WILL FIND

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Sickly wives and mothers are advised to give the medicine a trial. They are earnestly assured that it contains no ingredient that can possibly do any harm to the feeblest of their sex while it can undoubtedly contains the invigorating principle which their constitutions require.

Let these beware of the artificial drops and tinctures which are offered for sale as bitters. All these medicines are mainly composed of common alcohol, and are therefore highly pernicious. Alcohol in small doses as tonics are still worse, being all deteriorated with poisonous drugs

HURLEY'S
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PROSPECTUS

OF THE

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The undersigned proposes to issue a daily paper from this office, about the first of October, with the above title. The commercial importance of Meridian, its rapidly increasing population and its prosperity, almost without a parallel in the South, induced us to believe that the public would liberally sustain and support a daily paper at this place. There is no reason why Meridian, with its railroad advantages, and its greatly increasing wealth, should not maintain a daily newspaper that in size, appearance, mechanical execution and industrial management would take rank with the dailies of our neighboring cities. We believe a daily will more prosperly represent the great interests of the city at home and abroad, and give greater aid to its friends in its rapid improvement than the Semi-Weekly and Weekly we now publish. We promise all that industry and energy can accomplish will be employed to make it an exponent of the enterprise and public spirit of this section of the State. The Daily Gazette will give the latest telegraphic news and market reports eight to twelve hours earlier than they can be seen in any other paper, and will be specially valuable to merchants and business men in this and the neighboring towns.

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The Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

The recent assaults made upon this road and its managers has drawn forth a long letter of explanation from the President, Hon. Abram Murdock. In consequence of the length we extract from it only such as may be found necessary to refute Mr. Murdock's letter:

The present directors of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad were elected in April last, and the road was not completed to the city of Mobile until the 1st of July following. They are now of the opinion that the road is unfinished, and that the public have a right to demand that it be put in such condition as to secure the most prompt and regular transportation of passengers and freight. The present directors do not think that the road is in such condition, and will not be, until the following improvements are made, viz: The completion of the Tombigbee River bridge, the completion of the road to Selma, the completion of the road to Meridian, the completion of the road to Okolona, the completion of the road to Columbus, the completion of the road to Corinth, the completion of the road to Jackson, Tenn., and the completion of the road to Cairo, Ill. The directors do not think that the road is in such condition as to secure the most prompt and regular transportation of passengers and freight

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Letter from "Enquirer."

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19th, '67.

The coming election in this State is exciting unusual interest. The Democratic gain in California, Maine, and wherever elections recently occurred, have alarmed the Republican leaders, and they are making a terrible struggle for Pennsylvania. On the other hand the Democrats have every incentive to activity.—Defeated so often, they were hardly prepared for the recent victories in California and Montana. But these grand results, considering the odds against the Democracy, have given them joy and encouragement, while they have carried dismay to the Radicals. Forney has been hastily recalled from Europe, and is now at Washington busily at work for "my two papers, both daily," and we may expect all sorts of sensational articles in the Chronicle and Press. His letters, signed "Occasional," have been resumed, and he is fairly boiling over with wrath at bolting Republicans who can't stand "nigger" equality. I regard the result of the election here as doubtful, but only so because the the people of Pennsylvania don't understand the true state of affairs at the South. Every thing indicates clearly that the white people of the North are not prepared to give up the Southern States to negro supremacy, and whenever they see that such will be the effect of the military bills, the party who forced them on the country, will be repudiated by an overwhelming majority. The fabrications and perdistent perversion of facts that fill the Republican papers, deceive thousands of well meaning people, and no sudden change in the Northern States can be expected. As an example of the way in which the blessings to the South of negro emancipation are represented, I cull the following from Forney in yesterday's Press:

The freedmen and the consequent citizenship of the colored men of the South have added incalculably to the wealth of that section, and therefore to the wealth of the whole country. There is not an old slaveholder who will deny that the colored race are more industrious and faithful than ever before; that they labor with more heart because they receive wages for their work for the first time, and that in proportion as they are elevating themselves they are enriching their former masters. In some very distinguished cases, intelligent southerners have gratefully declared that the act of emancipation was a political, social and commercial blessing, that while it may have deprived politicians of power, it justified the wisdom of its framers, lifted a terrible burden from the consciences of thousands of men and women, and opened the highway to them to a healthier and more prosperous trade. How long will intelligent Republicans be deluded by accusations of which the very people themselves direct their condemnation? Are the Southern people fitted for eternal slavery in barbarism and slavery?

Such statements as the above pass for gospel truth with the Republicans here. The Radicals are making great efforts to press Grant into their service, but so far we do, not think they have succeeded. He seems to be determined to take no part in politics and gives his entire duties to the office of Commanding General. No matter what Grant's opinions are, his course in this is right, and it will strengthen him with the people.

But nothing can save Grant from the impertinence of such political hacks as Forney. This morning I found in the Press the following special dispatch from Washington, italicized and double-leaded, intended to convey the impression that Grant is with Congress, but which is really so indefinite as to amount to nothing:

"I am convinced that the people of the United States have never had more abundant reason for gratitude to General Grant, and for reposing the fullest confidence in his intrepid patriotism, than they have at the present moment. General Thayer, senator in Congress from Nebraska, who was in command of the first Nebraska regiment, and reported to General Grant while he was stationed at Pilot Knob, Missouri, in August of 1861, where he received his first commission as brigadier general, and between whom the most intimate relations have existed ever since, is now in Washington, and this morning had a long interview with General Grant. Senator Thayer possesses the entire confidence of our friends in Congress, and cordially endorses the opinion expressed in the first sentence of this dispatch. J. W. F.

If Forney can get no better evidence of Grant's Republicanism than such generalities as the above, it may be reasonably inferred, that the testimony on that side is weak.

Philadelphia is the most beautiful city I have seen. Its streets are wide, and filled with handsome buildings. I dont find the intolerable din, confusion, and dense throng of human beings that are'seen in New York. The city is quiet and orderly, and well deserves the appellation of the "Quaker City." The Ledger office is a magnificent building; not quite as fine and showy as the New York Herald, but longer and fully equal to it in most respects. My next will be written from New York. ENQUIRER.

IMPORTANT TO BANKRUPTS.—All persons desiring or who are thinking about taking advantage of the Bankrupt Law of the United States should present their claims they take advantage of that law before July 1st, 1868, they cannot do so unless their property will pay 50 cents on the dollar on their indebtedness.

Law and Order, Versus Fanatical Fury.

The Democrats and Conservatives of the North are laboring earnestly and unceasingly for the triumphant success of their ticket at the coming elections. The status of each party is distinctly set forth. Universal freedom and universal suffrage, with all the despotic enactments inseparable therefrom, is inscribed upon the Radical banner. Finance, economy, taxation, business, industry, reunion, prosperity, the constitution and suffrage regulated by law, are the incentives of the Conservative party. It is needless to say that the enemies of a strong hereditary government are meeting with unexpected success. Constitutional freedom seems to be marching on, and those who would prostitute the name of liberty, are trembling at the array of battle. Connecticut gives a majority of 3,000 for law and order, and a strict observance of the Constitution; Kentucky puts down 20,000 against political villiany; New Hampshire 5,000; Rhode Island 2,000; Vermont 5,000; California 20,000; Maine 14,000; Montana 1,000. Making altogether, nearly eighty thousand in round numbers since last spring. That this unexpected reaction should startle the Radical party is not surprising. The result gives a strong and unmistakable evidence of a reaction against the revolutionary movement; and it is evident, the same influences which forced the people to cut loose from the Radical hulk in the States above enumerated, are equally operating in Ohio, New York, Pennsylvania and other States, where similar changes may be anticipated at the fall and winter. To use the language of George Wilkes' intensely Radical Spirit of the Times, "the Republican majority in Congress, heedless of the lessons of history, and heedless of the inexorable laws of revolution, has taken its course and must abide the inevitable penalties of error. Those erratic philosophers within its ranks who are already sighing that its majority is too large, need sigh no more. The President will be specially reinforced, not only by the reconstructed South, but by sufficient defections from the Republican party, to put an end to the two-thirds votes which heretofore embarrassed him. In the mean time, we of the South must watch, work and trust no party. We have nothing to do with the present crisis in our national affairs; we can only do that which our judgment dictates as best, under the law. If radicalism falls this winter, we can set our section right when the constitution comes up for ratification, and thus keep out of Congress until a broad and liberal policy is inaugurated by the Forty-First Congress, in March 1869. Should Mr. Johnson fail however, to become master of the situation, there will be no alternative left but to submit to the terms offered.

Congressional Profligacy

The expenditures of the government are appalling. The burdens of taxation are causing a close scrutiny into the lavish expenditure of public money by Congress and Mr. Boutwell, and every week some new and startling account is revealed. The latest we have seen is a detailed statement of payments from the contingent fund of the Senate during the year 1866. The Senate, it is to be remembered, is composed at present, of fifty-six members. These gentlemen received 504 pocket-knives and 405 pen-knives, at a cost of $232.20. They also made the government pay for 503 pairs of shears, about 11 pair cuffs, three hundred and twenty-five dollars worth of sponges, 7.16 pair of slippers, about 22 pair coats, at a little over $14 a pair; 219 pair of kid gloves, about 4 pairs each, at $2.50 a pair; 115 diaries; 290 portfolios, nearly six each, at about $4; 446 pocket books, 8 each, at about $2.50; 300 brushes; 556 pincushions; 1,085 boxes of pens; 2,800 lead pencils; three thousand five-hundred dollars worth of newspapers and magazines; 2,870 reams of paper; 1,807,450 envelopes. Then followers a list of paperweights, corks or rows, cords, erasers, leather dusters, chamois skins, folders, rubber slippers, blank-books, ink-stands, cyclet machines, pamphlet-cases, copy-books, paper-files, pen-racks, stationery cases, gold pens, dies, key rings, match cases, fluids, silk tasts, card-cases, memorandum-books, combs, colognes, soap-pomade, toilet powder, &c. Altogether enough to supply all their friends, or to set up variety stores in the country. The same reckless extravagance is practiced in the lower House, where men draw from the treasury an allowance in greenbacks for "stationery," sufficient it is asserted, to enable them to live in luxury and ease for years. The War department seems to have been as corrupt as Congress. The sum of $450,000 was paid for the old steamship Illinois, appraised at $60,000 about the time important elections were to take place. She never was used by the government, and could only be gotten out of the way by letting the authorities of New York have her for quarantine purposes. Then the payment of millions of dollars to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for services never rendered, shows how corrupt and rotten a government we are supporting. No wonder the President is trembling from office those depraved and reckless partisans. The people have already proclaimed from Maine to California, "well done thou good and faithful servant," and other and louder sounds of endorsement and reformation are to come utterance in the great and central States at the October and November elections.

English exchanges notice a writing machine, invented by a Mr. Pratt, of Alabama, exhibited before the Society of Arts, in London, which promises to relieve the weary fingers of editors and other like craftsmen. It has keys like a piano, corresponding to the letters of the alphabet, and the motion of the keys make impressions on carbonized paper, which is adjusted and changed by other contrivances in the machine.

The Brandon Republican says that the extreme course of Republicans in leaving their late State Convention, has driven the conservative element, to abandon the Republican party. He reasons his place in the ranks of the Conservative Restoration leaders.

The President's Views on the State of the Country.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston Post, recently had an interview with the President, relative to the practical bearing of the amnesty proclamation. Mr. Johnson stated that there were two parties in the country, one acting within constitutional limits, and the other openly professing to act outside the constitution. Its purpose was to call the attention of each and every officer and employee of the government to this fact, that he might clearly understand his duty, and, understanding, perform it. Our constitution, he said, was the citadel of our freedom, the wall which environs and protects us all—But another purpose which he had in view was to assure the country that the authority of the Federal judiciary would be unhinderingly maintained in all the States. The effect of the amnesty was to restore the parties to all their rights under them precisely where they were before the war. The suffrage question was one to be determined by the courts, and not by the executive branch of the government." In alluding to the future, he said he had no idea what Congress would do, but he believed the people would insist that their government was not subverted and destroyed. So far as he was concerned, he should exercise every constitutional power in its defence, but that the great controlling power was in the hands of the people themselves, and his firm conviction was, that they would use it wisely and efficiently. The late elections in California and Maine served only to fix his confidence in the sober second thought of the people." We are glad to find that the President so determined and hopeful—"The mills of the Gods grind slowly, but they grind exceedingly fine."

THE ELECTION IN GEORGIA.—Gen. Pope's circular has been published, ordering an election to be held in Georgia, commencing Tuesday, the 29th of October, and continuing three days, at which registered voters may vote for a convention or against a convention, and for delegates to constitute said convention in case a majority of the voters so decide. Senatorial districts, as established by State laws, are adopted for the purposes of representation; the Convention to consist of one hundred and sixty-nine delegates. The instructions are generally the same as those issued for an election in Alabama.

In New Orleans municipal affairs are pretty well mixed. Of four recorders elected the other day, three were negroes, and the fourth a mulatto, says the Times. As of no questionable a hue, that all the rains that have fallen since the deluge, could not wash him so as to make him acceptable to the white tax payers. Both the City Physicians elected were negroes, but one refused to serve, and in the many was then elected. The keeper of the city Park, and porter of the City Hall are both negroes who had their white opponents. The Times intimates that it will soon be unlawful in that city for a white man to be a candidate for office.

The National Intelligencer contradicts by authority of the President, the story that orders will be issued for the reopening of registration in the Southern States. The President, while maintaining with his Cabinet, that the Executive possesses no the individual pardoned by it all of his civil and political rights, holds at the same time that it is not the province of the Executive to secure the right of suffrage to such as are pardoned, in the face of the positive Congressional prohibition contained in section seven of the July Presumation act. Their remedy is in the courts, when they are refused registration.

An Important Letter.

We direct attention to the following letter which we find in the Vicksburg Times. The inducements offered by Dr. Emanuel to transport freight over the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad, are much more favorable than any heretofore presented to our merchants. Dr. Emanuel is a gentleman of large business relations with Maj. Flowerree, at Vicksburg. The Major will ship pimetually, and buyers can get the congealed fluid by the passenger train every day, at sixty cents per hundred:

We have received the following letter from Dr. M. Emanuel, President of the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad, which we publish with much pleasure, as it comes to us fresh from an unjust imputation. The letter explains itself sufficiently, without any comment:

VICKSBURG, Miss., Sept. 20, 1867.

Mr. Editor:—I shall call you for calling my attention to the statement in your morning's paper, taken from the Meridian Gazette of the 18th, complaining that the Express Company charged $4.35 on a barrel of ice from Vicksburg to Meridian, and on account of the high charges, the Meridian ice dealers were compelled to get their ice from Mobile. Our Company charges *eighty cents* a barrel for ice, and will transport 500 pounds for ice forwarded to Meridian, and we make an exception in favor of ice for obvious reasons, and put it at regular rates on our passenger trains.

This explanation should satisfy those who are concerned, that there is no just ground of complaint against the Railroad Company, on account of the grievance complained of.

Formerly we had an arrangement with the Express Company, by which we paid them us like for the use of a half of a freight car on our passenger train, and they charged what they pleased on their freight. That Company demanded a great or reduction on the car hire than our Company was willing to submit to, and they kept on by the hundred pounds; and, therefore, this Company can afford to carry ice cheaper than the Express Company.

Yours, respectfully,

M. EMANUEL, Pres't.

We see that Mr. Hamberlin, the President of the "Meridian Female College," has proposed to offer the benefits of a full course of instruction to a limited number of indigent children, such as the Masonic Lodge of Meridian may select. This is a truly charitable and praiseworthy proposition, and will doubtless prove a great blessing to many parents in and about Meridian who are too poor to pay for the tuition of their daughters and yet who have the talent educational. Every school college in the State, both male and female, should follow the noble example of Mr. Hamberlin. By this means many poor girls who would otherwise grow up in ignorance, through poverty, will be brought under the benefits of a liberal education, and thereby become useful members of society, and the means of good and virtuous mothers.

The negro suffrage bill in the Carolinas, S. C. registration is 1,501 over the whites.

Physical Vigor,

Physical vigor is the main safeguard of health. It repels and fights off the morbid elements which superindnce disease. The grand question, therefore, is, how shall this republican power be increased where it is but feeble, and acquired where it is scarce or exists at all? There was a time when this question could not be satisfactorily answered. But the problem is now solved. It has been proved by the experience of more than fourteen years that. Hostetter's Bitters so thoroughly reinforce both the constitution and the secretive and the nervous systems as to render the body comparatively invulnerable to the unwholesome influences which prostrate so many thousands on beds of sickness, in various parts of the world, at all seasons of the year. As an invigorating, regulating and restorative preparation, suited to all climates and to all constitutions, it stands ALONE among modern medicines. It is the only tonic of which the stimulating principle is perfectly pure. Its basis is the essential principle of sound Rye, admitted by analytical chemists and medical practitioners to be the most genial and harmless of stimuli; and this fluid is purged of all the crudities which belong to it as it comes from the manufacturer, before being used in the composition of the Bitters. The alterative, corrective and restorative properties of the preparation are derived exclusively from roots and plants the virtues of which are acknowledged by pharmaceutists and physicians, and which are often prescribed separately by the profession. Never however, were these invaluable vegetable agents combined for preventure and remedial purposes until the happy compound, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, was given to the world.

Indigestion—Dyspepsia. Progress has its penalties. As the world advances in civilization, it becomes more luxurious and the digestive organs of the body seem to be an inseparable accompaniment of the cultivation of the mind. This ought not to be, but it is and no argument can alter the fact, though wholesome advice and judicious precautionary and remedial treatment may mitigate the evil. Savages, we are told, are not troubled with dyspepsia; but this dictum is open to doubt. Privation and hardship, as well as high living and dissipation, engender the disease and it would therefore seem that the men of the wilderness, as well as the dweller in cities, must be more or less subject to it. One thing, however, is certain; in no country under heaven is it so prevalent as in the United States. Here the disease has become domesticated, and it is to be found in almost every household; and consequently, a Household Remedy for Dyspepsia of inestimable value to the American people.

Dyspepsia involves greater suffering; and, if not in itself immediately dangerous, it is the forerunner and source of many deadly maladies. But even if it did not tend to shorten life—which it undoubtedly does—the mental and physical misery which it produces and which results from the comparatively unenjoyable, is a sufficient reason why no pains should be spared in the effort to prevent and cure it.

Physicians, as a general rule, admit that no disease gives them so much trouble as dyspepsia, and they attribute the difficulty of curing it to the unwillingness of their patients to abandon the habits which are at once the excessive appliention to business, lastiness in eating, &c., &c. It is no doubt true that the best treatment of a complaint may fail to cure it. If the patient refuses to exercise common prudence. We will not say that what we called the official remedies for dyspepsia do not under any circumstances produce permanent relief, but on the other hand is a fact established by thousands of creditable witnesses, whose testimony is simply a statement of their own experiences, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure the malady, and that an occasional use of the preparation after the cure has been effected is a perpetual safeguard against the recurrence of the complaint. This account many intelligent members of the faculty have abandoned all the stereotyped prescriptions of the pharmacopoeia of the King of Chills four or five times a day. Do not forget the name, Dumont & Cox, KING OF CHILLS. Price $1.00. Sold by all Druggists.

J. P. DROMGOOLE & CO., Proprietors, Memphis.

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YOUR WIFE

Possesses charms in proportion to her health, and she becomes a husband's love by the interest he manifests in her welfare while she is sick. Now, if you wish to retain in fact your wife's love and affection unabated, you must see that she regains her health and former beauty, you should by all means procure a bottle of

English Female Bitters,

A compound that is actually restoring health to more sickly females than all other remedies combined. It is a positive remedy for Uterine Complaints peculiar to the female sex. It is invaluable in Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Hysteria, as it is no secret nor patent, and effects cures *none else can accomplish.* Sold by druggists.

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Have long needed a medicine that would relieve them of all those Female Complaints and irregularities to which they are subject. Introduced all over the Southern country, and they can now confidently rely upon Dr. Hostetter's English Female Bitters. It arouses, restores and regulates. Its cures are rapid and permanent. It tranlates all painful Menstruation, Hysterics, Leucorrhœa or "Whites," Falling of the Womb, Chronic Ulcers of the Womb, Chlorosis, and all those symptoms which follow, this unfortunate class of females.

That Young Girl,

Whose bloom has departed from her cheeks; whose eye has lost its lustre; whose intellect has lost its brightness; whose nervous system is shattered and despair; who is pale, emaciated, feeble, lifeless, requires only palpitation of the heart, nervousness of the head, cold feet and hands, only to be restored to health and happiness by using the English Female Bitters.

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As you value your life, and health, and personal charms, do not suffer another month. The English Female Bitters will positively cure you. Sold by druggists.

Valuable Property for Sale.

A HOUSE AND THREE ACRES OF LAND in the corporate limits of Meridian—well and barred, and a fine young orchard of choice fruit trees. The place fronts 180 feet on the Railroad, and is certainly a very desirable one. Also a lifteen and 200 acres of fine land within 1½ miles of Hickory, 160 of which is a fine body of cultivation, well watered, timbered, &c., lies immediately on the Rail road.

This property lies 2miles east of the city of Meridian on Southern Railroad.

W. HARRISON & GALLAGHER, At'ys at Law and real estate Agents.

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Notice.

THE firm of Maguire & Sadtler dissolved partnership on the 14th of August. The Market is now in the name of I. Sadtler. All who are indebted to the late firm will please call and settle up their accounts with D. G. Maguire.

Meridian, Aug. 16, 1867.

To the Public.

THE undersigned have leased the saloon of the old Eagle Hotel, and respectfully beg leave to announce that they are now prepared to serve meals at all hours, with fresh meats of every kind at the old stand.

aug6tf J. SADDLER.

Sash, Doors and Blinds.

F. T. SANFORD wishes to inform the public that he has on hand a large lot of Sash, Doors and Blinds, which he will sell positively cheaper than they can be bought elsewhere. Call and see for yourself. No one will be sold at less than cost. Those wishing to purchase will find it to their interest to call on me at my factory, on Railroad, Meridian, Miss.

jy1tf F. T. SANFORD.

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W. E. POINDEXTER, Principal.

Calhoun, Lafayette Co., Miss., Sept. 7, '67.

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I OFFER FOR SALE my place, situated on the Railroad, one mile south of Meridian. The very best improved place for a dairy in the country. Also, my residence in the city of Meridian, with all the necessary out-buildings, and a large garden, with a variety of fruit trees. Also, my stock of cattle, consisting of milch cows, heifers and young calves. Also, my stock of hogs, consisting of brood sows, shoats and pigs. Also, my stock of horses, consisting of mares, colts and fillies. Also, my stock of mules, consisting of mares, colts and fillies. Also, my stock of sheep, consisting of ewes, lambs and bucks. Also, my stock of poultry, consisting of chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese. Also, my stock of bees, consisting of swarms and hives. Also, my stock of farming implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, &c. Also, my stock of household furniture, consisting of beds, bedsteads, tables, chairs, stoves, &c. Also, my stock of kitchen furniture, consisting of pots, ovens, skillets, &c. Also, my stock of provisions, consisting of corn, meal, flour, bacon, lard, &c. Also, my stock of groceries, consisting of sugar, coffee, tea, molasses, &c. Also, my stock of liquors, consisting of whiskey, brandy, wine, &c. Also, my stock of tobacco, consisting of chewing and smoking tobacco. Also, my stock of dry goods, consisting of calicoes, ginghams, &c. Also, my stock of boots and shoes, consisting of men's, women's and children's. Also, my stock of hats, consisting of men's, women's and children's. Also, my stock of clothing, consisting of men's, women's and children's. Also, my stock of jewelry, consisting of watches, chains, rings, &c. Also, my stock of books, consisting of school books, miscellaneous books, &c. Also, my stock of stationery, consisting of paper, pens, ink, &c. Also, my stock of drugs, consisting of medicines, &c. Also, my stock of hardware, consisting of nails, screws, &c. Also, my stock of cutlery, consisting of knives, forks, &c. Also, my stock of crockery, consisting of plates, cups, saucers, &c. Also, my stock of glassware, consisting of tumblers, wine glasses, &c. Also, my stock of tinware, consisting of pots, pans, &c. Also, my stock of woodenware, consisting of buckets, tubs, &c. Also, my stock of ironware, consisting of pots, ovens, skillets, &c. Also, my stock of leather, consisting of harness, saddles, &c. Also, my stock of rope, consisting of cotton rope, hemp rope, &c. Also, my stock of bagging, consisting of cotton bagging, hemp bagging, &c. Also, my stock of ties, consisting of cotton ties, hemp ties, &c. Also, my stock of paints, consisting of white lead, red lead, &c. Also, my stock of oils, consisting of linseed oil, castor oil, &c. Also, my stock of turpentine, consisting of spirits turpentine, &c. Also, my stock of varnish, consisting of copal varnish, &c. Also, my stock of glue, consisting of glue, &c. Also, my stock of soap, consisting of soap, &c. Also, my stock of candles, consisting of candles, &c. Also, my stock of matches, consisting of matches, &c. Also, my stock of powder, consisting of powder, &c. Also, my stock of shot, consisting of shot, &c. Also, my stock of lead, consisting of lead, &c. Also, my stock of caps, consisting of caps, &c. Also, my stock of guns, consisting of guns, &c. Also, my stock of pistols, consisting of pistols, &c. Also, my stock of knives, consisting of knives, &c. Also, my stock of forks, consisting of forks, &c. Also, my stock of spoons, consisting of spoons, &c. Also, my stock of plates, consisting of plates, &c. Also, my stock of cups, consisting of cups, &c. Also, my stock of saucers, consisting of saucers, &c. Also, my stock of tumblers, consisting of tumblers, &c. Also, my stock of wine glasses, consisting of wine glasses, &c. Also, my stock of tinware, consisting of tinware, &c. Also, my stock of woodenware, consisting of woodenware, &c. Also, my stock of ironware, consisting of ironware, &c. Also, my stock of leather, consisting of leather, &c. Also, my stock of rope, consisting of rope, &c. Also, my stock of bagging, consisting of bagging, &c. Also, my stock of ties, consisting of ties, &c. Also, my stock of paints, consisting of paints, &c. Also, my stock of oils, consisting of oils, &c. Also, my stock of turpentine, consisting of turpentine, &c. Also, my stock of varnish, consisting of

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Meridian Railroad Directory.

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Mail trains pass up at.....2.33 P. M.
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Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.30 a. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11 a. m. Enterprise 1.45 p. m. Meridian 2.33 p. m. Macon 5.53 p. m. Artesia 7 p. m. Okolona 10.5 p. m. Corinth 1.50 a. m. Humboldt 3.50 a. m. Columbus, Ky., 10.5 a. m. Distance, 472 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

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Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 a. m. Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 p. m. " Corinth 7.05 p. m. Okolona 11 p. m. " Artesia 1.45 a. m. Macon 3.05 a. m. " Meridian 6.55 a. m. Enterprise 7.50 a. m. Buckatunna 11 a. m. Mobile 3.10 p. m. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

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Trains leave Meridian.....7.30 A. M.
" arrive " .....4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma.....3.30 P. M.
" arrive " .....4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves.....7.00 A. M.
" arrives.....4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 a. m. arrives at Jackson at 8.35 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:30 p. m.

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The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to the public these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The proprietors of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors are never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bateman's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Sexton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, and using the best English Inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician.

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G. D. BUSTAMANTE.

RECOMMENDATION.

Kosciusko, Miss., Aug. 12, 1857.

CAPT. G. D. BUSTAMANTE:—*Dear Sir*:—Having known you favorably for many years, and watched with pleasure the progress you have made within the last two years in your laudable undertaking of introducing into our midst valuable and meritorious labor-saving machines in use at the North, and fully endorsing your views as to the necessities of our State for such, and believing you to be eminently qualified to succeed in this new field for business men, we take pleasure in recommending you and your enterprise to the public, and in wishing you complete success.

J. A. P. Campbell, Ct. Judge 5th Jud'l Dist.
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New York, July, '57. 322 Broadway.
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Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and sold out the

Meridian Star Brewery

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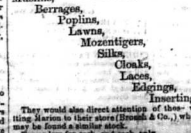

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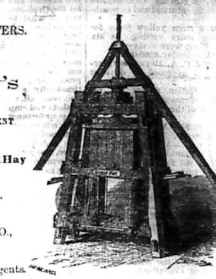

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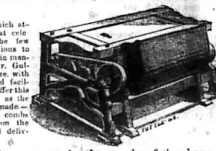

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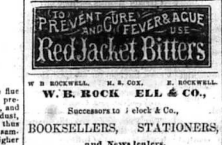

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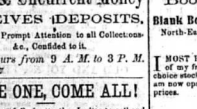

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Meridian, Aug. 31, 1867.—aug31

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Fashions for October.

So far as real change in the fashion of making clothes is concerned, there promises to be but little of novelty to record. The current has set in one direction, and the revolution which it has created is so great that it was a long time before people could believe it possible or permanent; and even now the alteration is not yet general, and has hardly penetrated the remoter districts of the country.

The fiat has gone forth, however. Narrow dresses, with the smallest hoops, or none at all, will be absolutely the rule—short for the street, long as trails can be made for visiting and ceremonious occasions.

Waists are very short; waistbands broad; skirts clinging in every respect. The styles of the old Empire are revived; and though popular modifications may be expected, yet the tendency will be altogether in this direction, and the sooner it is generally accepted the better.

The great difficulty among the masses of women appears to be in regard to the details of the costume. They will wear large hoops with short dresses and old-fashioned, full gathered skirts with gored dresses.

The introduction of the new Boulevard skirt will undoubtedly make a change.—This is the latest novelty in colored skirts, and is peculiarly and specially adapted for purposes of taste, convenience, and utility. It is made in a plain gored shape, without any full and generally adapted somely braided, so that the dress can be worn short or looped over it.

With the short length, the short dress should be made the same length, and trimmed to simulate an upper skirt.

A new walking dress is composed of a pelisse, gored plain, and buttoned straight down the front over a Boulevard skirt prettily braided. The color of the skirt and pelisse is the same, the braiding even, and in black. Brown, brown and dark olive green are both distinguished colors in connection with black. The pelisse is always made very closely to the figure.

The most fashionable sleeves are long, narrow and open, with cool sleeves beneath.

Short jackets are still worn although as winter advances they will be worn longer and more closely. The gored sack shape, with pelerine cap attached, is a novelty, and a most comfortable and useful style. It is exceedingly well adapted to country wear, and for ladies who do not wish to put off sets of furs.

The fur boa was revived last season to some extent, and will be still more fashionable this coming winter. It will be very suitable wear with the Aletic cloak, as the new pelerine garment is called.

News Items.

English engineers have already completed a railway tunnel through a volcanic range in New Zealand.

A dispatch from Centreville, Indiana, on Thursday morning, between Hon. J. W. Carmichael, formerly of the State Senate, and Hon. Schuyler Colfax over in Indianapolis. Two rounds were fired; the first resulted in a flesh wound in the arm of Mr. Colfax, but the second received the discharge in the region of his heart, and was taken from the garden by the friends of the unfortunate man. The origination from the fact that Carmichael had accused Colfax with cheating at the gaming table.

West Louisville a few days ago an unknown man jumped into the river from a Steamboat. He was thought to be insane and no one took notice of it, and he was drowned.

Numerous suits are to be brought before the courts as the delegates to the late convention test the constitutionality of the confiscation act. Eminent counsel have been retained to try the issue, including Caleb Cushing.

In New Orleans the extension of the night air from sleeping rooms is recommended. In other places physicians are recommending the same thing in districts where rain is not frequent, also to going out early in the morning.

The New Orleans papers complain of the imperfect drainage there, a fifteen minutes shower flooding the streets.

The Shakespeare Club of New Orleans has contributed the noble sum of one thousand one hundred and twenty dollars to the relief of the sufferers by yellow fever in New Iberia.

The World has been devoting its attention to the subject of ladies' dress, and argues in favor of a resurgence of American women to decide what style of dress American women shall wear.

An attempt has been made to dispense entirely with crinoline for indoor dress, but it has proved a failure. Negligee across the water—for, in Paris, very small hoops are worn—it will not be met with favor here. Hitherwards it will probably be superseded by a new skirt, made of a lighter, and more durable material.

The New York Gazette says that F. M. Finch, the author of the poem "Blue and Gray," in the last Atlantic, is an excitable and gifted young Kentucky lawyer of Indianapolis.

The Atlanta papers say that within the last three months there have been ten cases of rape in and about that city, all of them, with a solitary exception, committed by negroes. The last was that of a little girl only seven years of age, the daughter of a merchant in Atlanta, who was brutally outraged by two negro men, and afterwards strangled.

The Mobile Board of Health have published a card setting forth that there has been no case of yellow fever in that city since that of which Major Trace died—They promise the public correct and early information concerning the health of that city.

At an election in Richmond, the other day, some two hundred negro votes were not received, because those who proffered them could not swear to the time under which they were entered. What a commentary on the Radical universal doctrine.

Bazaine, who commanded the French army in Mexico, is at home, and is the popular ban; he feels it keenly, and it is confidently asserted that the matters obliquely referred to in the proceedings following of the Emperor's express commands.

A new system of telegraphic construction is proposed in England; the wires to be buried in the bed of the railroads, with proper insulation.

The delegate from Claiborne county, Mississippi, to the Radical Convention, must be in very bad health, for the Vicksburg Telegraph of the 4th says he will need another dose of blue mass on his return home.

The Philadelphia Radicals are amusing themselves by passing resolutions in favor of the impeachment of the President for daring to offer a protest to their violations of the Constitution.

A young man named Wm. Gray, while riding in the cars of the Tennessee, at Augusta, Arkansas, last week, was thrown from his horse and received injuries, from the effects of which he died.

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Meridian Daily Gazette.

The undersigned propose to issue a daily paper from this office, about the first of October, with the above title. The commercial importance of Meridian, its rapidly increasing population, and its prosperity, almost without a parallel in the South, has induced us to believe that the public would liberally sustain and support a daily paper at this place. There is no reason why Meridian, with its railroad advantages, and its greatly increasing wealth, should not maintain a daily newspaper that in size, appearance, mechanical execution and industrial management would take rank with the dailies of our neighboring cities. We believe a daily will more properly represent the great interests of the city at home and abroad, and give *greater aid to its friends* in its rapid improvement than the Semi-Weekly and Weekly we now publish. We promise all that industry and energy can accomplish will be employed to make it an exponent of the enterprise and public spirit of this section of the State. The Daily Gazette will give the latest telegraphic news and market reports eight to twelve hours earlier than they can be seen in any other paper, and will be specially valuable to merchants and business men in this and the neighboring towns.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore given the Gazette, we appeal to our patrons and friends to aid us in establishing permanently a daily paper at Meridian, and respectfully solicit that material aid without which no enterprise of the kind can succeed. Our Semi-Weekly and Weekly editions will both be continued.—Subscribers to either paper, who desire the Daily, can have their names transferred and will receive credit for the amount already paid.

The price of the Daily will be, per annum, $10.00. For one month, $1.00.

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REACTION IN NEW YORK.—The Herald says that the radical organs in that city have lost one-third of their subscribers within the past three months. This falling off is in consequence of the dissatisfaction of prudent business men and intelligent, fair-minded citizens, with the violent tirades and bloody revolutionary schemes of the extreme radicals, who are ready to plunge the country into all sorts of dangers and difficulties rather than lose possession of the spoils of the government. It is an indication of the reaction that is going on all over the Union, and that will soon appear in Pennsylvania and New York, just the same as it has been seen already in California and Maine.

REGISTRATION OF ARKANSAS.—The registration in the State of Arkansas has been completed, and the report forwarded to Gen. Ord. The registry stands :

White,	45,676
Colored	22,112
Total..	66,990

It will be seen that the white vote predominates by about two to one.

They say Assistant Attorney Binckley makes the best officer in his Department, that it has had for a long time. Since he has been acting in the place of Stanberry, it is claimed that the President has derived great pleasure and the country much profit from his ability and intrepidity.—The reason of it all is that he used to be an editor, and went from the sanctum of the Intelligencer into his present position.

The planters of Louisiana complain that they will hardly be able to pick what little cotton they may make on account of the fearfulness of the freedmen for political meetings. The same complaint comes to us from all parts of the South. The newly enfranchised want to participate in all Republican gatherings. Politics have been the bane of this country, and if the negroes keep on they will be ruined before half a decade rolls round.

At Chatawa, on the New Orleans and Jackson Railroad, a paper mill is being rapidly completed; one mile above Independence Valley and Raoul have a car manufactory, and at Hamsiond's Station, a shoe factory with extensive tanneries, are in full operation.

John Lee has been dismissed from the Board of Registrars of Rankin county, and Dr. D. A. Cobea appointed in his stead. Lee, it will be remembered, was a witness against Surratt, and during the trial a number of gentlemen testified that they would not believe him on oath. It was afterwards proved beyond a doubt Surratt was not within five hundred miles of Washington at the time Lee swore he saw him there.

WELL SUSTAIN THE CIVIL AUTHORITIES.—Is stated, upon apparently reliable information, that Chief Justice Chase has written to the President, sustaining the civil authorities in the late difficulties in North Carolina, out of which arose the conflict of authority between Gen. Sickles and Marshal Godbin.

☞ Hon. W. L. Sharkey is out in a lengthy letter defining his position on the Reconstruction bill. He regards the reconstruction policy unconstitutional, view it from whatever stand-point we may.

Harry Moss has returned to the tripod. The pleasant paragraphs will be found in the Vicksburg Telegraph hereafter. Moss loves and Moss will make a strong team, and can, that is our opinion, must prove successful. Success to prosperity to your worthy enterprise.

The Campaign North.

The reaction which recently began in New England, the stronghold of radicalism, seems to be extending to all parts of the country. All the canvass is improving in interest and dignity, and is conducted with marked ability. Improvident taxation, inequality of the financial system, the dangerous usurpations of Congress, in attempting to place sovereign States under the surveillance of committees of that body with a view to the reorganization of the Government in conformity with Congressional plans; the establishment of the most absolute and audacious military despotism in time of profound peace, over twelve millions of freemen; the inequality, of making greenbacks a legal currency among the people, and of taxing them with the difference in value between greenbacks and gold, in order to pay certain favored creditors in that more valuable currency, and the hurtful and degradation of the white race of the country, are some of the forcible grounds presented by the Conservative leaders. In Pennsylvania, both parties have marshalled all their forces. The rallies on the side of negro suffrage are opposed by the Democracy which is for rescuing the intelligence of from this class of people, and maintaining the same where it stood in *ante bellum* times. In New York the canvass is as active as elsewhere, with but little doubt of a Democratic triumph.—Minor issues are thrust aside, and the time-serving and timid, sent to the rear. The radical position is that Congress has the right and authority to regulate the elective franchise in the several States according to its own discretion and conscientiously that negro suffrage be imposed by Congressional legislation upon any State, whether the people wish it or not. The Democratic position is that Congress has nothing to do with the subject, that it belongs exclusively to the people of the State to determine who shall be voters within her limits. This is certainly a very strong fortress the conservative party have entered, and one about which there never was any dispute, until radicalism seized the reins of government. The reaction is also likely to extend to Wisconsin. Some of the most influential men of the nationality have come out in favor of social and religious freedom, and against the doctines of the Radicals. Upon this platform, a committee composed of ten Republicans and eight Democrats, last week issued an address to the Germans throughout the State, which appears to be materially interfering with the prospects of the party of great moral ideas. The bold and decisive elections, recently which occurred, and the energetic canvass now being made in the States where elections are soon to take place, are the strongest reasons for the belief that we will have a change of things even without a change of Congress—that the great voice of the people will not be disregarded by the vindictive partisans, who have, during the past few years, repeatedly disregarded the Constitution and laws. While the struggle is going on, the South must remain quiet and law-abiding; and commit no act that will check the impending disaster. When Maine and California, the Dan and Beersheba of this country, clasp hands in fraternal constitutional union, the overwhelming evidence that the doom of radicalism is sealed—that its descent will be as shocking and swift, as its progress was violent and irresistable."

The Safe Middle Ground

The friends of Reconstruction and liberty generally, met in large numbers at the Capitol in Jackson the other night, to consider the political situation, and to adopt resolutions expressive of the objects of the meeting. Judge William Yerger presided, and delivered a powerful argument in support of the policy of Reconstruction, after which a series of resolutions were reported, and adopted by acclamation. These resolutions urge the people to accept the situation; advise against hasty action, and counsel a safe middle ground. We extract from the resolutions:

4th. Resolved, That the Reconstruction party of Mississippi is a distinctive political organization, neither for secession, or connection with the extremists of the Republican party; and that as we are organized for the sole purpose of speedy reconstruction without reference to general principles of national or State politics, we cordially invite all citizens to unite with us, strictly on the basis of Reconstruction under the Congressional bill, and thus strive to rescue the State from military rule, to establish civil law and order in the country, and to reconstruct the dissevered Union of these States.

5th. Resolved, That as a means of reviving the fraternal feeling which should pervade all parts of a common country; of restoring peace, prosperity and good will; of inviting capital with its powerful agencies in rebuilding our waste places, and establishing means for the development of our natural resources, that considerations of philanthropy, patriotism and self-interest alike demand the encouragement of immigration from the Northern States, and from the nations of Europe.

6th. Resolved, That as education is the enemy of vice and the promoter of virtue we are in favor of efficient systems of public schools for all classes and colors.

7th. Resolved, That as labor is the source of all prosperity and success with States, as with individuals, it should be protected in its right to adequate reward.

8th. Resolved, That the Federal tax on cotton is unjust and oppressive to all classes of our citizens, particularly those who are engaged in agriculture, and that it is a discriminating tax against the freedmen, who have commenced life anew in an unrivaled capacity, and with no means of support but the profits of their labor; and against the whites of the South, who have been impoverished by the war—and that every consideration of justice and sound policy, requires the speedy repeal of a measure characterized by such oppressive discriminations between the people of the different States.

9th. Resolved, That we cherish no feelings of hostility towards the colored population of the State, but desire to see them to be prosperous and happy in their present condition of freedom; and shall oppose all legislation discriminating against them.

10th. Resolved, That we earnestly advise the people of all the counties in Mississippi, at once to organize county associations in harmony with the foregoing platform, and to use all proper means in advancing the work of reconstruction under the existing laws.

THE NEW ORLEANS, MOBILE AND CHATTANOOGA RAILROAD.—A corps of engineers are now in Mobile, who will proceed at once to survey the route between that city and Meridian. The survey will be commenced on Broad street Tuesday.

Revised Cotton Regulations.

The revised cotton regulations concerning the removal weighing and marking of cotton have been approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, and were telegraphed all over the country. The tax on cotton is 2½ cents per pound. Tax is a lien on the cotton till paid. Class A is cotton upon which tax has been paid; class B is cotton removed from the district of production; class C is cotton received from points not in the district where produced. Before payment of tax, the cotton must be described by these designations. Each assessor is required to keep an account with every cotton producer in his district. Metal tags for marking cotton will hereafter be required. On each tag will be stamped a letter A, number in figures and U. S. Internal Revenue. In all cases the Assessor or assistant Assessor must see cotton weighed and marked. This process does not require the immediate payment of tax on cotton, and it can be held within this district without the payment of tax, unless sold for consumption within the district. The owner can have his cotton weighed and marked at any point in the district, by paying the travelling expenses of officers. Disagreements may be referred to the Commissioner. Bad officers must not delay in proceeding to weigh cotton on account of disagreement regarding expenses. Weighers must take the oath of office prescribed by Congress, July 3d, 1867. Each bale shall be marked gross weight, with ink or paint, in large letters. Metallic tags as hereafter prescribed, shall be fixed on each bale by the assessor or assessors. Weighers must make daily returns to assessors for weighing, at 35 cents per bale, the weigher furnishing the metallic tags, for which the owner pays one fee. Cotton may be removed from the district in which it was produced to other districts without pre-payment of the tax, under bond or other security, to be prescribed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.—It is determined to substitute shipments to revenue officers, under bills of lading, for bonds as heretofore. The collector will in no case permit the owner of cotton, his agent or factor, to have actual possession of the same until the tax shall have been paid. If the tax is paid before the expiration of ninety days from the date of the assessor's permit, assessors will at once certify the amount of tax to the collector for collection, and if necessary the collector will enforce collection by distraint and sale of the cotton. Whenever tax is paid on cotton shipped under bill of lading from one district to another it will deliver to the proper person his certificate of payment and permit for removal. When owners or holders of cotton desire to pay taxes on the same before its removal from the district in which it was produced, they will be required to have the same weighed, marked and tagged in the above manner as hereinbefore prescribed. The weigher will make his certificate in duplicate, and will send one copy to the assessor and the other to the collector of the district the owner or holder resides in, or to the assessor of the district upon receipt of this return the assessor to whom it is delivered will immediately proceed to assess the tax upon 100 ten mentioned therein, and will at once certify to the amount to the collector and furnish the required entry in his monthly list. Upon receipt of the Assessors certificate, the Collector will at once collect the Tax, and will thereupon issue his certificate of payment and permit for the removal of the cotton, which permit must state the amount and payment of tax, the time and place of payment, and the marks, numbers and gross weight of the bales or packages so that the same may at all times be fully identified.

EXPOSES THE PRESIDENT.—A communication was published in the Corinth News, a few days since, calling upon United States officers to know whether they endorsed President Johnson's Administration; to which J. E. Stewart, United States District Attorney, has promptly responded. He fully identifies himself with the constitutional policy of the President. Attorney Stewart says if the President is true to his oath of office, to know how a large number of United States officials in this State, or rather *province*, stand in relation to these questions?

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people those persons, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Harley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Age Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations" so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also sole manufacturers of Spalding's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, uses equalling the best English Inks now used. We cannot understand why these preparations might not as well be taken by special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician. If

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ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS.—Cures female complaints and irregularity. Cures falling of the womb and the whites. Cures obstructed and irregular menstruation. Cures sick headache and pain in the side. Cures hysterics, melancholy and swooning of the head. Cures old or young married or single females. Cures an ulcerated and irritable womb. It arouses restores and re-invigorates the Uterine Organs.

Mississippi News.

There is a case of sickness in the city, upon which medical opinion is divided. Some assert that it is yellow fever, while others contend that it is not. We shall see. —Vicksburg Telegraph.

The mills are commencing to get very large and fat. They can easily be caught in large numbers by means of cast-nets. The month of November is the time they are in their best condition, and we think that at that time they might be caught by the quantity and dried or cured. We are not aware of any obstacle to the successful prosecution of this plan.—Shieldsboro Gazette.

From a correspondence between Mr. C. M. Ottley, Treasurer, and Judge Stephen Brown, President of the board of trustees of the Columbus Female Institute, we learn that the former gentleman turned over to the latter, about $3,000 in cash and the lumber, and other materials—originally costing between three and four hundred dollars—as the net proceeds of the late Tournament at Columbus.

Mr. M. L. Rogers has retired from the Vernon Times, and is succeeded by Messrs. Goard and Lacey, who will continue the Times as an anti-reconstruction journal.

COTTON WORM.—We are sorry to learn that the cotton worm has made its appearance in some of our sea island cotton plantations, and has done considerable damage. —Shieldsboro Gazette.

We call special attention to the correspondence between the citizens of Hancock county, C. H. Nicholson, Esq., and which it will appear that he has accepted the call to be a candidate for the Convention. We record his response with feelings of pleasure.—Shieldsboro Gazette.

News Items.

A tender-hearted New York youth of seventeen, named James Woods, was arrested last Saturday while passing off a piece of brown paper on a wretched blind man in payment for some tobacco.

At Savannah on Friday, there was a difficulty between some whites and negroes, about a negro who had been wounded by one of the white men. Several shots were exchanged; one negro was killed and two other wounded. A Mr. Lancaster had his horse shot and was wounded, and he and another white man were carried off by about thirty negroes, and probably killed.

Dr. A. Eaton, a brief brother of President Lincoln, dropped dead at Mumfordville, Kentucky, on Friday last, while mixing medicine for a patient.

Kentucky is the only State if she is a State south of the Ohio river that will have a short corn crop this year. Drouth.

Opposition at the North to the National Loan seems to be gaining ground every day. The recent failures have developed a condition of affairs that is very unsatisfactory, to say the least.

The Radical leaders at the North have suggested to Gen. Grant a *coup d'etat*, which, if they could prevail on him to accept it, would cover him with eternal disgrace. It is nothing more, nor less than treacherously to seize upon the Government and set aside its constitutional head.

A correspondent writing from Yazoo, says a freedman being registered, following the official administering the oath very closely, when he came to the article that you support the Constitution of the United States," "Stop dar, massa," said he, "I can't swear to dat, kase I have a lady by wife an' seben children, an' dey is all I can support now-a-days."

A pic-nic is to be held at Dry Grove in Hinds county, on the 5th of October to raise means to build an Episcopal Church at that place.

Advices from Arkansas, report that one-fourth of the cotton crop has been destroyed by the worm.

Advices from Vera Cruz state that the trial of Santa Anna is daily expected to take place, his counsel having already arrived from the City of Mexico. In Vera Cruz it was generally believed that sentence of death would be passed by the court, but that it would not be carried out from the supreme Government forbidding the carrying out of any sentence without the findings being approved by the President, as Commander-in-Chief. It was supposed, after the trial, the authorities intended to pardon the old soldier.

The newspapers of New Orleans are becoming very sarcastic, when they speak of each other—the Picayune says, concerning, As we are not well acquainted in the city, will not some of our confreres over there inform us who is meant by the cold fossil," the "Blanket," and the "Mendicant Lovalist ?"

These are certainly very gay names.

A PERTINENT INQUIRY.—A writer in the Corinth News says:

Is it not customary for men who fill offices of trust and emolument under the general government, to agree, in political sentiment, with the President from whom they receive their appointments? Is it not expected that they should do so? Is it not duty they should? In no humble opinion these questions must be answered in the affirmative. Again if so, I respectfully to know how a large number of United States officials in this State, or rather *province*, stand in relation to these questions?

Conservatives

Who have no time to lose, feeling with various intimations of the day, and who have no money to throw away, could not do better than to spend One Dollar for the KING OF CHILLS and be cured of all forms of Chills, Fever, etc. Its taste is pleasant, and it suits the head or eyes.

MECHANICS

Your time is money, and why do you continue with the Chills, Fevers, etc., losing so much of your precious time? Remember the KING OF CHILLS is cheap. Our remedy builds up the system, placing it upon a good condition, remedies—by purging the system of all foes, and places you on feet with a sound footing. Don't endure one hattle, and be permanently cured. Price only One Dollar.

FARMERS AND PLANTERS

Visiting physicians will greatly consult their own interest by purchasing a supply of this never failing Chills, Fever, etc., remedy. Can be saved by ordering the Chills immediately, and the KING OF CHILLS is cheap. Our remedy builds up the system, placing it upon a good condition, remedies—by purging the system of all foes, and places you on feet with a sound footing. Don't endure one hattle, and be permanently cured. Price only One Dollar.

MERCHANTS AND CLERKS,

Why will you lose so many golden moments of your precious time, when you can be cured by the KING OF CHILLS? Our remedy is perfectly harmless in its taste, produces no roaring or buzzing in the head, no ringing of the bells, but acts quickly and effectually. After using one bottle you will have no more Chills.

MOTHERS AND FATHERS

Who have pale, sweathy, puny, and sickly children, the findings Kidder are a perfect cure. Effective liver, indigestion to play, but are cross, peevish and fretful, while the KING OF CHILLS sometimes during the day, can be effectually removed. Remember the KING OF CHILLS is the friend of the KING of Chills four or five times a day. Do not forget the name, Dumoulette & Co's. KING OF CHILLS. Price only One Dollar per bottle.

J. P. DROMGOOLE, Proprietor,
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YOUR WIFE

Possesses charms in proportion to her health, and she measures a husband's love by the interest he shows in her health and comfort. Now, if you wish to retain in fact your wife's love and affection undiminished, and desire to see the regain her health and former beauty, you should by all means procure one bottle of

English Female Bitters,

A compound that is actually restoring health to more sickly females than all other remedies combined. This is positively true. Ladies, our Uterine Complaints peculiar to the female sex. It is invigorating to the nerves, builds up the whole system, as it is no secret nor patent, and effects cures in a few days, when no means fail.

OLD AND YOUNG FEMALES

Have long needed a medicine that would relieve them of Female Weakness, Complaints and Irregularities which prove so troublesome to females in this country, and they can now confidently rely upon the Female Bitters never to prove disappointed. Bitters. It arouses, restores and regulates. Its taste is rapid and pleasant. It purifies, vitalizes all painful Menstruations, Hysterics, Leucorhœas or Whites, Falling of the Womb, Ulceration of the Womb, Chlorosis, and all those symptoms which follow, this medicine will relieve you.

That Young Girl,

Whose bloom has departed from her cheeks, whose eye has lost its lustre; whose intellect has lost its brightness, and whose system is racked with pain and despair; who is pale, emaciated, feeble, listless, repulsive in appearance, with a heavy, stupefied look of the head, cold feet and hands, can be restored to perfect health and beauty by using the English Female Bitters.

MARRIED LADIES,

As you value your life, and health, and personal appearance, you are cautioned against using any pills peculiar to your sex, as you have been under the impression some ignorant pill vender, as they are the most nearly combined that your case cannot be benefited by them. Now, if you will use the English Female Bitters, as it is no secret nor patent, and effects cures in a few days, when no means fail.

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3 squares,	4 00	7 00	10 00	15 00
4 squares,	5 00	9 00	12 00	18 00
1 column,	15 00	25 00	40 00	75 00
2 column,	25 00	40 00	75 00	125 00
3 column,	30 00	65 00	120 00	200 00

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail leaves Mobile at ..... 9.23 P. M.
" arrive at Buckatunna ..... 6.55 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at ..... 5.50 P. M.
" arrives at ..... 9.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 4.20 P. M. Corinth 7.05 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1.45 A. M. Macon 3.05 A. M. Meridian 6.35 A. M. Enterprise 7.50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3.30 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 40 minutes.

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Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive " ..... 5.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive " ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner; and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 2.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis and all points North, make quick time and sure connections by taking the Mail Train leaving Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner; and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Leave Grenada daily at 1.45 a. m. and 5.25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 8.45 a. m. and 9.00 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Meridian Railroad for points North and South.

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J. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
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STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler. Butler's Grammar, Towne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geology.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully suggest that our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a supply of these books for their pupils. With the exception of the Geology, which is just being issued from the press, these books are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but, as regards schools off the lines of the railroads, a difficulty will occur unless prompt action is taken. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to aid the association in its work, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, stating the number of books likely to be needed. Our acquaintance with the members of that house, warrants us in assuring teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every reasonable request complied with. 1-f.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Goodwin, the old and reliable Front Street Druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night. Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded.

SUPERIOR FLOUR.—We call attention to the advertisement of Dancy & Peterson's rising flour, to be found in our advertising columns. We are selling this flour and can recommend it to the public as a superior article. It has been examined by druggists and pronounced pure, and is highly recommended for the purposes of

Bishop Green's Appointments.

Shuqualak,	October	10
Macon,	"	11
Columbus,	"	12 & 13
DeKalb,	"	15
Lauderdale,	"	17
Meridian,	"	19 & 20
Enterprise,	"	21
Quitman,	"	22
Lookout,	"	23
Brandon,	"	26 & 27

BURGLARY.—A freedman, more bold than honest, entered the residence of Mr. B. F. Fallon, on Wednesday night and was in the act of examining the pockets of that gentleman's pants, when Mrs. Fallon awoke and gave the alarm. The negro immediately jumped out of a window and made good his escape. We would advise our citizens to have their windows well fastened down at night.

The residence of C. P. Williams, S. A. D. Steele, A. B. Wagner and E. V. Early have also been entered during the week. Mr. Wagner lost a watch, pistol, breastpin and some clothing. The loss of the other gentlemen named, was very trifling.

We had a call the other day from Mr. O. V. Shearer, Jr., of the Okolona News, who was on a brief visit to his kinsman, Waldro W. Shearer, Esq., of our city. We were glad to learn from him that Okolona is increasing rapidly in wealth and population, and that the News is doing a lively and remunerative business.

The people are beginning to feel a little easier in money matters; the result of the year's toil is coming forward to market and the merchants are making active preparations for a prosperous business season. There is certainly every reason to anticipate a lively business time this winter, and we hope the revival will reach all classes alike.

THANKS.—We are under renewed obligations to Capt. Phil. M. Jenkins of the Jesse Star News Depot, Galveston, Texas, for files of late papers.

A military commission has been convened at this place to try John W. Gully, Esq., of Kemper county. The following officers compose the Commission: Brevet Maj. Thos. H. Norton, President; Lieut. Thos. H. Nye, 24th Infantry, and Lieut. W. O. Cory, 24th Infantry, with Brevet Maj. C. A. Wikoff as Judge Advocate. The trial was set for 2 P. M. yesterday.

See advertisement of "house for rent," in another column. Any person wishing to rent for the remainder of the year can secure a bargain.

CREATION OF THE WORLD.—This exhibition has presented in this community last evening, but one purpose and goal to prove before the performance closed. It has the reputation of being both entertaining and instructive. Those who wish to avail themselves of an opportunity of witnessing it can do so this evening.

BEWARE OF THE IMPOSTER.—There is an individual, at present canvassing the eastern portion of Mississippi, who gives his name as W. A. Clements, and who is engaged in exhibitions of Ethiopian melodies and negro eccentricities. Mr. Clements has attached to his programmes credentials purporting to be from B. C. Chilton and T. J. Watts, of Montgomery, Ala., setting forth that they are *personally* acquainted with the Professor, and that the proceeds of his exhibitions are appropriated for the benefit of "Hopewell Institute," an institution intended for a free school for the orphans of the South." In addition to this, he has a certificate from J. P. Burton, Circuit Clerk of Butler county, Ala., who states that Professor Clements is an authorized agent for Hopewell Institute. Whether these testimonials are forgeries, we cannot positively say, but one thing we can say, whatever his ostensible mission may be, he is guilty of unprecedented rascality in this community, which brands him not only as a humbug, but an unmitigated imposter. As he boasts of the golden opinions he has won from the press and public, we will take occasion to add one more to the category, which he so much deserves, and warn others against this vile imposter.

J. GIBSON,
Pub. Gazette.

What made Barnum and Girard rich? Advertising. What sold the Government bonds? Jay Cooke's advertising. What made Bonner's Ledger? Advertising. What made Stewart's fortune? Advertising. What sold 210,000 tickets in the Crosby Opera House scheme? Advertising. What has made Hostetter's Bitters so popular, as well as Wells's Sulphur Soda, Schnapps, Drake's Plantation Bitters, Mott's Pills, Ayer's Pectoral and Pills, Bull's Sarsaparilla, Godfrey's Cordial, Mustang Liniment, and the many other patent medicines which have made the manufacturers wealthy? Liberal advertising. Drake, the Bitters man, started trade in 1860 with ten dollars, and is now worth two millions. Two millions in seven years! Just think of it! M. A. Dow, of the Waverly Magazine, commenced with 63; has now $50,000 a year from the paper, owns $200,000 in brick Buildings, and has just built in addition a fine hotel in Charlestown, Mass., costing half a million. A little printer's ink is an immense thing in its way. Let business men think of it, and profit by the illustrations given.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—There were five cholera deaths in Omaha yesterday.

Special dispatches from the North Platte reiterate that the conference was very unsatisfactory. Indian affairs are also threatening as ever.

The Cabinet meeting to-day lasted two hours.

Mr. Stevens still improves.

Gen. Sherman is encouraged favorable view with Gen. Grant to-day.

The Consul at Malaga writes that the Spanish Government has ordered that the whole United States fleet withdrawn and yellow fever. All vessels arriving from there quarantined.

Gen. Hancock was serenaded to-night at the Metropolitan Hotel, which was brilliantly illuminated and display of fireworks. It is expected that Gen. Hancock will proceed to-morrow to Louisville, Ky., to open the Exposition, but for his country, and in respect for the memory of the late President Taylor.

Among the resolutions adopted by the Grand Lodge of the United States Independent Order of Odd Fellows, now in annual session in New York, last week, were the following:

Resolved, That it shall not be legal to suspend members of the order for nonpayment of dues.

Resolved, That any member of a subordinate lodge or encampment of the order, who shall be expelled by the laws of such subordinate, shall thereupon be expelled from the order, and all rights and privileges of membership forfeited.

Resolved, That the provisions of these resolutions shall apply to all persons hereafter admitted to membership, and to persons restored to membership after having been expelled from membership for non-payment of dues, and the order expressly forbids the members of the subordinate lodges or encampments.

Resolved that the foregoing resolutions shall have the full force and effect of positive law, and shall go into operation from and after the adoption thereof by this grand body. State bodies are hereby invited to promulgate the same for the instruction and guidance of subordinates without unnecessary delay.

And further, to make all local legislation necessary to give effect thereto in their several jurisdictions.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.—The interments from yellow fever for the twenty-four hours ending at six o'clock this morning were 57.

Two hundred and fifty privates and seven officers are now under treatment for yellow fever at Jackson Barracks, the first regiment United States Infantry. There have been at the barracks and at the military hospitals upwards of 100 deaths from yellow fever.

RICHMOND, Sept. 26.—Gen. Brown has issued an order directing the officers of the Freedmen's Bureau in this district to turn over to the civil authorities all negro paupers, and others who have been residents here for one year. [Exch.

Gen. Beauregard arrived this evening.

Judge Starnes, of Georgia, one of the Supreme Court of Georgia, Warner, Walker, and Harris, are out in letters favoring the reconstruction policy of military bills, on the grounds of expediency.

Hon. Ben. H. Hill left this morning for York.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 26.—The Queen City distillery was burned to-day. Loss, $60,000. The citizens have subscribed $40,000 in aid of the sufferers from yellow fever.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 26.—Gen. Mcomson, Captain Genem l of the Island, died yesterday morning at five minutes past four o'clock, of typhoid fever.

Latest Market Reports.

MOBILE Sept. 26.—Cotton—There has been a little inquiry for the lower grades of Cotton to-day, but in consequence of the scarcity, sales have been restricted to 100 bales. Strict middling quiet at 20¢, for Middling, ——.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 26.—Cotton—sales to-day 1,000 bales. Market easier. Low Middlings 20¢. Receipts 41 bales.

Flour quiet and firm; superfine $10 00; choice extra $13@13 50. Meal quiet and firm at $28 75@27. Bacon—retailing at 15¢ for shoulders; 17¢ for clear sides; 25¢ for sugar-cured hams.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 26.—Tobacco—sales of 73 hhds.; market firmer at $4 40@24 25. Flour dull at $7 00@7 75; superfine $8 Al. Wheat $2 30. Corn—shelled $1 15. Oats 65¢. In bulk. Mess Pork $23 50. Bacon—shoulders 14¢; clear sides 18¢. Lard packed. Lard in tierces 13½¢. Whisky, in bond, $2 43.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 26.—Flour firm at full rates. Corn 70@80. Whisky $10 75@11 25. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Whiskey $2 43 nominal. Provisions dull and unchanged. Lard 13½¢. Bacon held at 14¢ and 17@17½¢. Potatoes firm at $3 25@3 50.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 26.—Tobacco active; sales 400 hhds. at advanced prices; other qualities unchanged. Flour firm but inactive; choice superfine $7 25; X $8@8 50; XX $9 50@9 75; XXX $11 10@12. Red wheat $1@1 4. Wheat firm. Corn firm at $1 11@1 18. Oats dull and declining, quoted at 70¢. Provisions very dull. Mess Pork nominally unchanged. Bacon drooping at 18½¢ for clear sides and 24¢ for sugar-cured hams. Whiskey—no sales.

We have received an official list of premiums distributed at the first preliminary drawing of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Mechanical Aid Society. The principal premiums were held at Vicksburg, Jackson and Memphis. At the next drawing, to come off October 13th, the number of premiums is increased to 450, and the number of certificates reduced from 9,000 to 8,000. The amount of premiums are also increased from $20,400 to $30,000, thus making the second distribution altogether more attractive than the first.

Admiral Semmes, the able editor of the Memphis Bulletin, has retired from the editorial department of that excellent paper.

PRESIDENTIAL CONVENTION.—As the public manifest much eagerness to learn who the delegates are and by whom they are known by their literary titles, we have been at some pains to learn who the delegates are, and lay before our readers in advance of all contemporaries the following reliable statement:

Delegates at Large—
"Alfred Hamilton"—Paul R. Shipman.
"John A. Billings"—John H. Harvey.
"Thomas Jefferson"—Dr. J. B. Bonham.
"Democracy"—Dr. J. R. Bonham.
"Ex-Governor"—Dr. Wm. Prentiss.
"Law"—G. D. Prentiss.
"Liberty"—Dr. Wm. M. McCorry.
Delegates to the Congressional Districts—
"Alfred Hamilton" to Dr. M. Slater.
"Democracy" to Dr. Wm. Prentiss.
"Liberty" to Dr. Wm. M. McCorry.
"Law" to G. D. Prentiss.
"Thomas Jefferson" to Dr. J. B. Bonham.
"John A. Billings" to John H. Harvey.

It's a man's wife is well fixed, he won't necessarily die soon.

Where there is much pretension, much has been borrowed.

Go to strangers for charity, friends for advice, and to relatives for nothing, and you will have a supply.

Young man, do you believe in a future state? "In course, I dus; and what's more, I intend to enter it when Betsy gets ready to accompany me."

Solomon said a gent to his wife, let me tell you—facts are stubborn things."—"Yes," quoth the lady, "what a fact you must be."

Give not the tongue too great liberty, lest it take the prisoner. An unspoken word is like a sword in a wicked hand. If vented, thy sword is in another's hand. If thou desire to be held wise, be so wise as to hold thy tongue.

A man at Portland, Me., had his house robbed by a "professional," who, on his way home, wrote to his victim, returning the goods, which were valuable to the owner alone, and signed himself a "poor, but honest burglar."

The day is coming, says the New London Star, when throughout the whole country, woman will be clothed with the elective franchise. Rather a chilly contrast to the cold pork and dry goods dealers and hoop skirt manufactories! Hard on the women, too!

A Methodist and Quaker stopped at the same house, and agreed to sleep in the same bed. Methodist knelt, and prayed fervently—occupied a catalogue of sins. When he arose, Quaker observed, "Really, friend, if thou art as bad as thou seemest to be, I think I dare not sleep with thee."

Notice.

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Indigestion—Dyspepsia. Progress has its penalties. As the world advances in civilization, it becomes more luxurious and the pampering of the body seems to be the principal accompaniment of the cultivation of the mind. This ought not to be; but it is, and no argument can alter the fact. Such wholesome advice and judicious, precautionary and remedial treatment may mitigate the evil. Savagedom has its own troubles and vices, especially; but this dictum is open to doubt. Privation and hardship, as well as high living and dissipation, engender the disease; and it would therefore seem that the dweller in cities is not more or less subject to it. One thing, however, is certain; in no country under heaven is it so prevalent as in the United States. Here the disease has become domesticated, and it is to be found in almost every household; and consequently a Household Remedy for Dyspepsia is an inestimable value to the American people.

Few disorders involve greater suffering; and, if not in itself immediately dangerous, it is the fruitful source of many of the most deadly maladies. But even if it did not tend to shorten life—which it undoubtedly does—mental and physical misery which it produces, and which renders life comparatively unenjoyable, is a sufficient reason why no pains should be spared in the effort to prevent and cure it.

Physicians, as a general rule, admit that no disease gives them so much trouble as dyspepsia, but they attribute the difficulty of curing it to the unwillingness of their patients to abandon the habits which occasion it, such as excessive application to business, careless eating, &c., &c. It is no doubt true that the best treatment of a complaint may fail to cure it, if the patient will not relinquish the habits practiced while under the influence of which it originated; but it is also true that what we called the official remedies for dyspepsia do not possess the unanimous approval or permanent relief. On the other hand it is a fact established by thousands of overwhelming witnesses, whose testimony is simply a statement of their own experiences, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure the malady, and that an occasional use of the preparation after the cure has been effected will prevent a return of it, or a fresh recurrence of the symptoms. On this account many intelligent members of the medical profession abandoned all the prescribed prescriptions of the pharmacopeia, and now invariably, and with great success, administer this popular tonic.

Fever and Ague—Intermittents generally—are also to be found in almost every locality known by experience to render a lengthened description of its symptoms necessary.

In order to escape fever and ague in any region it is only necessary to fortify the system against atmospheric poison by the regular use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, by this means all danger is avoided. Some cities have acquired a reputation for exemption from the pains and penalties of one of the most harrassing complaints to which the human race in unhealthy districts are subjected. As a remedy, the preparation has no equal. Without resorting to the nauseating drugs and dangerous consequences which accompany and follow the use of quinine, it breaks up the disease, and gives tone to the parts which the violence of the chill has shaken. If the preparation had no other merit than its wonderful efficacy in counteracting the fever and ague, it would be an article of the first necessity in all new and unhealthy localities, and those will testify to its invaluable properties. It should be taken between the hot stages. As the pulse is up to one hundred and twenty or one hundred and forty during the fever, it would not, of course, be prudent to administer the tonic then; but when prostration comes on, as it always is this, and the next stage, it may be given with great advantage, and also when the patient is recovering, as a means of securing the system against a relapse. Indeed, in all cases of convalescence this powerful but harmless tonic should be administered. It is the safest as well as the best of restoratives.

Probably one-fourth of the people of this country now know what it is to be bilious; and in tropical climates the proportion of sufferers is much greater. If what are called "bilious medicines" were ever to say what they purport to be, the disease would soon become obsolete; for their name is a misnomer. Neither mercury, the official remedy, nor the drastic pills advertised under so many titles, seem to produce the desired effect. In fact, calomel and blue pill have probably been more fatal to the human race than the various forms of liver complaint combined.

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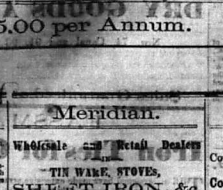

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

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Presidential Intrigues at Washington

With the appointment to President Johnson's Cabinet of Messrs. Randall, Evarts and Stanbery, the Democratic party has undoubtedly secured its next Presidential nomination. Probably the most powerful personal opposition he has to encounter is that of Chief Justice Chase, who is one gigantic wire-puller, and who has managed that the opening of Senator Sherman's campaign for the Presidency against Johnson shall commence in this city. He is also using his influence in the same direction in Ohio, and he has the Cincinnati Gazette at his beck and call. The Chief Justice's ambition is to be President, and he has been busily engaged and likely to be engaged for some months to come, in order to secure his nomination. Whether he will succeed or not remains to be seen. But it is certain that the Radical party is divided, and that the Democratic party will be compelled to make common cause with the moderate Republicans in this district in the coming contest. Should Chase succeed in his efforts to secure the nomination, he will have to contend against Johnson himself. He could not, in this case, be depending upon the Democratic party, but he has the Radical party at his back, and can rely upon its support. Probably the most powerful personal opposition he has to encounter is that of Chief Justice Chase, who is one gigantic wire-puller, and who has managed that the opening of Senator Sherman's campaign for the Presidency against Johnson shall commence in this city. He is also using his influence in the same direction in Ohio, and he has the Cincinnati Gazette at his beck and call. The Chief Justice's ambition is to be President, and he has been busily engaged and likely to be engaged for some months to come, in order to secure his nomination. Whether he will succeed or not remains to be seen. But it is certain that the Radical party is divided, and that the Democratic party will be compelled to make common cause with the moderate Republicans in this district in the coming contest. Should Chase succeed in his efforts to secure the nomination, he will have to contend against Johnson himself. He could not, in this case, be depending upon the Democratic party, but he has the Radical party at his back, and can rely upon its support. Probably the most powerful personal opposition he has to encounter is that of Chief Justice Chase, who is one gigantic wire-puller, and who has managed that the opening of Senator Sherman's campaign for the Presidency against Johnson shall commence in this city. He is also using his influence in the same direction in Ohio, and he has the Cincinnati Gazette at his beck and call. The Chief Justice's ambition is to be President, and he has been busily engaged and likely to be engaged for some months to come, in order to secure his nomination. Whether he will succeed or not remains to be seen. But it is certain that the Radical party is divided, and that the Democratic party will be compelled to make common cause with the moderate Republicans in this district in the coming contest. Should Chase succeed in his efforts to secure the nomination, he will have to contend against Johnson himself. He could not, in this case, be depending upon the Democratic party, but he has the Radical party at his back, and can rely upon its support.

The Journal of Commerce recently published a letter from a correspondent in one of the Southern States, the writer of which says: "If the people will only let the South quietly reconstruct their self, the crops, instead of being worth four hundred millions of dollars per annum, will, in a short time be worth a thousand millions! What we want, above all things, is peace. Political anarchy begets loss." This is undoubtedly true. But the Radicals will not allow the people to reconstruct themselves. They desire to keep up agitation. When one law is accepted by the Southern people they follow it up with another still more stringent and exacting. In the meantime, the people are without representation in the National Legislature; the labor system of ten States is broken up and rendered comparatively unproductive, and the whole country menaced with untold disasters of a business and financial character. The Radical leaders are determined to continue "political anarchy," although they know that such a course is ruinous to all the material interests of the nation. This point is important in the present contest. If Congress is sustained by a verdict from the people, they will continue agitation to the ruin of business, both North and South. On the contrary, if the Radicals are defeated, peace will be restored, and prosperity once more bless the land from North to South.—Phil. Age.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 23, 1867.

The Radical press here, and throughout the North, are alarmed for the success of their party. They warn the Republicans to abandon personal squabbles, all side issues, such as the Maine Liquor law, the Sunday Lager Beer question, the financial and tariff questions, &c.; and urge a united movement against President Johnson, with what they describe as his revolutionary designs, and in the favor of the Congressional plan of Reconstruction. They contend that the California and Maine elections turned on side issues, and offered no evidence of a popular reaction against the extreme measures of Congress, and that the judgment of the Northern people is, that the present plan of reconstruction must be accepted by the South, or that they will be forced to submit to harsher measures, to be imposed on by the rejection of the present scheme. Whatever may be the result, one thing is certain—the voters of the great States of Ohio and Pennsylvania, will, in a few weeks decide, as to whether they approve or disapprove the action of the present Congress. The issue is plainly made up in these States, and if they go against the Republicans, New York, in November, will follow and this may lead the way for the complete defeat of the Radicals in 1868. One of the questions in the Ohio election, is an amendment to the State Constitution, known in Ohio as the "Gizzard foot Amendment."—It reads as follows:

Resolved, By the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, three-fifths of the members elected to each House agreeing thereto, that it be and hereby is submitted to the electors of this State to vote at the next annual October election upon the approval or rejection of the following amendment as a substitute for the first section of the fifth article of the Constitution of this state, to-wit: Every male citizen of the United States, of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a resident of the State one year next preceding the election, and of the county, township or ward in which he resides such time as may be provided by law, except such persons as have borne arms in support of any hostile force or rebellion against the Government of the United States, or have fled from their places of residence to avoid being drafted into the military service thereof, or have deserted the military or naval service of said Government in time of war, and have not subsequently been honorably discharged from the same, shall have the qualifications of an elector, and be entitled to vote at all elections.

As it now stands in the Constitution of Ohio, the word "white" qualifies the male citizen for suffrage. But the Republican courts in that State have decided that any citizen can vote who will swear that he has more white than black in his blood, and even now most mulattoes are allowed to vote in Ohio. The contest in Ohio is unusually bitter and personal. All the leading men of both parties are on the stump. Senator Wade has made several speeches lately, which, for scurrilous abuse of his political opponents, and billingsgate slang generally, have never been equalled in this or any other country. I am glad to see that many of the decent Republican papers are rebuking him for it.

The Southern people ought not to be too sanguine of the result of these elections. Leading Democrats here have great doubts about the result, and fear that the recent successes in California and Maine will give the Democrats an over-confidence in their strength that may bring defeat. But no matter how the elections here go, they can give us no immediate relief. No Congressional elections take place before the fall of 1868, and long before that time Conventions will be held in all the Southern States and new Constitutions formed and adopted. We should make the best fight we can for a liberal State Constitution. Failing in that, we can vote against the ratification of the new Constitution, and thus protest against the injustice and tyranny which might characterize it.

I went yesterday to Brooklyn, and attended Plymouth Church, to hear Henry Ward Beecher. The church itself is a large plain brick building, constructed very much like a theatre, and capable of holding probably two thousand persons.—There is no ornament, whatever, about the church, except an organ. The house was crowded as it always is, thousands coming from every part of the country to hear the great political saint of Radicalism. At the further end of the house, just under the organ, was a small plain desk; behind the desk was a chair, in which was seated the individual we had come to hear. I went in company with Col. Gilbert, of South Carolina, editor of the Sumter Watchman. We had no difficulty in obtaining seats, though the house was densely crowded. The second story of the church is furnished with seats like a theatre, and was completely packed. Some gentlemen, and even ladies, to the credit of Brooklyn gallantry, be it said, had to stand during the entire service. Beecher looks to be about fifty-five years of age; is of medium height; slightly inclined to corpulency; oval face; clean shaved; hair long, light colored, and worn behind the ears. His manner is easy, gestures graceful, and his appearance on the whole pleasing. He read the most of his sermon from a manuscript before him, but occasionally would change his position, and with an elevated voice and animated gestures break out into rhetorical effusions that were doubtless impromptu.

Not a word was said on the subject of politics or the negro. Beecher has the appearance of an earnest emphatic man, with nothing to indicate the meddlesome fanatic he is, and has been for the last ten years. ENQUIRER.

The Situation—An Explanation

Some of our exchanges taunt us with a change of song, and wonder at our late reticence on the Convention question.—We cannot better answer them than by copying the following sensible article from a recent number of the New Orleans Picayune: It was in no craven spirit we urged our people to act upon and accept the chances given them by Congress. In its acts of reconstruction, to become the administrators of their own internal affairs. The powers withheld were rightful powers; the interference undertaken was morally unjust, and in defiance of our natural and civil rights; the entire action of Congress was in violation of the Constitution which it was sworn to support. Nevertheless, it exercised power and was obeyed by that which held physical control over us, without any limit upon its exercise.—Passionate protest and a resolution to rebel, without the power or intention to resist, was equally unwise, fruitless of remedy and fruitful of evil. The greater act of courage was, like that of the traditional Indian, to calmly look the fret in the face, and yield the body, but not the heart of the sacrifice, while using every remedy left us to avert it.

It would not have been consistent with true courage to have urged wrathful opposition to the measures of Congress.—There was no physical power to resist it.—But if the offers to the citizens of the Southern States to register had been fulfilled, as provided for in the acts of Congress, and the guarantees therein had not been altered by partisan commanders and their satellites; if Congress had not itself nullified its own offers of participation in the vote, and if fraud had not multiplied the number of newly made citizens, the South would yet have an opportunity of regulating its own affairs, of doing justice and exact justice to all men, of rightfully distributing the proceeds of the taxation of its citizens, and of protecting industry and quietude against vagrancy and turbulence. But the very law of Congress has been set aside by its own agents, and their action has been ratified by itself. The fraud and mere party ends to be attained by the present organization of the Government of the United States, or have fled from their places of residence to avoid being drafted into the military service thereof, or have deserted the military or naval service of said Government in time of war, and have not subsequently been honorably discharged from the same, shall have the qualifications of an elector, and be entitled to vote at all elections.

We will give Beecher credit for sincerity in what he says were silent. How could we urge men to attempt to wield their own destinies, through the ordinary and peaceful means of persevered them, when these were distinctly denied them, and when the use of force to open the way to them would have been madness? Submitting we have awaited the inevitable result of unbridled and unchecked license, in the hands of the ignorant and debased, led by the corrupt and unscrupulous. There is nothing so certainly taught by history, not by one page of it only, but many, than that this inevitably leads to its own destruction, and finally to the rule of the wise and just.

Whether that consumation is already about to be realized, is doubtful. There is reason to believe that the effort to crush the white man of the South under the heel of the black man has already proved too much for the Radical party North, and that the more it is persevered in the more ruinous it will be to do it; but it will hardly pause now in its career, with two years more of congressional power and the sent out of the Executive to check it, unless by the firm exercise of such power as Cromwell used when a corrupt Parliament attempted to perpetuate itself.

There may be war between a faction dying out of power, but yet strong and confident, and another rising from the embers of the past, and composed of such as fear the loss of their own liberties if the effort to give the political power over the South to the negro should succeed. Though we are accidentally the subject of that quarrel, we can take no part in it. But we do not apprehend actual hostilities. The aroused white men of the West, and even of the East, already see that the United States, governed at the South altogether by black men, and with black men holding the balance of power among themselves, would cease to be their government, and when they will that the party, which would thus sell its brethren into Egyptian captivity that it might gain a life-lease of power, ought to be at once cast down and the captives set at liberty, they will do it manfully and energetically.

Meanwhile we watch and wait. We wish no harm to the black man; we are the black man's friend. We wish him civil rights, and that he may learn to perform his civil duties. If we do not rejoice over his emancipation, we would not have his servitude restored, alike on our own account and his. We wish him educated morally and intellectually. We wish him to have industry and skill and to receive the rewards of it equally with the white man. We would protect him as much. He is a Southern man, and we would have him feel and act as such, and be prosperous as part and parcel of the South. But we are white men, and the representatives of white men. We love our own race more than any other, our own land more than any other, our own institutions more than any other, our own State more than any other. We will not to govern or control others; but we do not to govern and control ourselves. Our own duty is to our own household. He that is not thus, "hath denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel."

Disastrous Accounts from Brazil.

We still hear discouraging reports from Brazil.—Sam. Edwards, Esq., of Vicksburg, who drifted in among the hybrid masses of that over-rated country, writes a very doleful letter to some of his old friends in Warren. The country falls far short of what it has been represented by those who are endeavoring to colonize. The banks of the river Ilheris, which he ascended, are thickly settled with houses, never more than one or two miles apart, usually built of mud and sticks, covered with tile, and having dirt floors and no chimneys. They build a fire in one corner of the room, and let the smoke go up and out the best way it can. Masters and servants occupy the same apartments and dine together. The improvements consist of a few acres of cleared land around each house; the large timber on it is of the most scrubby kind. It is all on the river owned by private individuals, who ask from 81 to 86 per acre for it. There are no roads of any kind running from the river, and all travel is done by water, and in canoes, to a distance of three hundred miles.

Mr. Edwards left that region fully convinced that there was no land suitable for himself or any of his friends to settle on. He then turned his attention to the Province of Minas Gernes, and traveled two hundred miles over the most mountainous country he ever beheld. Coffee grows on hills at an angle of 45 degrees. The Government has no land near and within it there is worth having. There is no demand there for mechanics; many have gone and returned to the United States. They have no roads except mule paths. Mr. Edwards was a well-to-do farmer in *ante bellum* times, suffered and lost a good deal during the war, and recently wandered off to Brazil, hoping to be able to spend the remainder of his days in peace and contentment. But he has, like many others, been terribly disappointed, and now warns others, who think of seeking new homes, to steer clear of that dark region which he visited. Nearly all the emigration projects have ended disastrously to our people, and we think it is about time such enterprises were being abandoned entirely. The true plan is to stay at home, and work, watch and wait. Bad as this country is, it can scarcely be more miserable than the wild mountainous regions to which our people have been going since the close of the war. Industry and forbearance will yet make our section as great and glorious as it was in the days now gone forever.

Trade in New Orleans.

Country merchants of experience will endorse the truth of the statement that, prominent among the inducements which in past years have carried their patronage to Northern cities, if not the most prominent, have been the high prices and slender assortments of Dry Goods in New Orleans.

Merchants of the latter city are becoming more keenly alive to their interests in *all* branches of trade, and an energy is plainly visible among them, working to the rapid upbuilding of that great commercial centre. Waiving present allusion to the current enterprises of railroads *direct* European steam and telegraphic communication, extensive local factories etc., which are promising a new era of Southern prosperity, we particularly desire now to call attention to the operations of one house in New Orleans. We refer to the young but already vigorous and prosperous firm of WALLACE & CO., wholesale Dry Goods merchants.

They began, and have continued their business, eschewing old fogy ideas, wielding a very large capital, with the very best talent in their different departments, and have inaugurated a liberality in prices previously unknown in their market. When older firms were adhearing strictly to cash terms, WALLACE & Co. attracted much custom and patronage to their stores by granting the facilities elsewhere refused, and which were so greatly needed. This will not soon be forgotten; and should not be.

At this time, with large stocks, which they are known always to keep, they offer their goods at *New York prices*, and are always prepared to demonstrate the truth of their assertions and professions. Any merchant with proper capital and ability in New Orleans, can compete in prices reaching even that of the Executive to check it, unless by the firm exercise of such power as Cromwell used when a corrupt Parliament attempted to perpetuate itself.

With their ability and full intention to rival New York in claims upon Southern trade, Wallace & Co.'s stock, terms, and prices, deserve the attention of every merchant who deals in dry goods.

THE MEASURE OF APPORTIONMENT.—We make room this morning for Gen. Ord's lengthy election and apportionment order. The order is already beginning to excite considerable comment. It is asserted by the Vicksburg Times that the apportionment is not based on the rule laid down in the Constitution—is not based upon gross population, nor by list of registered voters, but upon a basis that will give the negroes an unfair advantage in the election. Let it be fair or unfair, right or wrong, we must submit to it. There is no remedy available now. By Gen. Ord's apportionment, Warren county is entitled to five representatives, the highest number; Hinds and Lowndes counties to four each; De Soto, Marshall, Monroe, Carroll, Noxubee, Washington, Yazoo and Adams, three each; Leo, Chickasaw and Lauderdale, two each; Pointotoc and Kemper, one each; Chickasaw and Choctaw, together, three.

We see by the New Orleans papers of Friday morning that Col. C. M. Reed, of that city, died of yellow fever on the 20th inst. Col. Bradford was the chairman of Charles A. Bradford, Esq., of Mobile, and some years ago was associated with his father in the editorial management of the Register.

The Mobile Advertiser has an "interesting letter from Mississippi," which contains the following scrap of news:

Capt. Gallagher, a promising lawyer, partner in law of J. J. Shannon, of Meridian—has changed, and now boldly advocates "no convention." I understand that the other half of the law concern is very weak in the knees—got rheumatism, short of what it has been represented by those who are endeavoring to colonize. The banks of the river Ilheris, which he ascended, are thickly settled with houses, never more than one or two miles apart, usually built of mud and sticks, covered with tile, and having dirt floors and no chimneys. They build a fire in one corner of the room, and let the smoke go up and out the best way it can. Masters and servants occupy the same apartments and dine together. The improvements consist of a few acres of cleared land around each house; the large timber on it is of the most scrubby kind. It is all on the river owned by private individuals, who ask from 81 to 86 per acre for it. There are no roads of any kind running from the river, and all travel is done by water, and in canoes, to a distance of three hundred miles.

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FURNITURE AT AUCTION.

A LOT OF HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE will be sold at Auction to-morrow at 10 o'clock, in front of the Episcopal Rectory. oct2-1t

Notice.

THE undersigned, members of the Board of Supervisors of Lauderdale county, Miss., will meet at the Jones House, in Meridian, Miss., on Monday, October 21st, 1867, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of revising the registration and record and registering all persons who at the time possess the qualifications requisite by law, and who have not been short by registration.

W. M. CATHEY,
A. SLOAN,
D. A. SWALLEY,
Registrars.

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LAND, LAND.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

IN addition to the large quantity of valuable land I have now offering for sale in different portions of East Mississippi and Alabama, we desire to call special attention of those wishing to purchase, to a valuable plantation in Choctaw county, Ala., it is on Northeast of Butler and 7 miles from Bassford's Bluff, on the Tombigbee River, containing 735 acres, a large body will be in cultivation, and of native—rich and productive—adapted to cotton and corn, &c. There are two good cleared houses on the place, one containing 8 rooms, the other, &c. Corn can be purchased on reasonable terms, and cotton will be ginned on act. Make a better investment.

We give strict attention to the collection, compromise, or adjustment of all claims—act as agents in buying or selling real estate, paying taxes on lands, &c., &c.

SHANNON & GALLAGHER,
Att'y's at Law and real estate agents,
oct2tf Meridian, Miss.

MAYORALTY.

MERIDIAN, Sept. 30, 1867.

THE introduction in this city of all fibrous goods from localities infected with Yellow Fever, is positively forbidden. Any person attempting to land such goods after this notice in this city will be immediately arrested and severely dealt with.

All persons are hereby warned and notified, that they must keep their premises in a clean and tidy condition, to prevent all filth or matter calculated to engender disease. The police are hereby instructed to see to the enforcement of the above, and the parties will be arrested and fined.

oct 2-4t R. L. HERDERSON, Mayor.

REDUCTION IN PRICE

OF A

STANDARD REMEDY.

IN CONSIDERATION OF THE SCARCITY OF money, and in order to place it within the reach of all, the price of the well known

KING OF CHILLS

To the low price of ONE DOLLAR per Bottle. This is the most powerful and certain compound yet introduced for the permanent eradication of all forms of Chills, Intermittent, Remittent and Bilious Fevers, Neuralgia, Dumb Chills, Sun Pain, and all those malarious affections so common in the Southern States during the fall. In fifty-cent large bottles, with plain directions, is pleasant to the taste, and contains no Quinine or nerve.

WHAT IT CAN DO.

It counters the Stomach, arouses the Liver, opens the Bowels, and carries off all Bilious Matter, effecting quick and permanent cures.

RADICALS

Who have not become acclimated, and are constantly troubled with a Chill or Fever, who are desirous of a full restoration of health, and to get about, should by all means, use this truly valuable Medicinal Compound. It has been used by physicians for Twenty Years experience in this climate.

CONSERVATIVES

Who have no time to lose, feeling with various symptoms of the Fever coming on, should not throw away, could not do better than to spend One Dollar for the KING OF CHILLS and be cured of all forms of Chills, Fevers, etc. Its taste is pleasant, and it is harmless in the extreme.

MECHANICS

Your time is money, and why do you continue with the Chills, Fevers, etc., losing so much of your precious time? Your wife and children need you, and so do we. Our remedy builds up the system, placing it upon a healthy basis, thereby preventing a return of the system of all flaws, and places you on duty with health that will continue. Your cures will be permanently cured. Price only One Dollar.

FARMERS AND PLANTERS

Visiting the city would do well to remember that we have just received a supply of this never failing *King of Chills*. Much time can be saved by carrying a few bottles with you, and the cost is but a trifle, the disease and so destroys the cause that it never returns. Remember this compound is not a nerve destroyer.

MERCHANTS AND CLERKS,

Why will you lose so many golden moments of your life, by sticking to your counters? Let your partners, Peters, Hendricks, Jones & Co., or Smith, Jones & Co., attend to business for you, and without assistance of that Doctor will speedily restore you to your wonted vigor and health. It is prepared in the best, most convenient manner in which he is disposing of all violators of the law. Your venerable friend, Judge Watts, who has so long adorned the bench, and so much to the satisfaction of all, is presiding, and I am pleased to say, say looks much improved in health.

In the business of the Court, as far as reported, the trial of civil cases, terms, and Honor made an order similar to those which were made in Hinds, Smith and Rankin counties. A petition for the purpose of obtaining such an order had already been furnished to Judge Watts. The important criminal cases were disposed of. A negro girl, formerly the property of Rev. Jno. Terral, in Lowndes county was convicted of grand larceny, and sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for one year. The defendant was represented by Sam. H. Terral, and the defense he made discovered a mind of sound legal acumen. The other case was the one of Lewis Morgan, a freedman, convicted of the murder of Mr. George Callahan. The high character of the deceased, and the atrocious circumstances attending the manner of his death, called together an immense assemblage, and the court house was crowded to suffocation. The District Attorney was assisted by Messrs. Hardy and Hirsh of this place, conducted the prosecution, and Sam'l. H. Terral, Esq., was appointed to defend the prisoner. The trial was set for Thursday, and after empanneling the jury, which took till noon, the examination of the witnesses commenced. After the testimony had been received, W. H. Harris, Esq., addressed the jury in the prisoner's defense, and made an eloquent effort. Mr. Terral replied in a speech worthy of the distinguished gentleman whose name he bears

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¼ column	15 00	35 00	50 00	75 00
½ column	25 00	50 00	75 00	125 00
1 column	40 00	75 00	125 00	200 00

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at.....3.23 P. M.
" " down.....8.35 A. M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.50 P. M.
" arrives.....8.45 A. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11: A. M. Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 2.23 P. M. Macon 5.55 P. M. Artesia 7.20 P. M. Okolona 10.13 P. M. Corinth 1.50 A. M. Humboldt 5.50 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10.3 A. M. Distance, 472 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2.20 P. M. Corinth 7.20 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1.45 A. M. Macon 5.35 A. M. Meridian 6.35 A. M. Enterprise 7.20 A. M. Okolona 10.13 A. M. Mobile 2.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian.....7.30 A. M.
" arrive.....4.30 P. M.
" leave Selma.....6.30 P. M.
" arrive.....4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves.....7.00 A. M.
" arrives.....4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.20 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 3.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis and all points beyond can speak the time of their arrival by having tickets reading via Southern Railroad passing at Jackson, Miss., or via Mobile and Ohio Railroad, at Canton with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Leave Grenada daily at 5.45 a. m. and 9.25 p. m. Arrive at Memphis at 2.45 a. m. and 10.45 a. m. and connecting with trains on Memphis and Charleston Railroad for all points east and west.

Leave Memphis daily at 7.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 5 p. m. and 1.00 a. m., making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

BVT. MAJ. THOMAS H. NORTON, U.S.A. Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., Inspector of Registration, Commanding Post.

1st Lieut. THOMAS L. NYE,
24th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

2ND LIEUT. W. O. CORY,
24th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Act. Asst. Surg. R. H. WALKER, U.S.A. Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS,
Agent B. R. F. and A. L. at Head'qrs. Sub-District, Meridian.

Capt. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C. Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

Bishop Green's Appointments.

Shugualak,	October	10
Macon,	"	11
Columbus,	"	12 & 13
DeKalb,	"	15
Lauderdale,	"	17
Meridian,	"	19 & 20
Enterprise,	"	21
Quitman,	"	22
Col. Gainer,	"	24
Brandon,	"	26 & 27

See advertisement of Furniture at Auction in another column. Sale positive.

One friend informs another of what benefit the Red Jacket Bitters are and have been to him, and thus the reputation of this great family medicine is constantly increasing.

The Board of Registrars for this county will meet here again on the 21st inst., and continue a session of three days for the purpose of revising the registration records and registering all persons qualified who have not been already placed upon the rolls. This will be the last opportunity, and every man entitled to register should avail himself of it.

An important card from the Mayor is published elsewhere to-day. The introduction of Atlanta goods from localities farther west than Yellow Fever is positively prohibited under a heavy penalty.

To our old subscribers go to Fallen, Fallen & Co's and buy a supply of their patent window shades.

The Mayor's ordinance about cleaning streets is very timely. It is a nuisance and offense under colorless conditions, in any community, to have privies and cesspools filled with decomposing matter. That fluid should be removed at once. The streets and gutters must be stringently attended to, and nothing left to accumulate any good.

FRESH PEACHES AT ALL HOURS.—Don't forget to drink the old and delicious Peach Brandy. It is better living with it than without it. Don't forget to call at the Planters' Hotel and get a drink of it. Don't forget to call at the Planters' Hotel and get a drink of it. Don't forget to call at the Planters' Hotel and get a drink of

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CALL and see the celebrated STAFFORD CULTIVATOR, or "Sunky Plow;" Corn Planters, Cotton Planters, Grain Drills, Patent Reapers, Mowers and Threshers; Patent Cotton Presses and Cotton Gins, Horse Powers, Stump Extractors, plows; Force and Well Pumps; Sorghum Sugar Cane Mills and Evaporators; straw Cutters; Corn Shellers; Saw Mills; Flouring and Corn Mills; Rice Hullers; Lathes; Planing Machines; Shingle and Stave Machines; Belt Machines; Mill Saws and Gearing; Rubber Belting; Belting Cloths; Dough Kneading, Quilting, Washing, Sewing, and Knitting Machines; Patent Churns, Brooms and Wagons, and the various Patent Looms; Woolen and Cotton Factory Machinery. Also, Chickering's, Wilcox & Light's, Bradbury's and other Pianos, Melodeons, &c., &c.

Impressed with the fact that the South can only replace its great loss of manual labor, by the introduction of Steam Machinery, Improved Agricultural Implements, and Labor Saving Machines, and with these artificial aids deve ope its endless sources of wealth, the undersigned has organized after much labor, time and expense, an extensive Agency, to visit all parts of the South, and procure, almost anything, desirable in the way of Machinery, etc., at the very lowest prices. He is assured by a number of gentlemen of experience and integrity. For the benefit of the latter he has made attractive specialties for them. Having been for authorized by a very large number of North-ern and Southern Manufacturers to sell their goods, he is now fully organized to meet and receive orders for all articles comprised in the great variety he represents.

Let No a few offered if it has not proved a success.

Let To Manufacturers for whom he is not yet agent, he offers his services on reasonable terms. Address me at Kosciusko, Attala Co., Miss.

G. D. BUSTAMANTE.

RECOMMENDATION.

Kosciusko, Miss., Aug. 12, 1867.

CAPT. G. D. BUSTAMANTE:—*Dear Sir*,—Having known you favorably for many years, and watched with pleasure the progress you have made within the last two years in your laudable undertaking of introducing into our midst many of the various labor saving machines in use at the North, and fully endorsing your views as to the necessities of our State for such, and believing you to be eminently qualified to succeed in this new field for business men, we take pleasure in recommending you and your enterprise to the public, and in wishing you complete success.

J. A. P. Campbell, Ct Judge 5th Jud'l Dist.
T. W. Scarborough, Probate Judge Attala Co.
Jas. C. Lucas, Sher.ff of Attala County.
V. V. Davis, Probate Clerk Attala Co.
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The recent decline in woolen and cotton fabrics will enable us to offer clothing at much lower prices than it has been sold for at any time since 1860.

Cash and close buyers from the South are invited to examine our stock before purchasing, as we believe we can offer them great inducements.

We will be happy to receive orders, and our long experience in the Southern business enables us to make selections which will be certain to give entire satisfaction.

Descriptive Catalogues with prices sent by mail if desired.

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A Gentleman who suffered for years from nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

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The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try this remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, free, by return mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartner ship and sold out the

Meridian Star Brewery

to W. L. McCorkle. The Brewery will be closed up for the 4th of September, and will be opened together, after which time customers will be supplied on the same terms as heretofore. All orders should be addressed to M. L. McCorkle, Meridian, Miss.

WISE & CLAY.

July 1st, 1867—aug6wly

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GENERAL DIRECTIONS.

Stir in the water with a spoon and beat at once without kneading or waiting for the dough to rise; the oven, therefore, should be in good baking order before beginning to mix—MIND THIS.

Milk is superior to water for all pastry purposes.

For Cakes, Pastry, &c., the SELF-RAISING FLOUR should be the last article mixed. Sift to suit the taste.

RECEIPTS.

SALT TO SUIT THE TASTE.

For Light Bread.—Use cold water or milk, and mix with a spoon just sufficient to thoroughly wet the dough; put it into a deep pan not more than half full, bake immediately. The pan when it be covered to prevent the formation of a hard c ust before the loa. has risen sufficiently. If the bread does not brown on the top, remove the cover a few minutes before taking the b.ad from the oven.

Bread Rolls.—Are found to bake best when seven inches long, four inches deep, and four inches wide at the bottom, flaring and fitted with covers. These pans are excellent for cake.

For Biscuits.—Make the dough as soft as can be handled, using cold water, with half the usual amount of shortening, or cold sweet milk without shortening. Bake as soon as well heated oven, they will be light, white sweet and tender.

For Light Rolls.—Same as biscuit, except that the dough should be a little stiffer, use less shortening.

For Wheat Muffins.—Three eggs, one quart of milk or water, three cups of flour, two tablespoonful of melted lard. Bake in deep Muffin rings.

For Corn Pies.—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

Sugar Cake.—One pound of sugar, diluted in three gills of milk or water, half a pound of butter, two eggs, half a pint of milk or water and two pounds of flour.

Quick Sponge Cake.—One cup of powdered sugar and one cup of flour, well mixed together. Break in three eggs, stir quickly and bake in a square tin immediately, in a moderate oven. Flavor with lemon or otherwise to suit the taste.

Gold and Silver Cake.—One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, four cups of flour. Divide the dough into two equal parts. To one add the yolks for the gold and the whites for the Silver cake. Flavor with lemon or otherwise and bake in covered brass pans.

Dough Nuts.—One pound of Sugar, a little shortening, two eggs, three pounds of flour and one pint of water.

Pot Pie and Dumplings.—Prepare the dough in every respect the same as for biscuit, but a little rolled sugar and butter added.

Fan Cakes and Fritters.—Will need no eggs. Butter and Griddle Cakes, etc., are very superior made from Self-Raising Flour.

The quicker you handle this flour the better. Never let it stand to rise. See that the oven is hot before you touch the flour. The softer the dough the better. Do not knead it.

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There is not in this scheme an acre of swamp or solid land; each Farm is part, or the whole of a cultivated Plantation—each tract is on or with in a few miles of a Railroad, either on the

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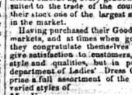
For a description of the property refer to the new Pamphlet issued by the Company. Titles are perfect, or the money will be paid to the winner of the prize.

All land in this scheme is in the State of Mississippi. The Capital Prize within fifteen miles of Memphis, on the Mississippi & Tennessee Railroad.

The lands are adapted to the growth of grain, cotton, grapes, etc., are cheaper than Government lands, in cold latitudes, at one dollar and a quarter per acre. The average of these lands is seven dollars per acre.

A deduction of 10 per cent. for favor of ten or more. Tick ts may be had of local Agents or through the Memphis Agency.

L. M. HART, Agent, Meridian.



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Having purchased their Goods in the cheapest markets, and at times when goods were low, they congratulate themselves on being able to give satisfaction to customers, not only in style and qualities, but in prices also. Their department of Ladies' Dress Goods will contain a full assortment of the richest and most varied styles of

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They would also direct attention of those visiting Meridian to their stock of Brench & Co.,) where may be found a similar stock.

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We have now on hand a supply of the above.

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WOULD call the attention of the public to their house, and an examination of their goods, soliciting a liberal share of patronage, and hoping to give general satisfaction, which if we do not do, we shall fall of our intentions. We do not promise to sell LOWER THAN ANY ONE ELSE, nor do we think we will sell higher; but call and see.

June 30 sw3m

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WE have just opened a Fresh Lot of Confectioneries from the best of manufacturers, at prices to suit the times. We recognize the fact of the great scarcity of money, and we are determined to regulate our prices in accordance therewith and to place our goods within the reach of all

TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS

we offer our Goods at prices as low as they can be had in the Mobile market.

Give us a call and exam ne our articles and prices for yourselves.

HALLORAN & HORWITH,

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New Shoes! New Shoes!!

At Mrs. Noreen & Neville's, for Ladies and Children's. A good article at low prices.

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Parties and others will find this date no concern will be equalled for neat, expeditious COLEMAN & SHEDD.

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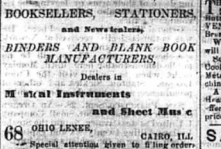

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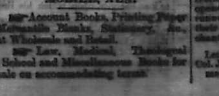

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Meridian, Aug. 27, 1867.

SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

PROSPECTUS

OF THE

Meridian Daily Gazette.

The undersigned proposes to issue a daily paper from this office, about the first of October, while the semi-weekly and weekly will be published as heretofore. The commercial importance of Meridian, its rapidly increasing population and its prosperity, almost without a parallel in the South, has led many to believe that the public would literally sustain and support a daily paper at this place. There is no reason why Meridian, with its railroad advantages and its greatly increasing wealth, should not maintain a daily newspaper that in size, appearance, mechanical execution and industrial nourishment would take rank with the dailies of our neighboring cities. We believe a daily will more properly represent the great interests of the city at home and abroad, and comes confident that it will be found in its rapid advancement more than the Semi-Weekly or Weekly we now publish. We propose to all the industry and enterprise necessary to accomplish it with the capital at our command, and will be compelled to make it an expensive paper at the outset. The daily Gazette will give the latest telegraphic news, all important reports right to twelve hour collections that can be used in any other paper, and will be specially valuable to merchants and business men in their daily negotiations.

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J. GIBSON, Publisher.
J. J. SHANNON, Editor.

Mississippi News.

The Rev. Mr. Hamblett, of the Methodist Church, in Jackson, has resigned to accept the Presidency of two colleges in Sharon, Miss.

Cattle are selling in great numbers in Yazoo county at Erysipelas—pronounced to be the same disease that has killed so many cattle in Kentucky and Tennessee. Four persons have also taken the malady, and recovered. One had died and the case of another is at the last accounts. Time caught the disease in swelling one of the fingers of his left hand, which has since begun to turn black in our corpulent opinion, indicating mortification in our midst. We advise the people to keep cool, pay their debts and attend to their own affairs, and not borrow trouble unnecessarily. Copiabel.

At the Presbyterian reunion recently held in Carrollton, Miss., there were present sixty-eight thirty-five new additions to the church.

The Presbytery of Central Mississippi will meet for next at Pine Ridge church, near Sidon, the 4th day in October.

Gen. Ord has appointed A. A. Mizzen, Sheriff and Ex-officio Tax Collector of the Vicksburg district, vice Boyd.

DEATH OF W. E. SHARKEY.—Within the past few days we have received the sad intelligence of the death of this State and for several years at the head of the law department of the University of Mississippi, which occurred suddenly in Minnesota.

Pascagoula.—We learn from the Clarion that Gen. Dow. Adams, has located permanently in Jackson County, and is about to commence business in this address. Wall Street.

News Items.

A devoted wife in Kentucky, when informed that her husband had but a day to live, took a razor so that she might die with him.

The New York Times thinks Valandigham an enemy in disguise of the Democratic party, driving away voters by talking silver with them.

Sheridan's party was humorously ticked with a sable that was lifted on their entrance into Galveston, and the Gulf fleet, in honor of the victory in California.

The old penitentiary building in Washington is to be demolished, and a building to be used for mechanical purposes erected upon the sites. The remains of J. Wilkes Booth lie in the old jail yard, and the birth of the prison, but three of Mrs. Surratt, Payne, Harold, Atzerodt and Wirz will not be removed. It has already been fully occupied by relic hunters.

One of the slanderers of Gov. Holm. Irving, now prunes him dead. Prentice says, where we previously to the old term a living victim at the stake, and then kindly fan the charred sickness to cool it."

It is said that Mr. Washington, of Illinois, has been called to Washington by the Radical committee to prevail on Grant to say something radical.

Gen. Joseph E. Johnston has resigned the Presidency of the Alabama and Tennessee Rivers Railroad, from Selma to Dalton, and Franklin H. Delano, of New York, has been elected to fill his place.

The New York Times thinks it is theory of the proper method for an agent on an injection against the turnout Kimball, of Utah, who announces that he has seventy children already.

There is some comfort in Georgia according to the latest reports. A negro had made for himself a coffin, and if elected he will do all in his power to ameliorate the condition of the whites.

Rev. Mr. Cross is preaching sermons against Masonry and odd fellowship in Washington.

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☞ During the absence of Col. J. J. Shannon, the editorial department of the Gazette will be conducted by John Armstrong, associate Editor.

Correspondence of "Enquirer."

NEW YORK, Sept. 28, 1867.

So many descriptions have been given of New York, and of Broadway, its great thoroughfare, that I shall not attempt anything of the kind for the readers of the Gazette. Suffice it to say that this great Metropolis of America is a beautiful city, crowded beyond all idea with human beings, and exhibiting in their greatest contrasts the extremes of wealth and high social position, with poverty, filth and wretchedness. I am stopping at the Steven's House, a well kept hotel on the European plan, by which you pay for exactly what you order and no more. The Hotel is at the foot of Broadway near the Battery gardens, where the great turmoil, bustle and confusion of the city commences. From here Broadway extends for about five miles, and though a wide street, every day in the week, from 8 in the morning to 6 in the evening, the side walks are jammed with pedestrians, and the street filled with omnibuses, cabs, coaches and every kind of vehicle. Often the street is so packed with carriages, that it is completely blocked up for a half hour at a time, and to cross the street is a difficult and dangerous feat. At Fulton street a bridge has been erected across Broadway so that a crossing can be made in any direction, over the crowd below, and often during the day the bridge and the street below is filled with a dense crowd waving and surging in every direction.

A short distance from here on Broadway is Trinity Church, the finest Episcopal edifice in America. I attended service there Sunday afternoon. The inside of the church was splendid and magnificent. There was a quietness and grandeur about the scene indescribable. The music from the organ was superb. The sun was shining brightly and glancing and glimmering through the large stained glass windows of the church, reflected in all the colors of the rainbow. The quiet chant of the ministers at the altar, the responses of the congregation, the grand tones of the organ, were charming and impressive.

The Republican party of this State met to-day at Syracuse to nominate candidates. There are two sets of delegates from this city, besides the regular republicans. Thurlow Weed and the Johnson wing of the party, though very small and comprising chiefly office holders, have sent a delegation. The Constitutional convention, now in session at Albany, have proposed, as one of the changes in the organic law, universal negro suffrage, but it is said they are afraid to submit it to the people this election, and will endeavor to keep the Convention in session until after the November election. But whether submitted or not, the October elections in Ohio and Pennsylvania and in November in New York, will turn on that question. The New York Herald contends that the elections in Maine and California indicate the existence of some general and pervading causes of Republican apathy and demoralization, and a general reaction in the drift of public opinion which foreshadows the near approach of a great political revolution. The Herald adds:

Personal quarrels and jealousies, restrictive liquor laws and Sunday prohibitions of elder and lager beer, will not serve as explanations of those late republican losses; for it is apparent that the same apathy prevails in the party ranks in Pennsylvania and everywhere else that has been developed from Connecticut to Maryland—The true explanation lies in the departure of Congress from the platform of Southern reconstruction submitted to and approved by the Northern States, and in the substitution of the extreme radical programme of universal negro suffrage and negro supremacy in the South. Hence the radical hue and cry of impeachment against Andrew Johnson's heels, with no encouraging responses from the rank and file of the republican party; and hence the radical design of worrying General Grant out of Johnson's Cabinet has signally failed. Southern reconstruction, it is seen, under the present laws of Congress, is sure to place the control of ten or eleven of the Southern States in the hands of the ignorant and credulous blacks who but yesterday were released from the darkness and degradation of Southern slavery. Naturally enough, thinking men, in looking to probable consequences of this startling revision of our political power, recoil from the threatened danger. Herein, we contend, lies the secret of this reaction against the party in power; and from Pennsylvania and Ohio we expect in October some evidence upon the subject which will satisfy Congress itself. Unless broad as are the requirements of the revolution connected with the abolition of slavery, it has still its metes and bounds not beyond which it is dangerous to go.

ENQUIRER.

The New York Herald says the true road to success and restoration, is the repeal of the revolutionary reconstruction acts, and ratification of the plan of Southern reconstruction submitted to the people and endorsed by those in last year's State elections.

Mr. Wm. McGowan, of Brandon, shot and killed a negro girl named Fanny on Thursday morning last. All the evidence before the jury of inquest went to show that it was done accidentally.

Dr. Stone on Yellow Fever.

Dr. Warren Stone, of New Orleans, one of the most prominent physicians in the country, delivered a lecture on yellow fever recently, before a Medical College of New York. Believing that whatever is said on this subject by so eminent authority will be read with much interest at this time, when the terrible scourge is gradually creeping over our State, we will give a brief resume of the lecture: Yellow fever is a disease peculiar to warm latitudes, but its limits could not be defined by any exact temperature or climate conditions, for exceptions would frequently occur to falsify any such restriction.—Nothing more definite could be said than that it was a disease incident to warm climates, and induced by a peculiar poison totally intangible and disconnected from any known causes of disease. In regard to the aetiology of causes of yellow fever, there had been much dispute. It had been a question whether it was imported or of local origin. It certainly was not important to this age. The splendid influence so wafted through the atmosphere in waves of cycles, and always made gradual and regular approaches; so that in New Orleans they knew when it was coming by its prevalence in islands in the gulf. In the year 1853 it began in March, and after passing over the northern part of South America and the West India Islands, it reached New Orleans in 1853. In 1855 it traveled as far as Memphis, and was severe in many of the interior towns—he said the Federal Government to keep yellow fever off by their sanitary regulations. The weather happened to be cooler, and there was less rain; but there was no material difference in any other respect. The disease fixed upon a place and ran its course, increasing in a certain ratio, declining in the same way, and finally disappearing, but for the time being affecting all who were exposed to its influence. It was true, however, that debility and other reasons rendered some persons much more susceptible than others to the peculiar poison; but this was the case with all diseases. "I am perfectly convinced," said the doctor, "beyond all doubt or hesitation, that personally it is not contagious; I *know* that it is not." If the disease were contagious it would always be so, for it was the same disease in all places. It was a specific disease, and the same person had it but once; acclimation was perpetual, but it was very hard to convince the human understanding where. Then he goes on to state:

The disease itself varied in the mode of attack. The most favorable cases were those where it was ushered in at once with the prominent symptoms, consisting of a rigor followed immediately with pains in the limbs, back, and head, with heat of the skin and fever. But many of the cases were insidious, and the patient continued up and about, complaining of pain in the limbs and a chilly feeling. The disease was progressing all this time, and the physician was not likely to see the patient until it was too late to do anything. It was for this reason that more violent attacks were really favorable to ultimate recovery; for the milder cases were just as sure to kill as any other, if they were neglected. He found all the cases would prove fatal unless the patient was promptly managed and kept quiet. In the self-limited cases there was rigor, pains in the head, back and limbs, and sometimes a peculiar capillary engorgement, particularly of the eyes. If the patient is placed in bed at once, with a little assistance he breaks into a sweat, as in common intermittent fever. This gives some relief, but not much. The pains continue; but if the case is favorable, they go on until the sweating and heat subside together at the end of three days. The patient must be kept quiet in bed, and if he is then nourished he will have no return of the suffering. He must not even be allowed to raise his head. If he gets up a faintness comes over him, and the whole process is often much worse, with the addition of nausea and loathing of food. In this case he almost certainly dies. Purgatives are not necessary, and may do much harm. A mild dose of oil may be given if there is anything in the stomach likely to ferment and prove irritating. A simple injection may prove useful. If patients are seen in the beginning, the doctor gave them, when prostration began, a full dose of quinine. There was no doubt of its good effect in quieting pains and promoting perspiration. Sometimes a second dose was advisable the following morning. This was all that could be done, beyond regulating the drink and nourishment. There was nothing more to do. There was no organic disease—nothing was revealed by dissection. Some writers noted a peculiar condition of the blood, which afterwards showed itself in the veins. There were many little points in the treatment which, in the aggregate, were of vast importance. In regard to the application of ice to relieve the pains in the head, it was common, but not advisable, and afforded only very temporary relief. The reaction from it was very dangerous. Cups, to the head, stomach, and back, were much used at one time, but only in cases of plethora were they of service. Simple applications of mustard were generally sufficient to relieve the head. Leeches and

Absolute rest and nourishment were of the highest possible importance. Any form of stimulant may be given that the patient prefers, but malt liquors were the best. Brandy may often be given, even with the fever. Beef tea was necessary, and if the stomach could not retain it, it must be given by injection. Where there was acidity of the stomach, he closed with bicarbonate of soda, combined with the 1-32 of a grain of morphia had often an excellent effect. Sponging the patient with cold water was grateful and appropriate, but on no occasion must he be disturbed by the treatment. There was much in anticipating certain symptoms. If there is a disposition to delirium and wandering, it may be combated against by cold shoulder pes and stimulants. If this delirium is allowed to continue, the patient becomes comatose, and dies. It must be remembered that yellow fever patients are wholly irresponsible, and therefore they may talk reasonably, they do not appreciate their own condition.

It was exceedingly difficult to keep patients quiet in bed, yet it was the most essential part of the treatment.

MORE TROUBLE IN NASHVILLE.—The Nashville city authorities have petitioned Chancellor Harrison for an injunction restraining the newly elected Mayor and Council from being inducted into office. It is understood that he will give them an early hearing. The Nashville correspondent of the Memphis Avalanche says:

Petitions called on Recorder Foster and notified him that if he did not administer the oath of office to the new Mayor and Council, the Commissioners would. What Council held a meeting, and, at the close, Mayor Brown is reported from the Secretary of State whether the newly elected officers had taken the condition oath required by law. It is believed that if the old officers do not vacate, Gen. Gregory will eject them by military force.

The Financial Agitation.

In the great political contest now going on in the North the financial problem is being brought fairly and squarely before the people. In Indiana Gov. Morton has written a sensible letter on the subject, and in Ohio, Pendleton, Butler, Senator Sherman and others are addressing the people on the subject of our national debt and the oppressive taxation which it involves. The reformers urge, first, that the issues of the Government shall be substituted for those of the national banks; second, that the 5-20 bonds of which there is about $12,000,000.00, shall be redeemed as they fall due, with legal tenders; and third, that the untaxed bonds shall be made liable to taxation. The champions of Congress declare this shall be unjust to the bondholders, to give them in exchange for an interest bearing security, a security that bore no interest, and take away from them all the income from the property or money they loaned the Government, and that it would also be a breach of national faith, plainly and palpably. Those who do not look through radical spectacles see it in a different light. They are taxed one hundred and fifty millions annually to pay a gold interest on the war debt. Fifteen thousand capitalists own these war bonds which are by law free from taxation, notwithstanding they draw coin interest. If greenbacks are good enough for the farmer, the mechanic and the merchant, the masses North think they should be good enough to pay the few bondholders for their bonds. Paying the 5-20's in greenbacks would relieve the treasury of the payment of two hundred millions of interest per annum. The fight is setting in favor of the conservative argument, and the agitation will be kept up vigorously, no doubt, until some kind of a financial simplification and reduction is adopted.

The Indian Commission.

The Indian Commission have met the hostile chiefs at North Platte, in Nebraska Territory, where matters of a very decisive character were made on both sides. Through their chosen representatives and spokesmen, Spotted Tail, Man Afraid of his Horses, Standing Elk, Pawnee Killer, Big Mouth, Star Eagle, Turkey Foot, Swift Bear and Black Bear, have spoken. From their very hearts they cry out "stop these two roads—the Powder River road and the Smoky Hill—and then you'll have life." Each and all sing the same song. The iron fingers that are so rapidly stretching across the plains drive off the Indian's game, and they seem determined to resist the progress of the work if possible. Gen. Sherman advised them to go to work like the Cherokees and Choctaws, but the red man said he was not ready to farm yet and will fight to keep his country and protect his game. Gen. Sherman told them the road up the Platte and the Smoky Hill railroad would be built, and if the Indians were injured by them the government would pay all damages; but if the young Indians interfered the President would not leave his soldiers and sweep the red man away. The General then proposed to let the whole Sioux Nation select their country on the Missouri river, embracing the White Earth and Cheyenne rivers; to have their land like the white people forever; to let the government to keep all white men away, except such agents and traders as the Indians may choose, so that they may cultivate land, build houses and raise cattle. In this the government would give such aid as it could, and to send schools for children to read and write. Peace was declared between the Brule, Ogallalla and Cheyennes. Pawnee Killer left the council in disgust before peace was made. He hurried to his wigwam, painted his face deep red, and mounting his pony galloped away over the sand bluffs. Thus the grand council was ended. Powder and ball were to be distributed to the chiefs the following day, also blankets and cloth. The Commission will now take a recess, and meet again with the southern Indians at Fort Laramie on the 13th of next month.

A Circular from Gen. Ord's headquarters, shows that the following persons have been arraigned, tried and sentenced by the Military Commission sitting at Vicksburg: Nelson Williams and Charles Williams for stealing horses; two years imprisonment each. Samuel William, same offence, six months imprisonment; John Maher, policeman, for shooting Richard Davis, colored, two years imprisonment; Hugh McGinty, for stealing a horse, two years imprisonment; John Hann, stealing a horse, six months imprisonment; Frank Page, colored, stealing a horse, one years imprisonment—Nelson and Charles Williams are to be sent to the penitentiary at Jackson, Miss., and the others to Little Rock, Ark.

A meeting of the Directory of the Meridian and Chattanooga railroad was held at Livingston on the 30th inst. to transact business relating to the long talked of transfer of the Road to Messrs. Waddill & Co., who propose completing it. Final and conclusive action was not had, but the Journal understands, it is altogether probable that the transfer will be made, and the work on the Road commenced by the first of November.

The President did not take the bull by the horns in time and his amnesty proclamation therefore excites but little interest. He relieves us from the effects of "a retaliatory or vindictive policy, attended by unnecessary disqualifications, pains, penalties, confiscations and disfranchisements," but says as Congress has, by act and resolution, not taken away these rights, you must go to the Courts to get them back. As it is now too late for the Courts to act on the question before the election takes place, none but those registered under the reconstruction acts of Congress, will be permitted to exercise the right of franchise. A case has been made up, however, in a neighboring State, and the authority of Congress to over-ride the President's pardoning power, will be tested there as soon as practicable.

The Republicans have nominated Col. John A. Hiest, Col. F. E. Franklin, and Capt. P. T. Powell, as candidates for delegates to the Constitutional Convention from Tunica county.

MR. DAVIS' TRIAL.—A variety of speculations are transmitted to the press by telegraph, touching the coming trial of Mr. Davis. It is now declared that all the statements heretofore published, regarding the trial of Mr. Davis, have been mere surmises, and the Government has not authorized them, nor has it made public any intimation of what it intends doing. It is semi-officially announced that the Government will ask for further delay when the trial comes off in November, and that the counsel for accused will make a motion to enter a *nolle prosequi*. Judge Underwood will be present, but it is not settled whether Judge Chase will preside. The motion to quash will be argued and decided probably during the early part of the term. Whether this statement contains any more truth than those heretofore given the public, remains to be seen.

THE RECONSTRUCTION ACTS TO BE TESTED.—Judicial steps are being taken in Gen. Pope's district to secure the right of suffrage by the recent proclamation. Several citizens of Alabama, who have been pardoned by the proclamation, have been before boards of registration, which are now revising the lists, and demanded the right to be registered. General Pope instructed the boards to refuse to register them, and they were refused. Hon. S. F. Rice, of Montgomery, an ex-Judge of Alabama, who was one of these parties, went before the U. S. Commissioner and made affidavit of the fact, with a view of testing in the United States Court the constitutionality of the military reconstruction laws, and the power conferred by an Executive pardon. Similar movements will be made in other States where registration is not closed, and if legal redress fails before Judges Busteed and Underwood, in Alabama and Virginia, the matter will be taken before the Supreme Court. No decision can be had, however, until after the Convention elections are over.

Important railroad consolidations among the Northern roads, extending from Omaha to New York, are on foot.

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Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains past up at.....8.33 P. M.
" " down.....6.35 A/M.
Accommodation train leaves at 5.30 P. M.
" " arrives.....5.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11; A. M. Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 3.23 P. M. Macon 5.33 P. M. Artesia 7 P.M. Okolona 10.15 P. M. Corinth 1.30 A. M. Humboldt 3.50 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10.35 A. M. Decatur, 472 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2.20 P. M. Corinth 7.05 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1.45 A. M. Macon 3.05 A. M. Meridian 6.25 A. M. Enterprise 7.50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3.10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian.....7.30 A. M.
" arrive.....4.30 P. M.
" leave Selma.....6.30 P. M.
" arrive.....4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves.....7.00 A. M.
" arrives.....4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2.30 and leaves at 3.40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passenger for Memphis, and all points North, make quick time and sure connections by taking trains on Southern Railroad, connecting at Lake's Mine with trainsleave N. O., J. & G. N. Railroad at Canton with trains to Meridian, and at Tillman's Station at Grenada with trains to the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Grenada daily at 1.45 a. m. and 2.25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 10.45 a. m. and 6.45 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad, for all points North.

GOING SOUTH.

Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 5 p. m. and 1.00 a. m., making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Supt.

C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

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1ST LIEUT. THOMAS L. NYE.
24th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistence.

2ND LIEUT. W. O. CORY.
24th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Asst. Asst. Surg. H. R. WARNER, U.S.A. Medical Inspector R. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS,
Agent R. R. F. and A. L. at Head qrs.

Sub-District, Meridian, Miss.

CAPT. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C.
Sub-Assistant Commissioner R. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

Bishop Green's Appointments.

Shuqualak	October	10
Macon	"	11
Columbus	"	12 & 13
DeKalb	"	15
Lauderdale	"	17
Meridian	"	19 & 20
Enterprise	"	21
Quitman	"	22
Col. Gaines	"	24
Brandon	"	26 & 27

One friend informs another of what benefit the Red Jacket Bitters are and have been to him, and thus the reputation of this great family medicine is constantly increasing.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick the old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night. Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and an experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded. tf

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Buddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it. It gives as much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen and their medicines of which they are Proprietors as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Agne Cure is world wide, being now used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, but their only evidence is recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Stenton's Cleveland Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are as well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school purposes, as they were upon the first introduction of the articles. Their Writing Fluids are unsurpassed as well as Inks in the essential qualities for writing, and the Carmine Ink is the best article of red ink ever manufactured. Their Extract of Jamaica Ginger is also a superior article. Their Soothing Syrup is highly recommended by physicians and nurses, and is the best article for children we have ever used. Their Worm Candy is also a superior article. Their Sarsaparilla is highly recommended by those who have used it. Their Agne Cure is a sure cure for chills and fever. Their Bettison's English Horse Liniment is the best article we have ever used for the purpose for which it is intended. Their Stenton's Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink are the best we have ever used. Their Extract of Jamaica Ginger is

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Manufactured by us exclusively for the Southern Trade, which we are prepared to sell at low prices and on liberal terms.

Our stock is adapted in material, style, lengths, and sizes, exclusively to the South, and comprises goods from the lowest priced to the finest made, including a large assortment of goods for
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The recent decline in woolen and cotton fabrics will enable us to offer clothing at much lower prices than it has been sold for at any time since 1860.

Cash and close buyers from the South are invited to examine our stock before purchasing, as we believe we can offer them great inducements.

We will be happy to receive orders, and our long experience in the Southern business enables us to make selections which will be certain to give entire satisfaction.

Descriptive Catalogues with prices sent by mail if desired.

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—FOR THE—
Sale of Wood and Iron Machinery,
IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,
PORTABLE AND STATIONARY
ENGINES,
and all descriptions of
LABOR SAVING MACHINES,
ADAPTED TO THE
Wants of this portion of the South.

CROSS as the celebrated STAFFORD CULTIVATOR, or "Sulky Plow;" Corn Planters, Cotton Planters, Grain Drills, Patent Reapers, Mowers and Threshers; Patent Cotton Presses and Cotton Gins, Horse Powers, Stump Extractors, plows; Force and Well Pumps; Sorghum Sugar Cane Mills and Evaporators; Straw Cutters; Corn Shellers; Saw Mills; Flouring and Corn Mills, Rice Hullers; Lathes; Planing Machines; Shingle and Stave Machines; Brick Machines; Mill Saws and Gearing; Rubber Belting; Bolting Cloths; Dough Kneading, Quilting, Washing, Sewing, and Knitting Machines; Patent Churns, Brooms and Wagons, and the various Patent Looms; Woolen and Cotton Factory Machinery. Also, Chickering's, Knabe's Light's, Bradbury's and other Piano's, Melodeons, &c., &c.

Impressed with the fact that the South can only replace its great loss of manual labor, by the introduction of Steam Machinery, Improved Agricultural Implements, and Labor Saving Machinery, and with these artificial aids drew upon its countless sources of wealth, the undersigned has organized, after much labor, time and expense, an extensive Agency, to visit all parts of the South, and furnish almost anything desired, in the way of Machinery, etc., at the lowest cash prices. He is assisted by a number of gentlemen of experience and integrity, who, from habit of the ladies he has many articles specially for them. Having been for a number of years the large consumer of Northern and Southern Manufactures to sell their goods, he is prepared to furnish information as to the cost, and receive orders for any article comprised in the great variety he represents.

☞No article offered that has not proved a success.

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G. D. BUSTAMANTE.

RECOMMENDATION.

Rochester, Miss., Aug. 12, 1867.
Capt. G. D. BUSTAMANTE:—*Dear Sir:*—Having known you favorably for twenty years, and watched with pleasure the progress you have made within the last two years in your laudable undertaking of introducing into our midst many of the various labor-saving machines in use at the North, and fully endorsing your views as to the necessities of our State for such, and believing you to be eminently qualified to succeed in the new field for business men, we take pleasure in recommending you and our enterprise to the public, and in wishing you complete success.
J. A. P. Campbell, Ct'Judge 5th Jud'l Dist.
I. W. Scarborough, Probate Judge Attala co.
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The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he considers to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return mail, will please address
REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and sold out the
Meridian Star Brewery
to Wm. McCorkle. The Brewery will be carried on until the 15th of September, owing to the warm weather, after which time it will be closed. All debts on the same terms as before. All accounts will be collected by M. L. McCorkle, Meridian, Miss.
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July 1st, 1867—aug3mwf

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NO EXCUSE FOR BAD BREAD
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—FOR—
Bread, Biscuit, Puddings, Cakes, Pastry, &c., without using Yeast-Powders, or Soda.
TIME AND LABOR SAVING AND HEALTH GIVING.
GENERAL DIRECTIONS.

Stir in the water with a spoon and beat at once, without kneading or waiting for the dough to rise; the yeast, therefore, should be in good baking order before beginning to mix—MIND THIS.

Milk is superior to water for all pastry purposes.

For Cakes, Pastry, &c., the SELF-RAISING FLOUR should be the last articles mixed. Salt to suit the taste.

RECEIPTS.
SALT TO SUIT THE TASTE.

FOR LIGHT BREAD.—Use cold water or milk, and mix with a spoon just sufficient to thoroughly wet the dough; put it into a deep pan not more than half full, bake immediately. The pan should be covered to prevent the formation of a hard c ust before the loa. has risen sufficiently. If the bread does not brown on the top, remove the cover a few minutes before taking the bread from the oven.

BREAD PANS.—Are found to bake best when seven inches long, four inches deep, and four inches wide at the bottom, taring and rivetted corners. Three pans are required for a loaf.

FOR BISCUIT.—Make the dough as soft as can be handled, using cold water, with half the usual amount of shortening, or cold sweet milk without shortening. Bake or scorch in well heated oven, they will be light, white sweet and tender.

FOR LIGHT ROLLS.—Same as biscuit, except that the dough should be a little softer, use less shortening.

FOR WHEAT MUFFINS.—Three eggs, one quart of milk or water, three cups of flour, one table spoonful of melted lard. Bake in deep Muffin rings.

FOR PIES.—Use less shortening than with common flour, and roll the crust very thin.

SPONGE CAKE.—One pound of Sugar, dilated in three gills of milk or water, half a pound of butter, two eggs, half a pint of milk or water and two pounds of flour.

QUICK SPONGE CAKE.—One cup of powdered Sugar and one cup of flour, well mixed together. Break in three eggs, stir quickly and bake in a square tin immediately, in a moderate oven. Flavor with lemon or otherwise to suit the taste.

GOLD AND SILVER CAKE.—One cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, four cups of flour, three-fourths cup of corn starch, one teaspoonful of cream tartar, one-half do. soda. Whites of six eggs for silver cake. Flavor with lemon or otherwise and bake in covered tin pans.

DROP NUTS.—One pound of Sugar, a little shortening, two eggs, three pounds of flour and one pint of water.

FRYING AND DUMPLINGS.—Prepare the dough in every respect the same as for biscuit. Use a little more shortening if desired for cake.

PAN CAKES AND FRITTERS.—Will need no eggs. Butter and Griddle Cakes, etc., are very superior made from Self-Raising Flour.

The quicker you handle this flour the better. Never sift it, stand it to rise. See that the oven is not before you touch the flour. The softer the dough the better. Do not knead it.

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☞Ask your Grocer for sale pound package, or will use another—every package warranted.
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There is not in this scheme an acre of swamp or wild land; each Farm and Lot, or the whole of a cultivated Plantation—each tract is on or within a few miles of a Railway, either on the
Memphis & Charleston,
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The several tracts are disposed of at the low cost of one dollar, in subdivisions of 10, 40 and 160 acres. Each subdivision constitutes a prize, and each

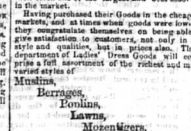
TICKET COSTS ONE DOLLAR.

For a description of the property refer to the new Pamphlet issued by the Company. Titles are perfect, or the money will be paid to the winner of the prize.

All land in this scheme is in the State of Mississippi. The Capital Prize within fifteen miles of Memphis, on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

The lands are adapted to the growth of grain, cotton, grapes, etc., are within fifteen Government lands, in cold latitudes, at one dollar and a quarter per acre. The average cost of these lands is seven dollars per acre

A deduction of 10 per cent. in favor of ten or more. Tickets may be had of local Agents or through the Memphis Agency.
July 18d
L. M. HART, Agent, Meridian.



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MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI,

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Having purchased their Goods in the cheapest markets, and at times when goods were lowest, they congratulate themselves on being able to give satisfaction to customers, not only in the style and qualities, but in prices also. The department of Ladies' Dress Goods will comprise a full assortment of the richest and most varied styles of

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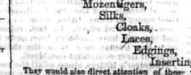
They would also direct attention of those visiting Marion to their store (Broach & Co.,) where may be found a similar stock.
Terms low for cash and cash only.



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Flour and other like feed on account will be sold for CASH.
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One Mule with the greatest ease, can pack a heavy bale of Cotton.

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TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS
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Give us a call and examine our articles and prices for yourselves.
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which he will sell as low as he can afford; and asks his old friends and the public generally to give him a call.
His CLOTHING will be sold for the present at cost, and BACON for CASH.
He is now running his own machine, and will be able to little green, from friends to make it go smooth. Aug. 1, 1867 ly

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NOTICE.

THE firm of Wagner & Rust is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on at the old stand by W. M. Rust.
A. B. WAGNER.
W. M. RUST.
Meridian, Miss., Sept. 1, 1867—swtf

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☞ During the absence of Col. J. J. Shannon, the editorial department of the Gazette, will be conducted by Jno. Armstrong, associate Editor.

Correspondence of "Enquirer."

NEW YORK, Sept. 27, 1867.

I have just seen a copy of your paper of the 18th, containing the new Republican nominations for Lauderdale. If any thing was wanting to disgust a decent white man with Radicalism in Mississippi, the proceedings of the recent Republican State Convention at Jackson, and such nominations as have been made in Lauderdale, would furnish it. It would appear that the negroes and the unprincipled white who manipulate them, can't trust an honest, respectable *white* man. In this they show their folly, and demonstrate their utter incapacity for the ballot.

They may, for a time, by the sheer force of numbers, sweep from power the intelligence of the State, but they will entail on themselves and their prosperity irreparable injury. Such conduct will unite the white people in a solid party that will ultimately control and assert the supremacy of our race and color. It must be palpable to the dullest intellect, that the negroes will control our State Convention. Ignorant of the very meaning of laws and constitutions, they aspire to frame the organic law under which we and our children are to live, and by which we are to be governed. I do not dispute that there are a few respectable white men that call themselves Republicans; but such men are not acceptable to the negroes. The handful of white men who favor confiscation and disfranchisement, who pander to the prejudices and passions of the negro, are the men who will have their confidence and be their assistants and whose characters are thoroughly worthless and contemptible. Such reconstruction as this, is a monstrous outrage, and should be defeated if possible. But the numbers of the negroes render this impossible at present, and the force must go on until the good sense of the people North and South applies the proper corrective. I have an abiding confidence that white people of the North will not allow the permanent debasement of our race in the South.

I do not agree with the Gazette that any benefits will result from the President's new amnesty proclamation. It will not add a vote to the number already registered. The far greater portion of the disfranchised needed no amnesty, but had already received pardons or were embraced in the previous amnesty.

ENQUIRER.

In Mobile the other day at the Convention election, only about 112 white votes were cast, the polls being given up almost entirely to the negroes. The radical ticket was of course elected.

A petition has been filed with Judge Blatchford, of New York, asking that the Memphis, El Paso & Pacific Railroad Company be compelled to go into bankruptcy. This is the first case relative to involuntary bankruptcy on the part of a corporation under the new law.

A Louisville telegram states that Chief Justice Chase made a speech at Columbus, Ohio, the other day, in which he advocated the extension of suffrage to all who are now deprived of it. Chase is getting quite liberal. The reaction now going on must have alarmed the old advocate of a dusky despotism.

We see it stated that Gen. Ord is about to move his headquarters to Holly Springs temporarily. The prevalence of yellow fever at Vicksburg is the cause of the change, we presume.

The Aberdeen Examiner calls the attention of the District Commander to the fact that Mr. J. B. Woodmansee, a registrar for the county of Monroe, was a delegate to the Republican Convention in Jackson, and took active and energetic part therein, as the record will prove. A similar disposition should be made of and many others we wot.

The St. Louis Times says E. J. Castello who is now in Mississippi running for the Convention and delivering political harangues to the negroes, formerly held the office of deputy sheriff in St. Louis, and absconded a defaulter to the tune of many thousand dollars. A decidedly unfavorable record, that.

Radical excesses in Congress have operated very materially against the party in Ohio and Pennsylvania during the recent discussions. The issues have not been met in a bold fearless manner as has been the custom. Chase, Wade and Bingham have evaded, denied and misrepresented instead of justifying the consequences of recent legislation. The grand issues cannot, however, be pushed aside by such miserable subterfuges. Shall the white people share the government, from the lowest to the highest offices, with an ignorant and disinterested race? was the issue upon which men voted, in the prominent Western States, yesterday. It has become the grand struggle between political parties in this country, and the one another paper is printed, the peoples fate will have gone forth. We have no doubt of the result.

The Question in a Nut Shell.

We have seldom seen more common, hard sense put in so short a space, than in the following from the Charlottesville Chronicle: "Some of the papers of the State are half cockedly talking ground against a Convention—advising them to vote against it. Their idea is that the negroes will have the control of that body. *Now, this will not be the case*, in our opinion. The whites will control that body. We think it as well to leave people to cipher for themselves; but we say: *he whites have got the Convention.* But there is no chance of voting down the Convention; the chance, is to vote down the *Constitution*, if we shall not like it.—A majority of the persons voting on the Convention question can call a Convention; but the Constitution will be lost unless *a majority of all the persons registered shall vote to ratify it.* If there are 200,000 registered voters, and only 110,000 vote on the question of calling a Convention, 65,000 will call the Convention. But the Constitution cannot become the law of the State unless more than 100,000 persons vote to ratify it. Thus, if 150,000 persons vote on the question of the ratification of the Constitution. It will not be ratified unless it receives more than *two-thirds* of the vote cast.

Therefore our business now is to make a hard fight for the best men of the Convention; and when the Constitution is finde up, *then* talk about what we shall do.

The Richmond Enquirer contains some wholsome advice to the people of that State, relative to the importance of sending calm, temperate, conservative men to the State Convention; men who, though opposed to the whole radical programme of oppression, proscription and insult, are prepared to show to the people of the North, that we are willing to secure the negro the most ample guarantees for the future protection of all his constitutional rights. While the gorge of the nation is rising from Maine to California at the thought of leaving ten Southern States at the mercy of the negro, the people of the South are to-day more solicitous for the future prosperity and happiness of the negro, than the Radicals of New England. All of us desire that he shall be educated, his self-respect stimulated, and his life, liberty and property made absolutely secure. And we hazard nothing in saying that while under the malignant and vile teachings of the Radicals, the negro has rejected our proffers of comfort of action upon a Conservative platform, and has hld the secrets of his policy in oath-bound societies, there will not be a Conservative delegate elected to the Convention who will not be willing to clothe him with fully as many rights and franchises as he possesses in nineteen-twentieths of the Radical States. And we hope that no man of violent and extreme opinions will be elected to the Convention, but that in every district in which Conservatism shall triumph the delegate shall be a just and tune friend of all.

THE PRESIDENT MEANS FIGHT.—There are breakers ahead for the radical party.—A Washington telegram advises us that the President, convinced of the unconstitutional and the enemies of the Constitution and the Union, are not to be overcome by passive measures, has determined to adopt a more active and decisive course. In pursuance of this determination, he has begun by arranging an entirely new Cabinet, which will be thoroughly conservatic, the members of which are pledged to resist the suspension of the President, should the aggressive Congress be mad enough to resort to such an act. The new Cabinet will not be announced until after the ensuing fall elections.

"Enquirer" says he does not agree with the Gazette's position touching the President's Amnesty. We don't see that there is much difference between us. The Gazette took the ground that the President had the right to grant pardons, but that his amnesty would not be of any benefit to us unless Commanders of his way of thinking were appointed over the Southern dependencies. The proclamation itself clearly shows that the President claims the right of rendering proscription and disfranchisement, to their civil rights, including suffrage, but as there is a clear and undoubted conflict of law with the Constitution, he considers it his duty to decline the enforcement of the amnesty and leave the whole question to be settled by the judiciary.

The freedmen seem to have a "riot bell" in Jefferson City, Louisiana. Maj. Frye officially reported to Gen. Mower that at the recent election the negroes armed, paraded and fixed bayonets at the sound of "their riot bell." Such revolutionary signals should be put down at once. The negro must be blind indeed if he cannot see that such a policy will, ere long, draw the line between the white and black people and ultimately leave "the man and brother" homeless and friendless. There are too many of the Caucasian race in this land, to permit negro supremacy to be very long lived.

The radicals in Louisiana are very much distressed at the probable result of the late election there. The figures as far as heard from fall short of the requisite majority for a Convention by a few hundred during the election. The loyalists should not be surprised at such a result. The white people were fraudulently deprived of their strength at the polls for the purpose of bringing them under the political control and supremacy of the negro and franchised minority, and would, therefore, have nothing whatever to do with sending men to the Convention. The result is just what might have been expected from such folly, and the radicals have no one to blame but the partisan Sheridan, whose lazy aldof in issuing and enforcing the orders which have brought about the Convention failure in Louisiana. The opportunities lost last week will never come again.

In Mobile city and county, a majority was secured of 321 for a Convention.

The question of negro equality in the public schools is causing high excitement in some portions of Ohio, and will doubtless have a material effect upon the result of the approaching election.

BUSINESS SEASON.—A stroll through the city yesterday, along the business marts, convinced us that the season is about opening. Cotton is coming in gradually and our merchants are making preparations to receive their large stocks, and when they arrive will soon be busy in disposing of goods and filling orders. To secure a large trade, advertising should be resorted to liberally. The planters and country merchants will soon be wanting supplies and will be looking over the columns of the newspapers to see what is going on and who has the best assortment of goods and are offering the most liberal terms to purchasers. Try it—advertise without delay, and liberally, do not hide your light under a bushel; invite your country friends to come and see you; let them know what you have for sale and where your place of business is. Remember, as Shakspeare, Byron, or some other friend of ours says,

He who in the world would thrive,
Must take the papers and advertise!

We clip the above from the Mobile Tribune. It suits this locality so well that we adopt it as original. We took a stroll, and saw, and thought, just as the writer of the above did.

RADICAL 'HYPOCRISY.—A colored man named Vashon said to be well educated and unusually intelligent, has applied for license to practice law in the intensely *loyal* and radical district of Pittsburg, Penn. The Radical Judge referred the application, but referred it to a committee of Republican lawyers, who are smothering their report until after the election. The love of the Pennsylvania Radicals for the colored man and brother must be exceedingly great.

REPUBLICAN HONESTY.—A certain Col. Dan Platt is a leading Republican speaker in Ohio. The Colonel is also editor of the *Mac-a-check Press*, a Radical Ohio sheet. To show his opinion of the integrity of his political associates, we copy the following from a number of his paper of June last. He then said :

"We never could make out what the late and lamented Mr. Lincoln wanted with a detective system at all. *From the hour of its first inauguration up to that of his death* THE THIEVES HELD THE POST OFFICE. Among the later acts of Congress that preceded his death, *was an investigation of the cotton frauds, and out of a great number of permits to steal, three-fourths were signed by the President. Honest men stood aghast at the ingratitude* WITH WHICH STEALING WENT ON. *All cries of shame and outrage seemed unavailing.* All opposition was driven away. THIEVES WERE TURNED OUT TO BE SUCCEEDED BY THIEVES, AND COLOSSAL FORTUNES WERE MADE IN AN HOUR."

News Items.

A divorce is hinted at between the Princess Alice, of Hesse, Victoria's daughter, and her husband, who is said to ill-treat her.

The Memphis Avalanche says it is understood that Gov. Brownlow is a candidate for the United States Senate, in place of Senator Patterson.

Mr. John Mitchell is about to issue in New York his new weekly paper, The Irish Citizen.

Hon. James Lyons, of Virginia, one of his counsel, represents that Mr. Davis is ready and anxious for trial.

Edmond Cooper, Esq., of Tennessee, has been appointed private secretary to the President.

Joe Holt instructs military officers to respect writs of *habeas corpus* only when issued by Federal Courts. State Courts are nothing under the Radical policy.

The masonic fraternity in London gave a public festival in honor of Commodore Farragut, a few days ago.

Charges have been made against General Swayne at the head of the Freedmen's Bureau in Alabama, on the ground that he is running for office in the State, and himself as a candidate for the U. S. Senate, under the reconstruction act.

George Francis Train, answering an Illinois gentleman to deliver a temperance lecture, says he never drank a glass of liquor in his life.

Garabaldi is a prisoner, and French troops are marching on Rome—that is one side of the ledger. The Pope is declaring the acts of the Government of Italy, rejecting the affairs of the country "null and void,"—that is the other. Some day the balance will be struck.

The New York Evening News says that a large amount of wearing apparel belonging to Mrs. Lincoln, is on sale in that city.

It is the belief of Mr. McCulloch that the revenue receipts will soon show an important increase from the tax upon cotton and whiskey.

Mr. Davis and wife are at Toronto, Canada.

The steamer Tioga, from New Orleans, via Havana, for Philadelphia, was reported burned on the 27th ult. The Rapidan rescued and brought her passengers and crew, excepting Henry Sherlock, Alexander Mcnell and Thomas Crowley, who were burned to death.

Secretary McCulloch's order forbidding the clerks of the Treasury Department to furnish information to newspaper reporters, has created quite a stir among the former. Many of them made a "good thing" ous of the business.

A letter from the infamous Owen Lovejoy to Hahn of Louisiana has been revived. He tells Hahn to erect a State Government on the basis of universal suffrage and then the gates of hell will not prevail against him.

Georgia is divided into 44 election districts. In glancing over the returns of registration as published in the Atlanta papers, is to be seen that the whites have the majority in 31 districts, to which is apportioned 66 delegates—the other 13 delegates are apportioned to the counties having the colored majority.

PARDON OF R. M. T. HUNTER.—R. M. T. Hunter, who has been pardoned by the President, says in his petition that he proposes to direct himself to the practice of private life; that he submits loyally to the authority of the United States, and recognizes the validity of the Government to establish its policy in the South. He will counsel conformity to that policy with as much influence as may be possible. He recognizes the necessity of submission, and feels the importance of repose to the country. Governor Pendleton Lincoln did not doubt that he, Mr. Hunter, would do what he could to aid in the work of peace and reconstruction in Virginia. That Mr. Lincoln expressed a desire to see him when in Richmond, and sent for him.

The New Orleans Bulletin tells the following pleasant story at the expense of a lady passenger on one of the boats that cross the lake:

She had arisen in the morning, and had commenced dressing—in the ladies' cabin, of course. Observing the door to be partially open, she ran against it with all of her force to close it, supposing it to open and shut on the inner side. It was just the reverse, however, and her acknowledgments be imagined at finding herself running half way down the main cabin into the crowd of gentlemen, before she could abate her speed.

Mississippi News.

The Handsboro (Miss.) Democrat, of last Saturday, has the following: We have been in receipt of a most fatal and singular disease among the children in the Northern part of this county. When a child is first taken, the whole nervous system is contracted, and the patient suffers the most excruciating pains, and cannot bear to be touched. In convulsions, with the nerves contracted, the neck is suddenly broken.

The editor of the Water Valley Courier has been on a visit to Panola county, and his information is by no means encouraging. He says: During a visit to Panola county last week, we were surprised to notice the ravages that the army worm was making. Whole fields of cotton were stripped of their leaves in one day, and today there is scarcely a cotton farm in the county that has escaped. The roads are filled with them, as they march from one field to another.

FREEDMAN KILLED.—On last Saturday a quarrel arose between a freedman and Mr. Jacob Missaps, who lives about ten or twelve miles north of this, concerning a bale of cotton, which resulted in the freedman being shot dead by Mr. Missaps. Missaps fled and is still at large.—Panola Star.

Our readers will bear in mind that there is to be a mass meeting of the people of this county at the Courthouse in Louisville on Monday next, 7th inst., in reference to the Grenada and Meridian Railroad. Several speeches relative to the subject will be delivered.—Louisville (Miss.) Bulletin.

W. H. Magruder, Esq., of Richland, Holm's county, having purchased the materials of the State office at Goodman, in connection of Messrs. Turner, McCallum & Co., with that paper ceases with its last issue.

It is said to learn that the Cotton Worm is doing serious damage to the cotton crop of North Mississippi. The worm, in many instances, is eating all the young bolls, thus destroying one-fourth or third of the late cotton.—Corinth News.

Among the many buildings in course of erection in the flourishing city of Meridian is the very handsome edifice of the Meridian Savings Bank, of which our former townsman and that estimable gentleman, Mr. C. H. Williams, is President. The building is a large brick, fire-proof, and adds greatly to the appearance of that part of the city in which it is located.—Okolona Southern.

In our last week's issue we noticed the capture of the notorious A. L. Pryne by the Sheriff of Smith county. He was arrested on the ground of horse stealing, but Mr. Pierce, of Rankin county, the gentleman from whom he was suspected of having stolen a horse, appeared before he was removed from the county jail, but did not identify him. Consequently the Sheriff discharged him, and he has "gone on his way rejoicing." This man Pryne has been for two or three years practicing the grossest deception upon the Masonic fraternity, and on many occasions obtained money under false pretenses. He is sometimes known as Dr. Mitchel and again as Dr. Hudson, son of Gov. Allen, of Missouri, and sometimes as Col. Anderson. He is about six feet high, has a very slender form, dark hair and eyes, is rather pale-faced, and if noticed closely, a lameness can be discovered in his right foot or leg, about twenty-four years of age. There is no doubt of Pryne's being a horse thief and the sooner he can be made to "look up" the better for horse owners.—Forest Register.

WEATHER AND CROPS.—The season, up to the present time, has been unusually favorable for gathering crops. The rains have been light, and the army worm having left the foliage off of the cotton, leaving the bolls exposed to the sun, it will all be open by the middle of November, and by the first of December, should the weather continue favorable, the cotton crop will be on the market. The farmers are now gathering corn and opening their fall pastures early, which gives their fall stock time to get fat before the frost. The yield of corn is coming fully up to expectations. The potato and pea crops, are very good, will be very prolific, and there is also a fine prospect for a good yield of turnips, and with economy, the country is abundantly supplied for 1868, with all things needful in the produce line, except bacon, and are much better off in this respect than in the present year.—Winona Vidette.

The Vicksburg Times calls Gen. Ord's attention to an officer named Pease, who has violated general orders, which prohibit officers of the army from intermeddling, with or participating in political meetings. Whereupon the Liberty Herald is reminded of "another gentleman, not gutside of Pelion county, who holds a certain office in which he is strictly prohibited from having anything to do with politics, electioneering, &c., and yet we are told he has been extremely active and zealous, while exercising his official duties, in propagating Conservative principles among the freedmen, and in forwarding his own claims as a future candidate for Congress."

A public meeting was held at Woodville lately, and largely attended, to consider and devise means for the relief, benefit and prosperity of the people. A number of us a very intelligent committee was appointed who were to report at another meeting on Saturday last. The object of their labors seems to be to settle on the most practicable plan to secure immigration to the county. The Woodville Republican speaks of the movement as propitious, and the urgency of the case being apparent, encouragement daily. The movement have been taxing the patience of the planters by their indolence and viciousness, and they by no means easy at beholding these demonstrations for a substitution of white labor than can be depended on.

Radicalism does not meet with much favor among the hardy miners of Montana. The political complexion of the newly elected Legislature of that Territory is thus stated: The Council, which consists of seven members, is unanimously Democratic. The House, which consists of fifteen members, will stand fourteen Democrats and one Republican. On account of the misunderstanding in regard to the first and last apportionments, Deer Lodge and Madison counties have elected three members each, and Gallatin two Representatives. If the Legislature shall decide in favor of Gov. Smith's apportionment, the Legislature will be unanimously Democratic. If in favor of the first apportionment, made by Gov. Meagher, then Mr. Irwin, Democrat, will have the honor of being the only Republican in the Montana Legislature.

It appears to be believed at all hands that we are to have an early winter, if not a severe one. In many, therefore, be a matter of interest to the reader to remember that the earliest "killing frost" known in this region since 1845, occurred on the 12th of October, 1845; and the latest appeared on the 20th of November. For several years past we have had a killing frost between the 20th and 26th of October, and hope we may see have it much earlier this year.

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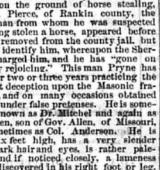
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Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 8.35 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12.40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4.30 p. m.

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Sub-District Meridian.

CAPT. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C. Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

Bishop Green's Appointments.

Shuqualak,	October	10
Macon,	"	11
Columbus,	"	12 & 13
DeKalb,	"	15
Lauderdale,	"	17
Meridian,	"	19 & 20
Enterprise,	"	21
Quitman,	"	22
Col. Gaines,	"	24
Brandon,	"	26 & 27

Major Norton, commander of the Post, Lieut. Nye, commissary, Mr. Thomas, agent of the Freedmen's Bureau, and about twenty-five per cent. of the men on duty here, are sick with chills and fever.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our readers these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. J. Hurley's Bitters, Wormy Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints, but numerous letters from gentlemen in commending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup and Dr. Bettison's Tasteless Rheumatic Liniment, both of which are highly recommended. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and South. Their ink is of the best quality, and stands equalling the best English inks now used. We have seen it tested, and its durability and delight not as well be taken in hand, for which they are so justly celebrated. Those wishing to purchase any of the above preparations or goods, will find it to their interest to send to the proprietors, as they will save from fifty to one hundred per cent. by so doing.

We call attention to the advertisement of Messrs. Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., in another column of our paper. We are willing to vouch for the truthfulness of all that is said in their advertisement, as we have used their medicines in our own family, and know them to be all that is claimed for them. We are willing to say a little more than this, we know them to be all that is needed. And the gentlemen themselves are worthy of the confidence of the public. If

One of the most melancholy tragedies that ever took place in this city was enacted on last Saturday afternoon, on the corner of Johnson Avenue and Sidney Street. As Dr. W. H. Burton was crossing over to Sidney street, he was met by Mr. R. H. Brockenridge, who drew a revolver and commenced discharging it at Dr. Burton. In less time than it takes us to tell it, the Doctor had received four fatal wounds in the breast, abdomen and back. With folded arms he advanced about twenty steps and commenced sinking. Some gentlemen ran forward and carried him to the Drug Store of H. Izard & Co., where he expired in a few minutes. Mr. Brockenridge was immediately taken in custody and lodged in Marion jail. Yesterday morning he was brought to town to attend the examination before Mayor Henderson. As the case is now in court and the issues which led to the tragedy are of a very delicate character, we will hold any particulars for the present. Dr. Burton was buried on Sunday afternoon.

The house of Jno. H. Garner & Co., of Mobile, has made a valuable acquisition by securing the services of Col. A. B. Carter, of Pushlaw. Col. Carter is well and favorably known throughout East Mississippi—has "troops of friends"—and will add very materially to the business of this well known and popular house.

A THING OF BEAUTY.—By reference to our new advertisements, will be seen the latest sensation of our friend Turner.—The gem is a beautiful production, and the reduced rates and latest improvements in the art, should induce everybody to visit Turner's. He has lately established a very magnificent gallery at Shubuta, under the superintendence of a celebrated New Orleans' Artist, who is personally known to us, and we take pleasure in commending him to the citizens of Shubuta and surrounding country.

H. C. Ferris has relinquished his interest in the Macon Beacon office to his son P. T. Ferris, who in future will have sole control of the office.

The Presbyterian Synod meets here today in the new Church. We regret to learn that the pastor, Rev. Mr. Cline, is so indisposed as to render his attendance doubtful.

The headquarters of the Mississippi Aid Society will be moved to Meridian until the yellow fever disappears from Vicksburg. Mr. Chadwick has a few more tickets for the next drawing.

The Mobile and Ohio railroad carries delegates to the Synod which meets here to-day for half the usual fare.

VICKSBURG, Miss., Oct. 8th, '67.

In consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever in the city of Vicksburg we feel compelled by the duty we owe to ourselves, our families and employees, to postpone the 2nd preliminary distribution of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational & Manufacturing Aid Society from the 16th day of October, to the 2nd of November, 1867.

To give our patrons and the public at a distance the necessary time for renewal of certificates, the 5th preliminary distribution will be drawn November 30th, and the Grand Scheme, December 20th, 1867.

We trust that a liberal and patriotic public will both excuse and approve of the short postponement.

Correspondents, and persons ordering certificates, are requested to direct their communications, to the Secretary at Meridian, Miss., to which place all the necessary blanks are promptly removed. An authorized agent will remain at Vicksburg to attend to any communications or orders for certificates.

W. D. LYLES,
President.

ALBERT SANDEL, Sec'y.

☞ The drawing of the School fund for Vicksburg and Jackson will be postponed from the October 24th to November 12th, 1867.

The newly elected municipal authorities of Nashville have been inaugurated.

REMEDIES FOR FARMERS.—All heads of families should bear in mind the great importance of selecting genuine remedies for the use of their family. Buy with reason, judgment and discretion. Buy those in which you have confidence, from one experienced in Southern treatment if possible. Buy those which you think are best. The "Great Southern Preparations" are a class of medicines prepared especially for the Southern people by Southern physicians. See advertisement.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick, the old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night. Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and an experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded. If

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble, Butler, Butler's Grammar, Payne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geography.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a supply of these books for their pupils.—With the exception of the Geography, which is just issued from the press, the books here named are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, the best systems are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but as respectable schools of the State of the sufficient difficulty will occur unless prompt action is taken. We

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Lewis D. Campbell has taken the stump in Ohio in favor of the Democrats.

The speech of S. S. Cox, at Columbus, Ohio, and the meeting of the Democratic Convention at Albany, are having a cheering effect on bank men and capitalists.

A special from Nashville says that Brownlow's election to the Senate is conceded.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 4.—The interments from yellow fever for the twenty-four hours ending at six o'clock this morning were seventy-five—an increase of 19 over the previous day.

The weather turned cold last night, and is chilly and rainy to-day.

Special orders No. 154, dated the 30, discharge the Boards of Registration, excepting the chairman of the same.

Intercourse between officers of the United States Circuit Court are arranging the preliminaries for the trial of Mr. Davis on the first Monday of November.

Judge Underwood to-day overruled a motion to quash the indictment in a revenue fraud case on the ground of want of jurisdiction. He overruled on the ground that the law as given the "court" jurisdiction over all cases, whether named by Congress or not.

New York, Oct. 4.—Elias Howe, the sewing machine inventor, is dead.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 4.—Thos. E. Noel, a member of Congress from this State, is dead.

ALBANY, Oct. 4.—The convention has nominated Homer A. Nelson for secretary of State. Wm. F. Allen, for Comptroller. W. H. H. Bristol for Treasurer, Marshall B. Champlain for Attorney General, and John C. Fay for Canal Commissioner.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The following are among the Alabama rebels here:

That, regarding the national debt as a sacred obligation, we demand economy in administration, honesty in the collection and application of revenues, simplification of and equality in taxation, and economy for the benefit of the people, instead of corporations, to the end that the public faith may be preserved and the burdens of taxation lessened.

That we denounce the effort of the Radical party to retain in power which it has usurped by establishing negro supremacy in the South by military force, coupled with the fraudulent control of the mass of the white population, as an outrage upon democratic principles and an attempt to establish a central despotism. Republic, and that we stigmatize the refusal of that party in the State to submit the question of negro suffrage to the people as a cowardly evasion of a paramount issue in the pending struggle.

Information, under the date of Liverpool, September 17th, has reached official quarters that the shipping of the wheat crop of the United Kingdom to be shorter in quantity and quality, and estimates that the product will yield 20 per cent below the average.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—In consequence of the heavy war and appropriation bill and light revenue receipts, the debt statement shows an increase of $250,000. The Secretary anticipates heavy receipts during the current month, and thinks that the next statement will show a decrease of the public debt.

Attorney General Stanberry's opinion sustains Gen. Grant in saying writs of habeas corpus where soldiers and sailors are concerned. In accordance with this opinion, Secretary Stanton has issued a modere Sebridge to obey the writ and produce in court sailor Growley. Welles has similarly directed Admiral Rodgers to resist the writ by force if necessary.

Commissioner Rollins has written a letter declaring that by law stamps of all kinds are relieved from stamp duty.

The debt bearing coin interest has increased $1,250,000; the debt bearing currency interest has decreased $31,800,000; matured debt, not presented, has decreased $1,250,000; bearing no interest has decreased $4,420,000; coin in the Treasury has increased $23,685,000; currency decreased $13,250,000. Total debt increased $2,490,000.

Cuban dispatches say that a party of railroad thieves, whose operations have extended over the Pacific Railroad for the past three months, have been broken up. Most if not all have been arrested, and a large amount of property has been found secreted by them. It is also reported that large quantities of goods have been shipped to points east during the summer. All the parties implicated were connected with the road.

The Pawnee accounts are said to be highly interested with the Spotted Tail Indians, and say when they are mustered out of the Federal service they will fight them.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 5.—The whites here take but little interest in local politics, but are anxiously awaiting news from Northern elections.

RICHMOND, Oct. 5.—Gen Schofield orders the pay of the officers and clerks of those who bring the poll books to headquarters, to be discontinued after the 25th inst.

It is understood that the colored voters here have agreed to run three whites and three blacks for the Convention. Messrs. Hunnicutt and Wardwell are two of the whites most prominently named.

A Democratic mass meeting was held in Henrico county to-day, and nominated G. T. Swanson for the convention, throwing out an ex-Federal Colonel, who was a candidate for nomination.

Mrs. Anna E. Kirby-Smith was arraigned for the murder of her husband, has been convicted and sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary.

Mr. Davis' trial will certainly take place in November. The counsel on both sides are ready. He is expected to arrive here about the 25th of October.

MONTGOMERY, Oct. 5.—Returns from fifty-four counties, three-fourths of the State, have been received. The Convention was more than eleven thousand votes over the required majority one-half.

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The weather is quite cool, and will check the disease.

The city railroad company received before $1,000 counterfeit nickels during the month of September.

The majority of registered votes polled so far is 6,854, with twenty-one more parishes to hear from. The majority is estimated by the Republicans in these parishes at over 4,000.

Recorder Ahern, of the first district court to-day, in default of bail, sent to jail a negro assistant recorder until a new appointment is made or an election takes place.

The grand jury, half black and half white, met to-day. They were dismissed until Monday next.

The evening papers have an account of tremendous gales at Galveston on Thursday, 3d inst., estimating the damage to walls, shipping, goods, buildings, &c., at $1,000,000. It was the highest overflow since October, 1847.

The water at mid-day so inundated the city works as to render it impossible to build fires.

The city cemetery was covered with water a foot deep.

A three story new brick hotel was blown down upon the Odd Fellow's Hall, crushing it.

The layous are all out of their banks, and the water is spreading in places entirely across the levee, etc.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—It is confidently stated that Gen. Sherman is here only on a flying visit, and will return to Louisville immediately.

The following is a summary of cabinet news: Gen. Grant's appointment gives agitation at Rome. Deputations and memorials are arriving at Florence that Rome be Italy's capital.

The State Department has advices that the Japanese commissioners, Tomogorand Matsmento Julaga, reached Yeddo July 8th. They write Secretary Seward expressing satisfaction with their visit.

The Japanese minister of foreign affairs says officially, that all now seems to be pleasant, but it is impossible to tell how long peace will continue, there are so many bad men in Japan.

Internal revenue receipts $500,000.

RICHMOND, Oct. 7.—The following facts relative to the coming trial of Mr. Davis are from the highest authority: The trial is set down for the fourth Monday in November, and as the Government will not be ready, it will be no postponement by the counsel on either side. The offence of levying war against the United States is the charge, and the counsel for Mr. Davis are confident that, being a citizen of a State, and under its laws, the prisoner's allegiance was due to it, and not first to the United States.

It has been positively ascertained that Judge Chase will preside, but as the Supreme Court commences its session on the first Monday in December, this is not possible. The trial is expected to last several weeks.

Latest Market Reports.

MOBILE, Oct. 7.—Cotton—A fair demand has existed to-day, with factors offering freely. Sales 900 bales, the market closing steady at 30@31c for Middling.

Gold 144@146.

LIVERPOOL Oct. 7.—Evening—Cotton unchanged; upl ands 8¾d; Orleans 8¾; sales to-day 12,000 bales.

NEW YORK, Oct 7.—Cotton steady; Middling Uplands 29c.

Gold 147¾.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 7.—Tobacco advanced; sales of 75 hhds. at $5@21 75.

Flour firm; sales 1,000 bbls. Family $10@12 50. Corn dull and unchanged. Oats 68@70. Rye dull at $1 30@1 35. Barley nominal at $1 40@1 45. Clear sides 18¾. Lard 17¾c. Whiskey nominal at $2 30.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 7.—Tobacco firmer, but not quotably higher. Flour held firmly; XX $8 50; XX $10 25@10 50; XXX $11 50; family $12@13 50. Corn 70@72c. Oats active at 81 01 for yellow, and 1 07@1 08 for prime white. Pork nominal at $24. Bacon—shoulders 14½; clear sides 18¾; sugar-cured hams 25@26. Nothing doing in Lard and Whiskey.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 7.—Cotton—sales to-day 300 bales; market quiet and unchanged; low middling 17½@18c. Receipts 1,000 bales.

Sugar dull—Molasses no sales; Cuba held at 58c; Louisiana 70c. Pork $26 50. Bacon—shoulders 15¼@15½c; clear sides 19¼@19½c. Lard firm; tierce quoted at 15c; keg 16c.

Gold 144, Sterling 155@158. New York Sight ¼ premium.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 7.—Flour firm but not higher; X $7 75@11 00; family $12 00@12 25. Wheat nominal at $2 70 for No. 1—white declined to $1. Oats advanced to 67c. Rye $1 30. Barley scarce at $1 65.—Whiskey unchanged; $2 34 in bond. Pork dull and lower; sales at $25 50. Bacon—shoulders 14@14½c; clear sides 18¾@18½. Lard held firmly at 18½@18½c. Better firm at 22@23c. Coffee and Sugar firm at full prices.

HYMENEAL.

MARRIED.—At the Methodist Church, in Meridian, on Tuesday, Oct. 1, 1867, by Rev. J. H. Gibbs, Rev. G. P. THOMAS, pastor of the church, and MISS HALLIE A. HALL, all of this city.

Rich indeed is the pleasure of that golden hour which unites two hearts in the silken bonds of matrimony. He who is no husband, may sigh for that devoted tenderness which is at once bestowed and received. May the path-way of each wedding party, who were obliged hastily to withdraw. The losses in the engagement were not stated, but the effect of the victory is very inspiring to the party of action.

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MAYORALTY.

MERIDIAN, Sept. 30, 1867.

THE introduction in this city of all things goods from localities infected with Yellow Fever, is a question which the Board of Health cannot ignore to lead, or oppose the same for sale in this city, will be summarily arrested and severely dealt with.

All persons are hereby warned, and notified, that they must keep their premises in a clean condition; removing all filth and matter calculated to engender disease. Those refusing to do this will report all deficiencies of the above, and the parties will be arrested and tried before

R. L. HENDERSON, Mayor.

Meridian Bills.

PERSONS and other this date we announce will be found for trial.

COLEMAN & SHIELDS.

REDUCTION IN PRICE

OF A

STANDARD REMEDY

IN CONSIDERATION OF THE SCARCITY OF money, and in order to place it within the reach of all, we have reduced the price of our

KING OF CHILLS

To the low price of ONE DOLLAR per Bottle—by the most wonderful remedy ever compounded ever introduced for the permanent eradication of all forms of Chills, Intermittent, Remittent and Bilious Fevers. Neuralgia, Dumb Chills, San Juan, and all diseases or affections so common throughout the Southern country. It is put up in large bottles, with plain directions, is pleasant to the taste, and does not affect the head, ears or nerves.

WHAT IT CAN DO.

It cleanses the stomach, arouses the liver, opens the Bowels, and carries off all Bilious Matter, effecting quick and permanent cures.

RADICALS

Who have not become acclimated, and are consequently infected with a Chill or Fever, who are Bilious and full of Aches, and feel an indisposition to get about, should, by all means use this truly valuable Medicinal Compound, which is prepared from the Recipe of Twenty Years experience in this malarious country.

CONSERVATIVES

Who have no time to lose, feeling with various indications that a Chill or Fever is about to throw away, could not do better than to spend One Dollar for the KING OF CHILLS and be cured of all symptoms of Fever, etc., in a day. It is pleasant, and it never affect the head or ears.

MECHANICS

Your time is money, and why do you continue with the Chills, Fever, etc., and waste the most precious time when a remedy is so near at hand and so low. Our remedy is within the reach of every one. It upon a good foundation, remedies—by purging it the system of all Chills and Fever you can find will speed timber. Send and procure one bottle, and be persuaded that it only costs One Dollar.

FARMERS AND PLANTERS

Visiting the city would greatly remedy their own interest by purchasing a supply of this remedy for the benefit of their families, who can be saved by carrying the Chills immediately, and this medicine administered. Many cases are given up as hopeless, but it will not return, as it does when cured with quinine.

CLERKS,

Why will you lose so many golden moments of your life, in shaking and complaining of chilly sensations, when a single dose of the "King of Chills" will break up the disease, regenerate the whole blood, relieving the pains in the Bones and Joints, Lassitude, Biliousness, etc., when the lassitude, pains, etc., will disappear, and you are ready to health, vigor and buoyancy? It is pleasant to take, and will not affect the head, ears or nerves. The head, no ringing of the ears, but acts quickly and effectually. Then spring one bottle you will have no other in your house.

MOTHERS AND FATHERS

Who are nearly worn out with anxiety and watching, having little or no appetite, imperfect digestion, irritable temper, disinclination to play, but are cross, feverish and drooping about, with slight fevers during the day, and Chills at night, can be relieved by the application of health, by giving small doses of the King of Chills four or five times a day.

Price of the above compounds, KING OF CHILLS, Price $1 per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

J. P. BROMDOLE, Proprietor,
Memphis.

Sold by R. Y. B. CHADWICK, Meridian, Miss.

YOUR WIFE

Possesses charms in proportion to her health, and she enjoys a husband's love in the same degree. It evinces in her welfare while she is sick. Now if your wife's health is poor, you will find her affection unchallenged, and desire that she regain her health and former beauty, you should by all means procure a bottle of

English Female Bitters,

A compound that is actually restoring health to more suffering females than all other remedies combined. It only proposes to cure those Uterine derangements to which the female is liable, but all nervous complaints incident to her sex. But it is also true that what we called the official remedies for dyspepsia do not under any circumstances produce permanent relief. On the other hand it is a fact established by thousands of credible witnesses, that these testimony is simply a statement of their own experiences, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure the dyspepsia in its most distressing forms. Our most competent intelligent members of the faculty have pronounced all the above advertised prescriptions of the pharmacopeia, and now invariably, and with great success prescribe Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.

Fever and Ague—Intermittent-generally, Fever and Ague, unfortunately is too widely known to require a description. It is a lengthened description of its symptoms necessary.

In order to escape fever and ague in any region it is only necessary to fortify the system against atmospheric poison by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. By this means all danger is avoided. Some rules have exceptions; this has none. Persons who use the Bitters are taken as a preventive, so surely will the individual who adopts this precaution escape the pains and penalties of one of the most harrassing complaints to which the dwellers in unhealthy districts are subjected. As a remedy, the preparation has no equal. Without entailing any of the unpleasant and dangerous results following the use of mercury and follow the use of quinine, it breaks up the paroxysms and rapidly restores the strength of the system. If the proprietor had no other merit than its wonderful power to prevent and cure fever and ague, intermittent fever, it would be an article of the first necessity in all new settlements, and the sparsely settled districts to this its value as stomachic and an antibilious agent, and who will venture to gainsay its claims to the very first place among Family Medicines?

Bilious Remittent Fever. This is a disease of a more malignant type than ordinary "chills and fever," but it springs from the same cause, malaria, and may be forestalled by the same means. Viz., a preventionary course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. In order to render the system malaria-proof, it must be endowed with extra vigor, and put in all respects in perfect order. To effect these objects the BITTERS must be resorted to. Remittent Fever, it is firmly believed, may be certainly prevented by the daily use of this unapproachable protective preparation. If the disorder is already in progress, it should be taken without the hot stages. As the pulse is up to one hundred and twenty or one hundred and thirty during hot fits, it would be unsafe to be prudent to attempt to arrest the tone then; but when prostration comes on, and the pulse is thin, and feeble, then is the time to begin with great advantage, and also when the patient is recovering, as a means of recruiting the strength, and thus avoiding a relapse. This powerful but harmless tonic should be administered. It is the safest as well as the best of remedies.

Probably one-fourth of the people of this country know what it is to be bilious; but of this number probably the proportion of sufferers is much greater. If what are called "anti-bilious medicines" were really what they are claimed to be, the disease would soon become obsolete; for their name is legion. But neither mercury, the officials nor any of the drastic pills advertised under so many titles, seem to produce the desired effect. Dr. Calomel would be a remedy for the various forms of bilious, pneumatonary and malarial treatment may mitigate the evil. Sanguine, nervous persons are troubled with dyspepsia; but this distress is open to doubt. Privation and hardship, as well as high living and free indulgence, engender the disease; and it would therefore seem that the men of the wilderness, as well as the dweller in cities, must be more or less subject to it. One thing, however, is certain; in no country under heaven is it so prevalent as in the United States. Of all the disease has become domesticated, and it is to be found in almost every household, and consequently a Household Remedy for Dyspepsia is of inestimable value to the people of this country.

Few disorders involve greater suffering; and, if not in itself immediately dangerous, is the forerunner and cause of many deadly maladies. But even if it did not tend to shorten life—which it undoubtedly does—the amount of physical misery which it produces, and which renders life comparatively unenjoyable, is a sufficient reason why it should be warded off in the interest of the patient. It is not so with Hostetter's preparation. This is the purest and genuine article of the kind, and will, on trial, be found to effect more full and perfect cure of the following complaints and diseases:

Affections of the Bowels, Habitual Costiveness, Pediatric, Diseases of the Kidneys, Dropsy, Erysipelas, Female Irregularities, Fistula, all Skin Diseases, Hysterics, Complaints of Indigestion, Piles, Pulmonary Diseases, Syphilis, Tetter, Tumors, Worms, Weakness of the Stomach, Rheumatism, Gout, and all complaints arising from a disordered liver or Kidneys.

Sold by Druggists.

Hurley's Ague Tonic,

PERFECTLY RELIABLE,

This only remedy for Chills and Fever or Ague and Fever in the world that can be relied on is Hurley's Ague Tonic. There have been many medicines put up to cure what has been the curse of suffering from the chills so still remain the case as far as relieving the drug stores and burning a bottle. It is pleasant to take, prepared with others, and will be certain to cure all cases of fever and ague or chills and fever. Send for it to the proprietors.

JAMES RUDDLE & CO.,
Louisville, Ky.

HURLEY'S

Popular Worm Candy!

As this is really a specific for worms, and the best and most palatable form to give to children, it is not surprising that it is fast taking the place of all other preparations for worms—it being perfectly tasteless and any effect will take at once stamps it as infinitely superior for the toilet of any lady.

Bettison's English Liver Liniment.

has proven itself one of the best Liniments made for sprains, bruises, &c., &c. Those who have tried for either man or beast, and will do all we claim it to be. Try it and we are satisfied you will never afterwards use any other.

Extract Jamaica Ginger.

Use James Ruddle & Co's Extract of Jamaic Ginger for all summer complaints, Cholera Cramps, Indigestion, &c. This is the pure Ginger and can be relied on.

Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluid AND

CARMINE INK.

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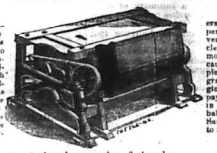

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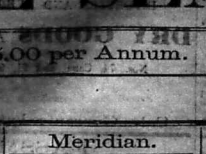

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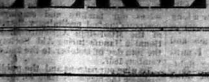

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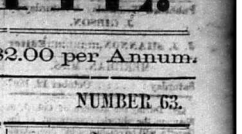

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☞ During the absence of Col. J. J. Shannon, the editorial department of the Gazette, will be conducted by Jno. Armstrong, associate Editor.

Gen. Ord has instructed the Sheriffs of this State to appoint a deputy in each police district to maintain order, &c., during election times, and that no excuse will be received from persons so appointed for not serving. A refusal to accept the appointment will be followed by arrest and trial by military commission. If Gen. Ord keeps on in his new role, he will certainly receive a favorable mention from Congress next month. If he is not bidding for this, we are at a loss to know what has produced such a radical change in the tone of his orders recently. The change has been very damaging to reconstruction.

The yellow fever is rapidly decreasing in Galveston, Texas ; the violence of the disease has been checked in Houston and many other places. About twenty-five per cent. of the population of Hempstead have died since the epidemic broke out there, and about the same number are now down, and at the mercy of the monster.

Montgomery Blair, in his speech at Blairsburg, denounced the cabinet as a "set of political vermin," and said that Secretary Seward, on the eve of the coming elections, was endeavoring to betray the administration into the hands of its enemies. He believed that the president would be impeached, and declared that the present condition of things was without precedent in the history of the country. It is significant, however, that Senator Howard's letter arguing the right of Senators to sit in judgment on the impeachment trial themselves, making the charges, and pronouncing the judgment in advance, has been suppressed for the present upon the advice of certain leading Radical and financial men. The results of impeachment upon financial interests, as well as upon the political interests of the Radical party in the next presidential election, may cause the Radical party to pause in their mad career after all.

Secretary McCulloch has written a letter to-day for the purpose of counteracting the effects of the prejudicial reports of our financial condition sent from this country to Europe.

Maj. Pierce, who caused his soldiers to sack the Constitutional Union office at Camden, Arkansas, has been sentenced "to forfeit his military pay for one year, and to be degraded in rank, so that he shall have his name placed on the list of Captains of Infantry, and shall take rank next after the fifty Captains now next below him in rank and to be reprimanded in General Orders. Gen. Ord very properly approved the proceedings, findings and sentences of the court-martial. The article in the newspaper which provoked the accused to commit a penitentiary offence, denounced exhibitions of drunken men in uniform on the streets of Camden.

Congressman Washburne, of Illinois, who it is conceded, reflects the sentiments of Gen. Grant, made a speech in Galena the other day, in which he declared Gen. Grant is thoroughly with Congress on the reconstruction question, and accepted the charge of the war office only to prevent Mr. Johnson appointing one of his friends to the position vacated by Mr. Stanton.—That the first statement is correct we do not deny. We have always thought his sympathies were with the party that placed him in power, but that he is a watchdog for Stanton and Joe Holt, we doubt very much indeed. Gen. Grant will hardly stoop to play the tri kster.

We have another proposition for peace and harmony. A couple of politicians, one from Virginia and the other from Georgia, suggested in a recent interview with the President, that the Republicans recognize the principles enunciated by Senator Trumbull, of the right of each State to decide for itself the question of suffrage, in which case the South would voluntarily include the colored population as voters as they became qualified by intelligence, and it would inaugurate a vigorous policy for the education of that class.

THE RESULT.—The following is the result of the fraud enacted at this place on last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday : The vote for the Radical ticket was as follows :

Luther R. Smith - - - - - -	977
J. J. Gilder, - - - - - - -	596
Wm. H. Coleman, - - - - - -	267
For a Convention, - - - - -	977
Against a Convention, - - - -	155

The following named gentlemen were voted for by that portion of the whites participating in the election :

R. F. Moody, - - - - - -	186
G. C. Young, - - - - - - -	155

It is proper to state that but a small proportion of the whites voted, the remaining portion believing it best not to countenance such "unclean thing" in any way.—Boatler (Ala) Herald.

THE YELLOW FEVER.—We need only repeat the advice previously given, and say that, thus far, there are no indications that the fever will become epidemic. Indeed, the lateness of the season, and the coolness of the weather, furnish every assurance that we shall have no epidemic. The new cases are few and yield readily to prompt attention. Let no be alarmed, and pay for an early and withering frost. Referring to this matter, the Delaware Republican says :

We have unfailing faith that the present cold snap will prove a barrier to the further progress of the fever. During the three days past the air has been so perfectly dry and pure that we cannot believe any one can fear. While cases of fever may occur for a few days, we have no doubt the present cold snap will prevent its further progress.

The Elections on Tuesday.

Another serious protest against the unconstitutional acts of Congress is set forth. The elections in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Iowa, on the 8th, were held on purely political grounds, and each party did their best to elect their men. Equal suffrage was the prime issue. Local State questions were thrown aside ; the suffrage issue was fairly made, and the result is now before the country. In Pennsylvania the election was for a Justice of the Supreme Court, eleven members (being one third) of the State Senate, a House of Representatives, county officers, and to fill a vacancy in Congress from Luzerne District. In Ohio for a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, State Treasurer, State Auditor, Controller of the Treasury, Attorney General, Supreme Judge, one Member of the Board of Public Works, State Senators and Representatives ; also on Constitutional Amendment, giving negroes the right to vote and hold office. The Legislature elected will have the right to elect a United States Senator to succeed Senator Wade, whose Senatorial term will expire on March 4th, 1869.—

In Iowa, the contest was for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, Supreme Court Judge, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, one-half of the State Senators (23) and Members of the House of Representatives. In Pennsylvania sixty-six counties have been heard from, giving a Democratic majority of 4,767, electing George Sharswood Judge of the Supreme Court and George W. Woodward, to Congress from the twelfth District. The State is believed to have gone Democratic beyond a question, thus securing to the Democracy nearly all the State and county offices. In Ohio, where the question of erasing the word *white* from the Constitution of the State, thus opening the polls to men of both races, was submitted in the form of an amendment, negro franchise has been lost, notwithstanding Hinton R. Haves, a Radical, *believed* to have been elected Governor over Allen G. Thurman, the Constitutional nominee, by a very small majority. The Ohio Legislature is entirely Democratic and Thurman may, when all the counties are heard from, come in ahead. In Iowa, the prospect is not so bright ; the strong Republican majorities given in this State during the past three years, leave no probability of a change, except a heavily decreased majority for the radicals. The reaction seems to be extending from one end of the land to the other, and the signs now are that the politics of the country will be completely revolutionized before Christmas. The same ratio of gain given the cause of liberty and justice on Tuesday, will secure the people New York, New Jersey, Nevada, Nebraska, Colorado, Indiana, Oregon and New Hampshire, which with the States already redeemed, will give twelve Democratic States, containing a majority of the people now represented in Congress and secure seventy-four Democratic votes in the Electoral College. Senators as the present incumbents pass out of office. These changes must convey a solemn warning to the radical party—an admonition that cannot be thrust aside or disregarded. Congress will now pause and reflect, for the storm of Puritan public wrath is sealed. The resistless tide of public opinion is sweeping onward and soon nothing will be left behind but the miserable wrecks of Puritan self-righteousness. Everything augurs well.

Judge Handy's Resignation.

The judicial arm of this country, which has heretofore kept every other power of the government in its proper place, has been stricken down ; we no longer have the protection of law ; the diligent tribunals which in the past gave the security in person and property, and watched over us in lonely and dangerous places, have been placed under the control of men whose "legal" decisions are frequently more distinguished for presumption than sagacity. Men of strong talents, pure integrity, and moral patriotism, have their decisions which required patient investigation, labor and judgement, set aside by educated soldiers whose fort lies in marshalling warriors on a battle field, and who, probably, never had occasion to enter a hall of justice or read works containing the rules prescribed for regulating the actions of the people. Sooner than have the High Court of our State, as at present organized, made subservient to the will of the military, who are forced to act in the capacity of Judges by a partisan Congress, Chief Justice Handy has put aside the robes the people placed upon him. While regretting the necessity which demanded his resignation, we cannot refrain from exclaiming from the bottom of our heart, "well done thou good and faithful servant." When the people cease to be the source of power ; when the officers of the law cannot discharge their various trusts untrammelled ; when the administration of justice between man and man is not to be decided by those whose lives have been devoted to the study of the law, but by gentlemen educated for the "genteel field," it is time the armine which fixed the powers of the government and shaped the laws for the good management and interest of society, should be hid from the public view. Let the other Judges follow the example of Mr. Handy ; their usefulness is gone ; they can no longer promote the general welfare, nor maintain the dignity and honor of "Mississippi's monument of wisdom."

Paul Bogley, who has been trying to secure the pardon of Jefferson Davis, gives a long account in a Montreal paper of his interview upon the subject with President Johnson. In recounting the incidents of his trip through the South, he said :

When Mayor Monroe, after I told him that I had sent money to Japan to fight his negroes free, and was then in favor of their voting—when even he, after the supplies he was sending me, left me, I will at the St. Charles Hotel and invited me to his house, after those things, let's see what he was good for, for the people of the South.

When he had concluded, and passed on to the next guest, the gentleman I was on the side of the latter, and pointed to the door, and I left the room. I then interview between the two.

From Davis County.

LUZERNE, Miss. Sept. 23, '67.

EDITORS GAZETTE :—I have just left Circuit Court a week here, and was quite a long term for this county. Large crowds of people were in attendance on each and every day until adjournment, and I must frankly say there was less drinking fighting and swearing and more good order and good feeling manifested among the people than at any Circuit Court I ever witnessed. I only recollect of seeing two drunk men during the whole five days of court. There was that general feeling of precaution—among the people to guard against bringing up the unhappy incidents of the late bloody war. All seemed determined to heal up the old wounds—get back once more in the channel of peace, prosperity and happiness, that await all true patriots. God hasten the long looked for days. All honor to dus Judge Hancock and C. A. Smith, District Attorney, for their impartial, manly, upright, and courteous manner of dispatching their respective duties. I have seldom seen ministers of the law perform their respective duties with so much impartiality, and in such a way as to give general good feeling and contentment among the citizens. * *

The New York Herald says, the Republican State Convention just held at Syracuse repudiated Andrew Johnson, "finding no great principles to go upon or to bring forward new principles of government to propose, and being anxious to throw off the odium of the ruinous policy it has been pursuing the last year or two, it proposes to make Mr. Johnson and his blunders the subject matter of the campaign. In repudiating him, their own platform they intend to throw him and his blunders upon the democrats."

The Herald adds : "The great question however, was that of equal negro suffrage, and to that the Convention has committed the party. It was done with trepidation and with evident reluctance at the last hour. A great many of the delegates left before the Convention concluded its labors. It remains to be seen how this negro suffrage plank will be received when in form will be received by the people of the State, though, as far as New York itself is concerned, it will make little difference, as the negroes are a small fraction of the community. The resolution on this question is worded very deliberately, and is loose, general terms, and does not touch at all the important question of negro supremacy and a negro political power in ten or more States of the Union."

When a party in power ceases to fear the opposition, when it believes itself established, beyond danger of overturn, and its ascendancy secure, two things inevitably threaten it—corruption, and rash and foolish legislation.

The corruptionists are sure to fasten on a party whose power promises to be permanent ; they are the barnacles of the body politic, which fatten in stagnant waters and on the bottoms of ships at rest. —N. Y. Evening Post.

The corruption and rash legislation of Congress and the State Legislatures and the enormous spoliations committed upon the revenues, together with general waste, extravagance and demoralization, which have extended to counties, cities and smaller municipalities whenever Radicalism is established in what is deemed secure ascendancy, all prove to the correctness of the remarks quoted above from a Radical paper more conscientious than the great majority of its compeers. The position of boisterous corruptionist Senators Sumner, Forney and Ben Butler, who were always among the barnacles of the body politic, and are now fastened on the Radical party, still further prove the truth and wisdom embodied in the quotation from the Post.—Pittsburg Post.

CHAPTER OF THE HORRIBLE.—A Memphis paper of Saturday last narrates the following horrible incidents in Mississippi :

Three or four days have elapsed since the dark and horrid tragedy was narrated below transpired, at or near Flewellen's X Roads, Mississippi, a young lady of the highest respectability, and her accomplished character, was the victim of a fiend in human shape. Where the party, to which she had been invited, was given to her she was overtaken by a negro man and forcibly drawn into the thick brush and into the woods, her cries stifled by a cloth of some sort pressed over her mouth. Taken to a secluded and deserted place, she was there by the negro, and there detained for a week, while the black scoundrel effected his vile purpose, without the miserable victim being able to offer the slightest resistance.

Two men, who were out hunting, unexpectedly came upon her, still fully bound and alone. Her captor had left her at the moment, either to procure food or pursue some other purpose. Released from her wretched girl the circumstances of the atrocity practiced upon her, they concealed themselves until he should return. Nor had they long to wait ; and, upon his coming, they at once seized and secured him. Believing that the victim should pronounce sentence upon him, they awaited her decree. It is to be hoped that they at once proceeded with their hunting knives to relieve him of his epidermis. The fiend reasoned with his cries, but his imprecation as they stripped the skin from the soles of his feet to his body. By the time they had progressed to the middle, nature could stand no more, but, completely exhausted, yielded up the ghost—the monster dying a most horrible death. The girl was conveyed to her home, where everything was done to relieve her suffering, but she died the next day in great anguish.

COME TO GRIEF.—We are glad to see that Hon. H. S. Fitch, United States District Attorney in Georgia, is scenting out some of these pestiferous fellows called Southern loyalists, and has preferred charges against eight of them for having taken the "ironclad oath" contrary to the law and the facts. They are the "Southern loyalists," once rebels, now Radicals, who for the sake of office and power and emoluments, took that oath, and become the meanest persecutors and slanderers of their old friends.—Evansville Courier.

If a similar investigation were had into the past actions of some of the officials in Mississippi, it would uncover some greedy rebels who now are good Radicals and office-holders. They also have rebellion sympathized with it, and have taken the "iron-clad oath," notwithstanding these things. Conscience slumbers, and justice is held in check.—Corinth News.

The late storm was very severe on Lake Pontchartrain. The Delta speaks of Tuesday says :

Yesterday morning the breakers were dashing madly over the pier, undermining the made ground and disarranging the construction of the railroad. The track has sunk near the Washington Hotel to such an extent as to prevent the passage of the trains, and even if this obstacle were not existing the fires in the locomotive would be extinguished by the waves. The breakwater on the lake and New Canal, Sunday evening, had six inches water over its entire ground floors, and the shell road in that vicinity has "gone under" for a time.

At the weather of the Mississippi, the gale, from early on Tuesday, was severe. Considerable damage has been done to the levees, and in many places the water now stands on the top of the banquettes. Fortunately the flood has passed the dykes above the city, and there is no fear.

YICKSBURG, Miss. Oct. 8th, '67.

In consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever in the city of Vicksburg, we feel compelled to postpone the Fair we intended to have our families and employees, to postpone the 2nd premium list distribution of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational & Manufacturing Aid Society from the 16th day of October, to the 2nd of November, 1867.

To give our patrons and the public at a distance the necessary time for renewal of applications, the third preliminary distribution will be drawn November 30th, and the Grand Scheme, December 25th, 1867.

We ask a kind and indulgent public. We will both excuse and approve of the short postponement.

Correspondents, and persons ordering certificates, are requested to direct their communications, to the Secretary at Meridian, Miss., to which place our office is temporarily removed. An authorized agent will remain at Vicksburg, to attend to any communications or orders for certificates.

W. D. LYLES,
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DUNCAN KELLY,
Executor, &c.

Oct. 12, 1867 —3t

Extract of a Letter from

PROVIDENCE, Ala., May 13, 1868.

DR. JOHN BULL : I send you $20 for Cedron Bitters ; please send what it will come to after paying freight to Columbus, Miss. I have been troubled with fever and ague with indigestion ; have had to take pills every night for ten or fifteen years, and in February, 1867, was attacked with general paralysis ; was confined to my room for the balance of the year, and in fact, confined in a very weak and nervous condition until some two months since, when I was put under the operation, and your Cedron Bitters for treatment. I commenced improving right away, and am pretty well restored.

Yours truly,
A. L. NEAL.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 25, 1864.

I received this day the following, from Lancaster, Kentucky :

DR. JOHN BULL : Please send me by haste for my son's use, one dozen of your Cedron Bitters. I have tried them, and find them all you claim for them.

Respectfully yours,
G. W. SHINDLEBOWES.

ANOTHER TESTIMONY.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., Oct. 14, '64.

DR. JOHN BULL.—We made an arrangement with Mr. Gaff to sell your selling your Cedron Bitters, and are about sold out. We want four dozen bottles more without delay. We are introducing them readily, and think they answer a good purpose.

DRS. HOGG & CROTHERS.

CHEAP SOAP! GOOD SOAP!

THE VERY BEST OF SOAP!

Natrona Refined Saponifier, or CONCENTRATED LYE.

Two cents a pound for Superior Hard Soap.

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TESTIMONY OF MEDICAL MEN.

STONEY POINT, White Co., Ark., May 23 '66.

DR. JOHN BULL—Dear Sir : Last February I was in the furtile purchasing Grape, and got a dose of your Cedron Bitters, and found them very beneficial. My son-in-law, who was with me in the store, has been down with rheumatism for some time, commenced on the Bitters, and soon found his general health improved.

I, Gist, who has been in bad health, tried them, and he also improved.

Dr. Collins, who has been in bad health for several years—stomach and liver affected—he improved very much by the use of your Bitters. Indeed the Cedron Bitters have given you great popularity in this settlement. I think I could use a great quantity of your medicine this fall—especially if your Cedron Bitts and Sarsaparilla. Ship me six dozen Memphis, care of Hicks & Berry.

Respectfully,
C. B. WALKER.

BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

TO MY UNITED STATES AND WORLDWIDE READERS.

I have received many testimonials from professional and medical men, as my attorneys and various public notaries have shown, all of which are genuine. The following letter from a highly educated and popular physician of Texas, is certainly one of the most sensible communications I have ever received. Dr. Clement knows exactly what he speaks of, and his testimony deserves to be written in letters of gold. I can say that the Destroyer of BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

WILLSHOW, Walker County, Ga., June 29, 1866.

DR. JOHN BULL—Dear Sir : I have recently given your Worm Destroyer, several trials, and find it wonderfully efficacious. It has not failed in a single instance to have the wished for effect. I am using a pretty large country practice, and have daily use for some article of the kind. I feel free to confess that I know of no remedy recommended by the able t authors that is so certain and speedy in its effect. On the contrary they are uncertain in the extreme. My object in writing you is to find out upon what terms I can get the medicine from you. For if I can get it upon easy terms I shall use a great deal of it. Many cases that have come under my notice is co trary to the teachings and practice of a great majority of the regular line of M. D's, and I see no fair cause or good sense in discarding a remedy which we know to be efficient, simply because we may be ignorant of the combination. For my part, I shall make it a rule to use all and any means to alleviate suffering humanity which I may be able to command—not hesitating because some one more ingenius than myself may have learned the secret first, and secured the sole right to secure that knowledge. However, I am by no means an advocate or supporter of the thousands of worthless nostrums that flood the country, that purport to cure all manner of disease to which human flesh is heir. Please reply soon, and inform me of your best terms.

I am, sir, most re pectfully,
JULIUS P. CLEMENT, M. D.

BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

A GOOD REASON FOR THE CAPTAIN'S FAITH.

Read the Captain's Letter and the Letter from his Mother.

Benton Barracks, Mo., April 20, 1866.

DR. John Bull—Dear Sir : Knowing the efficacy of your Sarsaparilla, and the beating of beneficial qualities it possesses, I send you the following statement of my case :

I was at one time, two years ago—was taken prisoner and confined for sixteen months. Being exposed as often my wounds have not healed yet. I have not sat up a moment since I was wounded. I have been through the hops. My general health is impaired, and I need something to assist nature. I have more faith in your Sarsaparilla than in anything else. I would like your opinion. Please express the half a dozen bottles, and oblige

Capt. C. P. JOHNSON,
St. Louis, Mo.

P. S.—The following was written April 5th, 1865, by Mrs. Jennie Johnson, mother of Capt. Johnson :

DR. Bull—Dear Sir : My husband, Dr. C. S. Johnson, was a skillful surgeon and physician in Central Kentucky, before he died, leaving the above C. P. Johnson to my care. At thirteen years of age I took a chronic affection of a scrofula, for which I gave him your Sarsaparilla. It cured him. I have for ten years recommended it to many in New York Ohio, and Iowa, for scrofula, fever sores, and general debility. For it has never been known to fail. The cures effected in some cases of scrofula and fever sores were almost miraculous. I am very anxious for my son to go a have recourse to your Sarsaparilla. He is fearful of getting a spurious article, hence I write to you for it. His wounds were terrible, but I believe he will recover.

Respectfully,
JENNIE JOHNSON.

DR. JOHN BULL,
Manufacturer and Vender of the Celebrated
Smith's Tonic Syrup!
FOR THE CURE OF
AGUE AND FEVER
OR
CHILS & FEVER.

The properties of this celebrated medicine justly entitle it to the supremacy over all remedies ever offered to the public for the cure, certain, speedy and permanent cure of Chills & Fever or Chills and Fever, whether of short or long standing. Those living in the Mississippi and Southern States are hereby informed that the genuine article can be had of the undersigned, or his authorized agents. Beware of counterfeits, poisons, poison, and all other base imitations. Notice of genuine agents hereafter. Price $1 per bottle.

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THE undersigned have made extensive arrangements to supply the demand for these Ties the present season. In addition to the

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with teeth so arranged as to instantly clamp the hoop when the pressure is removed from the bale and hold it without slipping

Great pains have been taken to secure the best quality of iron.

These Ties are so simple in their arrangement that they can be applied by any one, to bales of any size, with the same facility and expedition as rope. In strength, security and facility of application, they will compare favorably with any yet introduced.

The advantages of Iron Ties are now generally recognized ; but it is deemed not out of place to call the attention of those interested to the very emphatic recommendation of Underwriters, Steamboat Captains, and Owners and Agents of Sea Steamers and Sailing Vessels, recently published in the newspapers in New Orleans.

☞ For sale by dealers in Mobile.

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Hurlbutt, Sturges & Co.,
AT THEIR OLD STAND,
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HAVE on hand and are constantly receiving the largest and best supply of
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Which they will sell as low as they can afford At any rate they will not be undersold.

They invite their old customers, friends and the public generally to call, and if they cannot their own interest they will be sure to buy.
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The Safety Hand Lamp,
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THE new Meteor Safety Hand Lamp is the latest novelty out ; as well as the greatest invention of the times. The burning qualities of the Oil are in every particular superior to anything yet used, while its illuminating power has no superior. The Lamp will not blow out or smoke the chimney, and will not grease a fabric of any kind. You need not throw away your old Lamps ; the Meteor Fluid will burn in a coal oil Lamp by attaching the Light House or Meteor Fluid Burner.

We have the agency for Lauderdale county, Miss., and Chemaw county, Ala., and will be glad to supply our friends in those counties with the Meteor Oil and Safety Hand Lamp.

It is bound to create a great revolution in the Lamp business, and only needs a test to be appreciated.

FALLON, FULTON & CO.,
Meridian, Miss.
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STAR STABLE!
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
B. T. RUSH, Proprietor.

HAVING permanently located in Meridian, for the purpose of carrying on the Livery business, I flatter myself that I can give satisfaction.

I can feed you farther, faster and cheaper than any other Stable in the city (perhaps because I know but few).

Hacks always in attendance on arrival of the trains.

Orders left at the Stable for conveyances, will receive prompt attention.

Strict attention paid to feeding Horses.

Stalls and Boxes will be rented for any kind of Disease, at reasonable prices.

Good secure Lots for Drove Stock.

I have a good wagon yard connected with the Stable.

Thankful for past favors, I ask you to call again.
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I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the WELCOME HOUSE.

MRS. M. A. COX.
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Valuable Property for Sale.

A HOUSE AND THREE ACRES OF LAND in corporation of the town of Hickory, well watered, and a good orchard of choice fruit trees, and is certainly a very desirable residence. The house contains four rooms, with a good cellar, and is situated in the most healthy portion of the village of Hickory, 10 miles south of Meridian, 10 miles north of Decatur, and 30 miles east of Canton, and is only a few miles from the Railroad that the people will have to pass by it. The property will be sold on reasonable terms. Apply to the undersigned, on the premises.

ALEXANDER A. GALLAGHER.
Aug 10, 1867 —3m

L. L. LEACH & CO.,
WHOLESALE dealers in
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TERMS.

Primary Dep't. per month of four weeks	$4 00
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Ancient and Modern languages each in addition, per month,	1 50
Daily instructions in vocal music, Boarding, including room, bed, bedding, fuel and light, per month of four weeks,	20 00

Payments strictly in advance, monthly for day pupils, and for boarding pupils, every five months, in advance.

No deductions made for absence, except in case of sickness, at the option of the Principal.

Pupils will be held responsible for any property care easily or willfully injure them.

No pains shall be spared to make the school, for efficiency and thoroughness of instruction, equal to the best in the country.
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A Few Vacancies Only.

OWING to the peculiarity of the system of Instruction, pupils can enter at any time after or since of an session with the same advantage as to the beginning of the term.

W. R. POINDEXTER.
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Trains on Mississippi Central and Mobile and Ohio Railroads connect with this line at Humboldt.

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Six copies of the Weekly six months ..... 10.00.
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1 square	$1 00	$1 50	$2 00	$2 50	$3 50	$4 50	$6 00	$10 00
2 squares	1 50	2 00	2 50	3 50	4 50	6 00	8 00	12 00
3 squares	2 00	2 50	3 00	4 50	6 00	8 00	10 00	15 00
4 squares	2 50	3 00	3 50	6 00	8 00	10 00	12 00	20 00
5 squares	3 00	3 50	4 00	8 00	10 00	12 00	15 00	25 00
6 squares	3 50	4 00	4 50	10 00	12 00	15 00	18 00	30 00
7 squares	4 00	4 50	5 00	12 00	15 00	18 00	20 00	35 00
8 squares	4 50	5 00	6 00	15 00	18 00	20 00	25 00	40 00
9 squares	5 00	6 00	7 00	18 00	20 00	25 00	30 00	45 00
10 squares	6 00	7 00	8 00	20 00	25 00	30 00	35 00	50 00
12 squares	7 00	8 00	9 00	25 00	30 00	35 00	40 00	60 00
15 squares	8 00	9 00	10 00	30 00	35 00	40 00	50 00	70 00
20 squares	10 00	12 00	15 00	35 00	40 00	50 00	60 00	80 00
25 squares	12 00	15 00	18 00	40 00	50 00	60 00	70 00	90 00
30 squares	15 00	18 00	20 00	50 00	60 00	70 00	80 00	100 00
40 squares	20 00	25 00	30 00	60 00	70 00	80 00	90 00	120 00
50 squares	25 00	30 00	35 00	70 00	80 00	90 00	100 00	150 00

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Stocks and Coste Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 2.23 P. M.
" down ..... 6.55 A. M.
Accomodation train leaves at 5.45 P. M.
arrives ..... 5.45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7.50 A. M.; Arrive at Buckatunna 11.5 A. M.; Enterprise 1.45 P. M. Meridian 2.23 P. M. Macon 5.53 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Okolona 10.5 P. M. Corinth 11.50 P. M. Humboldt 2.50 A. M. Columbus, Ky. 10.5 A. M. Distance, 473 miles, time 26 hours and 25 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2.30 P. M. Corinth 7.55 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 1.45 A. M. Macon 5.53 A. M. Meridian 9.25 A. M. Enterprise 7.50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 5.20 P. M. Distance, 473 miles; time 26 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.20 A. M.
" arrive ..... 6.30 A. M.
" leave Selma ..... 6.30 P. M.
" arrive ..... 5.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passengr train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5.10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 9.50 a. m.; reaches Forest at 1.30 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 6.30 p. m.

Returning the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 12.30 p. m.; leaves at 2.00 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6.15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, make close connection at Grenada with the Mississippi Central Railroad, and at Canton with the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad. Also with trains on M. C. R. R. R. and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

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Leave Grenada daily at 5.45 a. m. and 5.25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 5.45 a. m and 5.25 p. m. making close connection at Memphis with Trains for Louisville and Louisville Railroad for all points north.

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Leave Memphis daily at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 10.30 a. m. and 6.00 p. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. S. LEVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
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2nd Lieut. O. COEY, 50th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Act. Asst. Surg. R. H. WALKER, U.S.A., Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS, Agent B. F. and A. L., at Head'qrs.

CAPT. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C., Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

Bishop Green's Appointments.

Simpsonhale	October	17
Macon	"	18
Columbus	"	19 & 20
Wesley	"	22
Lauderdale	"	24
Meridian	"	26 & 27
Enterprise	"	29
Quitman	"	31
State Line	"	31
Brandon	Nov'r	7 & 8
Jackson	"	9

University Place, Tenn., Sept. 30, '67.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Riddle & Co., of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, World Caudy, Sarsaparilla, and Agne Tonic is world wide, having been tried through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as a sure remedy. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Bateman's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bateman's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These preparations are also the manufacturers of Large Vegetable Writing Fluids and Concrete Colored Inks, which are offered cheap to the trade in the West and Southwest. Orders by mail and office promptly attended to. Price lists may be had on application to the office, No. 50 Jefferson street, Louisville, Ky. Those who intend to sit for the extension in its work, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, stating the number of books likely to be needed. Our acquaintance with the members of that Board warrants us in assuring teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every reasonable request complied with. t-f.

MARRIED,

On Sunday evening week a couple of men, who stood in the old hands in crime, went about the city of Memphis, and in the streets and Mississippi bottom, got their way to the car of the Adams Express Company, secured the large safe containing the money, and left, packed in all that they could carry away. Photo graphs of which we have had engraved for the benefit of the detectives.

TURN OVER

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1—Dispatches received from the Governor and Commissioner of Georgia announce that they assumed special suffrage amendment to the State constitution of the State of Ohio was carried by a majority of 50,000. The Legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican, Republicans claim the election of Hoyt to constitute Hayes for Governor by a majority of 15,000 votes.

The Democratic candidate (Woodward) for Congress in the Twelfth Congressional District of Pennsylvania is elected.

The majority for Geary in Pennsylvania is estimated at 9,000.

The charter election at Newark, N. J., resulted in the election of a Republican Mayor by 35 votes—a Radical loss of 1200.

Private dispatches received here from Ohio intimate that the election of Thurman is slightly probable.

No figures upon which to predicate the result have been received from Iowa.

Half-past Eleven P. M.—The impression of Thurman's election amounts almost to a certainty. We have had a thorough and regular channels yet.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—The returns from Iowa are too meagre to approximate a Republican majority. The counties along the railroads give increased Democratic majorities.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2—Gen. Sherman and Gov. Parsons, of Alabama, were with the President to-day.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 2—The thirteenth from yellow fever from the Crescent City hours ending this morning, were sixty-four.

An ordinance issued by the old Council over the Mayor's veto, which has not since been heard from, appropriating $70,000 for the establishment of a night police in the schools, was officially promulgated by the Mayor yesterday. Sixty-two schools for colored children are being established.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 2—The majority of Cary, (Dem.), in this city is 964 votes—a Republican loss of 2,800. The negro suffrage amendment was lost in this county (Hamilton) by 4,000 votes.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 2—The Leader (Rep) concedes the election of Thurman. He is Democratic candidate for Governor, by 5,000 majority.

The Columbus Journal, on the other hand, claims the election of Hayes by 2,000. Republican candidate, by a small majority, and says:

The Republicans still have a small majority in the House, but the Democrats have a majority of one in the Senate.

RICHMOND, Oct. 2—Gen. Schofield left to-day for Washington. It is stated that all the District Courts yesterday morning ordered by the President to report at Washington.

A telegram to the Dispatch says:

Yesterday the United States authorities who are returning to owners ers farms in Norfolk county, which have been appropriated upon by blacks during the war, went to Taylor's farm on Willoughby's Point, but found that the blacks were gone before. Refused to e acuate. The authorities then retired.

Many farms in that district are similarly situated. The negroes are expressing their determination not to be driven off.—In the case mentioned it was offered to transfer the negroes to Gen. Wise's farm, but they refused to go.

In the whole city to-day not half a dozen registered.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 2.—The uneasiness caused by rumors of a revival of Fenian conspiracies is increasing.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 2.—It is reported that Menotti, son of Garibaldi, has been arrested by the Italian government

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 2.—The manifestations of ill-feeling by the Irish in the North or England creates alarm. The inhabitants believe the Fenians have concocted with another outbreak.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 2.—The steamer Rising Sun, from Panama the 1st, has arrived.—The following is compiled from her news:

The revolution in Arequipa, Peru, had been suppressed after twenty-two hours fighting. Fifty were killed and many wounded.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 2.—The interments from yellow fever to six o'clock this morning were 56.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 2.—At 1 o'clock.—The returns show that Hays is no doubt elected by one of two hundred majority. The Legislature is Democratic by a small majority. Carroll, Hockney and Noble counties are to be heard from.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—The Republican National Committee claim the election by 2,000 majority. The Democratic Committee claim it from 3,000 to 8,000 majority.

The South Side Times says: Radicals are served with a notice from the War Department at Washington forbidding any change in the residence of the company until all claims due the Government for pulling stock and material sold at the conclusion of the war are settled in full.

RICHMOND, Oct. 10.—The colored people seem to be particularly dismayed at the failure of the amendment in Ohio.

The Government is making arrangements to have the Davis trial evidence and arguments reported by stenographers for preservation in book form.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The proposed secession movement peremptorily forbidden by the President. The New York Times' special dispatch, published this morning, says it is stated that the President has announced that in view of the recent elections he would make some changes in his Cabinet.

The World's special says: "The friends of the Administration are confident of important changes in the Cabinet, to be followed by a wholesale decapitation of under officials.

"The President will take a stand which will astonish the country.

"Thomas Ewing and E. Conning are mentioned as Secretary of the Treasury.

"Secretary Seward will probably send his resignation from Auburn, and Reverdy Johnson can be his successor.

"It is stated that ex-Gov. Seymour will succeed Seward, F. P. Blair, McClelland, and Ewing are named for the War Office. Gen. Howard is to be sent to the plains, and Judge Holt to the Post Office.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—All parties concede Hays' election by 1,000 to 2,500 majority.

A dispatch from Democratic source from Philadelphia says the returns from the Legislature of Pennsylvania have been received at the Age office to 10 o'clock this evening, making the Democratic majority in the State 1,000. Conclusive evidence of fraud in Democratic circles, regarding a supposed attempt of the return Judges in certain Lower Wards of Philadelphia to turn the majority in the city in favor of the Republicans, by stealing the votes counted for the Democrats.

MOBILE, Oct. 10.—Cotton—There was a limited demand to-day, principally for the better grades, which were very scarce. Sales 350 bales, all within the range of quoted and fist at 16½@—c for Middling.

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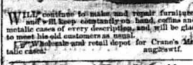

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EVANS, Quitman. W. C. FORD, Meridian.

EVANS & FORD,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Meridian, Miss. Office A. W. Harvey's store on Front street. march 27 sawly

R. LEACHMAN. J. W. SMITH.

LEACHMAN & SMITH,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Meridian, Mississippi. march 2 swtm

DR. WM. M. MAYES,

OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Toxish and vicinity. He will keep constantly on hand, Drugs, Medicines, and choice Liquors for medicinal purposes. april 13 ly

DR. N. B. KENNEDY,

PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND ACCOUCHER. Respectfully tenders his services to the citizens of Meridian. He has made Syphilis (pock) in all its forms, Tetter and all other skin diseases, a specialty for the past ten years, during which time he has treated over five hundred cases with the most complete success. He guarantees a complete and perfect cure in all cases without the use of mercury. He expects to receive in a few days from the city a large and complete assortment of Drugs, Chemicals and Medicines and fine Liquors for medicinal purposes.

To be found at all hours of the day, at his office, in Main and Second streets, near Martin, Gray & Co.'s whole grocery store, and at night at his residence, unless professionally absent. dec

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Meridian, Miss. Special attention given to Bankrupt business in this State. march 30 swly

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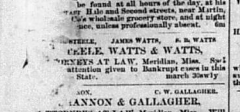

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It leaves the Cotton all motes and dust, and leaves it clean from seed.

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It is warranted to be worked by hand, horse, or steam power.

It can be used out doors or in a building; is rapid in its working; of immense power, and makes a bale of cotton in the same size.

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Should he not be able to sell his entire place, he is also authorized to sell 240 acre s of good level land adjoining, with about 100 acres in a good state of cultivation. Any one desiring to purchase can be ongoing to Col. R. R. Lewis. These two tracts will be sold jointly or separately, to any purchasers, and the subscriber will divide his tract to either a part, if not sold as a whole. He owns the last of December next. He will also sell a few of several mules and horses and a quantity of corn. There is a commissioned supply of good flour with their families on the premises and possession to remain. For further information apply to me on the premises or address me at Enterprise, Mississippi.

PEYTON KING.
Enterprise, Miss., Aug 14, 1867 sw3m

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TIN WARE, STOVES,
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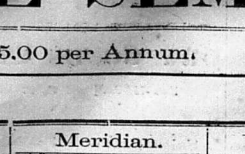

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which we are constantly receiving and offering for sale at prices which will compare with any house in the city. june 8 tuf

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Consignments solicited.
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LEE STREET,
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
ROSENBAUM & CO.,
Dealers in
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HAVE now opened and are still receiving a complete assortment of GOODS in their line, embracing everything in demand in this market.

They have been engaged in mercantile business in a county for years and believing that they understand the wants of the people, flatter themselves that they have selected a stock that will compare favorably with it cause it is to give satisfaction.

Having established themselves at this center of trade, they hope to see their old friends and to make new ones.

Goods have been purchased in New York by compe ent buyers, and we can sell as cheap Goods as can be bought in East Mississippi.

THOS. D. REID & CO.,
Druggist and Apothecaries.
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Orders solicited and prompte filled.
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B. T. RUSH, Proprietor.

HAVING permanently located in Meridian, for the purpose of carrying on the Livery business, I flatter myself that I can give satisfaction.

I can send you further, faster and cheaper than any Livery man I know of, (perhaps because I know no better).

Hacks always in attendance on arrival of the trains.

Orders left at the Stable for conveyances, will receive prompt attention.

Horses attention paid to feeding Horses.

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Good secure Lots for Drove Stock.

I have a good wagon yard connected with the Stable.

Thankful for past favors, I ask you to call again. aug7-swly

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YELLOW STORE,
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Having purchased their Goods in the cheap st markets, and at times when goods were lowest, they are prepared to sell them on terms which will give satisfaction to customers, not only in st yle and quality, but in prices also. This department of Ladies' Dress Goods will embrace a full assortment of the richest and most varied styles of

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South street, between Mulberry and Washington Streets.
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WE are prepared to deliver all kinds of Building Lumber best heart pine rough or planed at any station on the Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Also, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Dressed Flooring and Shingles. At orders promptly filled.

Terms Cash. Send orders to Dr. Bonnet, at Bennett's Station, or to Sanford & Co., Meridian. may1swtf

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WE are now receiving at the old stand of DUNCAN & HART, Bot n, Lard, Flour, etc., and Staple Dry Goods, which we propose to sell at the lowest market price for cash. Call and try us.

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Extract of a Letter from
PROVIDENCE, Ala., May 13, 1866.

DR. JOHN BULL: I send you $31 for Cotton Elixir, please send what it will come to after paying freight to Columbus, Miss. I have been troubled for several years with indigestion, have had to take pills every night for some fifteen years, and in February, 1864, I was attacked with congestive chills, and was confined to my room for the balance of the year, and, in fact, continued in a great weak and nervous condition until some four months since, when I was put under an operation, and your Cotton Elixir was recommended. I commenced improving right away, and not pretty well restored.

Yours truly,
A. L. NEAL.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 25, 1864.

I received this day the following from Lancaster, Kentucky:

DR. JOHN BULL: Please send me in haste for my own use another Cotton Elixir. Those I have tried them, and find them all you claim for them.

Yours truly,
G. W. SHINDLEBOWER.

ANOTHER TESTIMONY.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Oct. 14, '64.

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General Superintendent L. & N. R. R.
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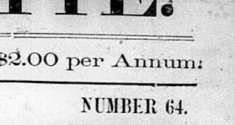

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MERIDIAN, MISS.

Wednesday : : : : : October 16, 1867.

The editor of this paper has just returned from the North. He spent several weeks in that section, and returns greatly encouraged. The long talked of reaction appears to have commenced in earnest. Ohio and Pennsylvania have spoken with thunder tones in condemnation of the Congressional plan of reconstruction, and against the robbery and plunder of a corrupt Congress. The people have risen in their might and carried the strongholds of Republicanism. We believe the day is fast approaching when the Wades, Shermans, Stevens and Butlers will be held responsible for their crimes against liberty and the Constitution.

Circumstances have caused us to postpone for the present the publication of a daily paper. The project is not abandoned, but will be commenced as soon as practicable.

The Cincinnati Commercial, of the 6th, in an editorial announcing the election of Geary, the Democratic candidate for Congress from the Second Congressional District of Ohio, acknowledges frankly that it miscalculated "the elements at work" to break up the Radical party.

Several leading Democrats have had interviews with the President during the past few days relative to the reorganization of the Cabinet. They advise a thorough change and the appointment of new men who represent the tone of the people as indicated by the elections that took place last week. These suggestions are favorably received by Mr. Johnson, and there is reason to believe, telegrams tell us, they will be complied with ere long, but there is a variation as to the proper time for their consummation, some urging immediate action and others advising delay for three or four weeks, to give an opportunity for canvassing as to the fitness and qualifications of the proposed successors of the present members of the administration.

IMPEACHMENT DEAD.—Gen. Butler acknowledges that the impeachment project is dead. The elections killed it. He adds, we have lost our opportunity.

Gen. Schenck said last week in the Ohio canvass that by the help of God, he would im vear 6 and put the President out of office in November. Since the people impeached Schenck and his followers, the heaven task may be abandoned. If, however, the madmen should persist in the political nonsense of a violent collision will be inevitable, sustained and encouraged by the people, and some heads having done wrong, the President will protect and defend his right. If the Radicals insist on having "blood," we presume Mr. Johnson will be found ready to gratify them.

The Editor of the Mercury would have the public believe he is the quintessence of Southern chivalry, and the only man here who can write, and such a quality in him to edit a civil paper. These would have been him long ago, were they better for it, as he feels sure he has been a rampant fire-eating secessionist, and not Heroded Herod in his efforts to bring on a revolution. When it came he kept out of harm's way, and if he ever gave a day's service or contributed a dollar to the cause of the South, we have not heard of it. But our neighbor can say, like the Pharisee of old, *I have been a all right all the time.*

When Sickles finished his Philadelphia speech, Sheridan jumped up and hugged and kissed him, a telegram tells us. This may be orthodox radicalism, but very poor taste.

The seal of public condemnation has been set upon negro supremacy in the South. We would advise the colored people to guard well their action. Too much for the blacks has been already demanded all along by the radical party, and now that the reaction has fairly set in, they may in the end, as the noted abolitionist, Garret Smith says, be cleft in possession of less rights, less property, less advantages, than would have been cheerfully conceded to more moderate demands for them."

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend a grand Tournament at Selma on the 6th and 7th of November. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Odd Fellows and Masons of Oakalona, Miss., to aid in rebuilding their Halls, destroyed during the war. There will be two grand prizes awarded, of $300 and $200—each. We notice that Capt. W. A. Payne, of our city, is one of the Judges. Gen. Hardee is President of the Association.

The elections on Tuesday vindicate the President and impeach the Radical Congress.

No matter what your business is—no matter what your calling—if you want to secure customers, patrons, patients or clients, the quickest, surest, safest and most satisfactory way is to advertise. The revenue derived from expending a few dollars in putting yourself before the people in a correct light, cannot be set down at any market value, but may be regarded as infinite.

AGRICULTURAL.—The Ground Pea is the enriching product of this county. We are informed that a gentleman near this place, made $2,000 last year off his crop. A Mr. Nixon, who lives near Rocky Point, will make this year from 15,000 to 15,000 bushels, and the prices will range from 82 to $1 per bushel."—Wilmington (N. C.) Star.

The Aberdeen Examiner produces the above item, by way of comment upon the folly of farmers, devoting their undoubtedly great energies, to the culture of cotton, a plant that ultimature is inimical to, and that finds a thousand enemies in earth at all, to battle against its development.

The Convention Question.

The success that has attended the efforts of unscrupulous partizans to radicalize the negroes, the character of the men that will inevitably control the Convention, the certainty that the conservative element will have little or no influence in that body, satisfy us that the white people have nothing to hope from reconstruction.

We favored a Convention, believing that the intelligent and educated whites, would be able to control it, and thus secure a liberal State Constitution. But in this we have been disappointed. Recent events have forced us to the conclusion that the negro vote will be united, and as the disfranchisement of the whites gives them a majority, reconstruction on the Congressional plan can only result in negro supremacy, the oppression of the white man, and the elevation of the black man. We are not prepared to surrender the State voluntarily to the absolute control of the negroes, for such would be the effect of reconstruction in the condition of things now existing in Mississippi. Whether successful or not, we favor making an effort to defeat a measure which will plunge the country into ruin and degradation.

More Converts.

Late developements in the political horizon, and the certainty of a black and tan Convention at Jackson, where a decent white man will not stand the "ghost of a chance," has caused the Handsboro Democrat and Brookhaven Journal to change their base. They are now advocating "No Convention." Other Conservative papers will, no doubt, be found ere long, travelling with the army that is marching by the new light, which a month ago, shot up from the Pacific and is now illuminating the whole Keystone Alleghanies.—Whether the determination to be supreme in the South has brought us to a point where the roads divide. We have the black man at the forks with his loyal friends; he must follow, not lead, or be absorbed in the great abyss now burying beneath its swell, the party who have been trampling the peoples' right under foot for seven years.

Disappointed Expectations

Before the recent election, in Ohio, it was stated in the Cincinnati Commercial that a distinguished politician" of Ohio writing to a friend in Lexington, Ky., declared Hayes would have from thirty to thirty-five thousand and the amendment from twenty to twenty-five thousand majority. Now that the returns show Hayes to have been barely elected, and the amendment defeated by over 50,000, the Commercial's disappointment can well be imagined. General Sheridan, Chief Justice Chase, Gen. Logan, Gov. Scott for the campaign Tom, and Senator Thayer, Spoker Colfax, Gov. Fletcher, Gov. Cox, Gov. Oglesby, U. S. Senator Morton and at least two score other politicians hoped inaudibly for a radical triumph, but the result position black men in Ohio have decided that they will not be bound by such disgraceful treachery to their cause in this respect. This will have a marked effect throughout the land, and will change the color of Congressional enactment next month.

The Mercury, of Sunday morning would have been scant of editorial, but for the alleged short comings of the Gazette. It is clear that its only hope is in an appeal to the patriotism of the people because the Gazette, by tobe-honored reconstruction has the confidence that there is any connection whatever between the Gazette and Chronicle, is gratuitous and calculated to create a false impression. The Chronicle is printed by contract at the Gazette office, nothing more, and the Editor of the Gazette has nothing whatever to do with the views or policy of the Chronicle. We have deprecated the formation of a Radical party in the South, and have never written a line or sentence to encourage such a movement. We would like to be assured that the Mercury man, but can't think just now of turning Radical for his especial benefit.

Besides the yellow fever, which has prevailed for sometime in Vicksburg, the cholera has made its appearance. Several deaths have occurred during the latter disease, creating considerable alarm.

We learn from the Vicksburg Herald that a rencontre occurred in that city last week between J. Leroy and C. Beck, in which the latter received a slight pistol wound in the mouth.

RAISED THE QUARANTINE.—Mayor Barrows, of Jackson, announces that, in consequence of the "unusually healthy" condition of the city of Jackson, and there being no evidence whatever of an epidemic, quarantine is at oddsled. He advises due precaution in opening fibrous goods that have been long in infected places.

Somebody, boarding at the Washington hotel in Vicksburg, wrote the following on the Register the other night :

They asked me here to pay my bill,
But I can't come up to time ;
You will have to let it run on still,
For I cannot collect a dime.
My store is on this lonely street
To nurse the starving few ;
While the rich "got up and dusted"
And left their bills unpaid.

SHOCKING MURDER.—Late last Saturday evening, Dr. Suttle, of this county, was found dead in the road a few miles south of Sardis, having received a shot in the back of the head. The perpetrator of the foul deed is, so far, unknown. However, Gen. Anthony Foster, who resides near Sardis, was arrested by the proper officers on suspicion, and his case would have been properly investigated but for the interference of a bureau officer, who set the prisoner free on the civil authorities and placed him under a file of soldiers. These are the facts in the case, as we are informed. Now to farce.

We admit that murder is a crime, which when proved upon a man, should be punished with death. But we have yet to see or hear of any law or military order which gives a bureau agent jurisdiction over such cases where white men are the only parties concerned. Gen. Foster was tried before a "committing court" composed of two bureau officers, one acting "court" and the other "prosecuting attorney." Angust tribunal, that! We are not informed what the result of their deliberation is, but the prisoner is still in bureau custody.—Panola Star.

Missisippi A. E. & M. Aid Society and the Orphans' Home.

REV. DR. T. C. TEASDALE, General Financial Agent of the Orphans' Home of the State of Mississippi.

VICKSBURG, Miss., Sept. 25, 1867.

Dear Sir—The object of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society, as stated in the first article of its charter, is "to encourage manufactures and agriculture, and to aid in raising a fund to educate destitute orphans in the State of Mississippi." This Society has already paid into the Treasury of the State for the benefit of the University at Oxford Five Thousand Dollars, and its officers are under heavy bonds to pay to the State One Thousand Dollars per annum in addition to this, during the continuance of its operations.

With the assistance and blessing of a kind Providence, the company intends to make this Institution an Aid Society in truth and in fact; and at as early a day as possible it is proposed to establish free Schools throughout the State of Mississippi. But knowing that the orphans alone have been laboring earnestly for two or three years past to provide a "Home" for the support and education of the destitute orphan children of our Confederate dead; and sympathizing deeply with you, and willing to aid you in this most laudable undertaking, we take the liberty of informing you, that our Society has determined to make the Orphans' Home at Lamberdale, the especial beneficiary of its donations for the present. We are, as yet, unable to state the extent to which our assistance may be carried. Indeed, all our plans for the most enterprising are contemplated in our charter, and depend upon the patronage of the citizens generally, and especially of those who are directly interest in the prosperity of those enterprises. But it shall be our constant aim to render your very liberal assistance such a profitable worthy endeavor to provide for the exigencies of the children of the men who sacrificed their lives for our cause. And we are sanguine in the belief, that we will be able to aid the "Home" at Lamberdale, to the amount of several hundred dollars, before the approaching Christmas. But if our Society succeeds, as we hope it may, we shall be able very soon to render assistance by tens of thousands of dollars annually to your noble charity.

Wishing you great success in your arduous toils for the support and education of the children of our Confederate dead soldiers, we have the honor to be, dear sir,

Yours very respectfully,
W. D. LYLES,
President.

ALBERT SANDEL, Sec'y.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—The following statement is respectfully submitted viz:

COLUMBUS, Miss., Sept. 28, 1867.

The Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing Aid Society, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, last winter, proposes as the leading objects of its organization, "to encourage manufactures and agriculture, and to aid in raising a fund to educate destitute orphans in the State of Mississippi." This Society has already paid into the Treasury of the State for the benefit of the State University, at Oxford, the sum of *Five Thousand Dollars.* It now proposes to lend its assistance to "the Orphans' Home, of the State of Mississippi," located in Lamberdale, Lauderdale county, now at the "Home" nearly two hundred helpless orphans of deceased Confederate soldiers; and Thomas Thayer, Spoker Coffey, Gov. Fletcher, Gov. Cox, Gov. Oglesby, U. S. Senator Morton and at least two score other politicians hoped inaudibly for a radical triumph, but the result position black men in Ohio have decided that they will not be bound by such disgraceful treachery to their cause in this respect. This will have a marked effect throughout the land, and will change the color of Congressional enactment next month.

ORPHAN'S H. M.—An organization of S. W. M. has been effected in ohr town under the name and style of "Crystal Springs Conclave, No. 1."

The Association consists of prominent men in our midst of all grades and classes—numbers from twenty to thirty members, and is in the working order. This conclave, by the by, is the first of the order in the State.—Chrystal Springs News.

THE NEGRO JEALOUSY OF CASTE.—In some of the South American republics caste is a continual source of interneine war. In St. Domingo the negroes rebelled against the white man's government and massacred all the whites; and after they got possession of the government they rebelled against Jeffard, their chief executive, because he was a mulatto, and wanted to put Soloque, a full blooded African, in his place; and under the constitution of the black man's government in Liberia, no white man, or any person who has a drop of the white man's blood in his veins, is allowed to vote or hold an office.

Parson Lynch, the colored orator, is engaged in stumping the State. The Panola Star has the following humorously fair notice of his speech at that place:

According to announcement the Rev. James Lynch, colored, addressed a large crowd of colored "citizens" and a few of the plainer sort, on Monday last. As a speaker he is a man of considerable ability, having a good delivery and a ready flow of words, and something of a brass ring to his voice that is not to be disputed that we agree with him in his views but we freely confess that we displayed far more conservatism than we had anticipated. His advice to his colored brethren on some points, would have proved to be wished; he told them to regard the Southern people as their friends, and not their enemies; to work for their own advancement, and secure a shelter for their heads and covering for their feet by honest industry; to get political equality and equality before the law, but not to expect social equality; to avoid secret night meetings and associations as they were Republican institutions, and could lead to nothing but strife and discord; and not to expect to get land by confiscation, as there would be no confiscation. He said he was a Republican, and not a Radical, and in the course of his remarks, gave the white missaries of this vicinity some sharp rubs in regard to their incendiary teachings. Taken altogether it was the best speech we have listened to on the side of the question advocated, and would be of service to pretended speech-makers in this neighborhood if they would follow the advice it contained.

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BEEF—on foot	₱ lb	5 @ 6
Corn fed	₱ lb	7 @ 8
BUTTER—Goshen	₱ lb	50 @ —
Western	₱ lb	40 @ —
BROOMS	each	50 @ 75
BUCKETS	each	40 @ 50
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CASTINGS	₱ lb	10 @ 15
CORN	₱ bu	1 00 @ 1 25
COFFEE	₱ lb	28½@ 33
CHICKENS	₱ dz	4 80 @ 5 00
EGGS	₱ dz	25 @ 30
FLOUR—choice fam	₱ bl	16 00 @17 00
Double extra	₱ bl	14 00 @15 00
Gold		13 @ 14
Superfine family	₱ bl	9 00 @12 00
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OIL—Linseed	₱ gl	2 25 @ —
POR—on foot	₱ lb	10 @ 12½
POWDER	₱ lb	50 @ —
PUTTY	₱ lb	12½@ —
RICE	₱ lb	16 @ —
POTATOES—Irish	₱ bl	6 00 @ 8 00
Sweet	₱ bu	75 @ 1 00
SALT	₱ sk	3 00 @ 3 25
SUGAR—Crushed	₱ lb	23 @ —
Louisiana	₱ lb	20 @ 23
Clarified	₱ lb	20 @ 23
Loaf	₱ lb	25 @ 25
SHOT—Drop	₱ lb	10 @ —
Buck	₱ lb	20 @ —
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MAYORALTY.

MERIDIAN, Sept. 30, 1867.

THE introduction in this city of all fresh goods from localities infested with Yellow Fever, will positively forbidden. Any persons attempting to land, or expose the same for sale in this city, will be immediately arrested and severely dealt with.

All persons are hereby warned and notified, that they must keep their premises in a clean condition; removing all filth and matter calculated to engender disease. The police authority will report all infractions of the above, and the parties will be arrested and fined

R. L. HENDERSON, Mayor.

Notice.

THE undersigned, members of the Board of Registration for Lauderdale county, Miss., will meet at the Jones House, in Meridian Miss., on Monday, October 21st, 1867, at 8 o'clock, A. M. and continue in session five days, for the purpose of revising the registration records and registering all persons who at the time possess the qualifications required by law, and who have not been already registered.

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I have seen and heard of a great number of cases under Dr. Couden's treatment, and in the strongest manner I recommend him to all those who are so unfortunate as to be afflicted with cancer. I would advise all persons thus afflicted to make no delay in securing Dr. Couden's treatment, as I believe his treatment to be less pain and far superior to any other I have seen in the United States. Any one desiring further particulars can address me at Hagleraville, Henry county, Tennessee.

C. S. PAYN.

We, the undersigned, are acquainted with C. S. Payn, and know that his little son was such one as is stated by Dr. W. C. Couden, of this city and from what we are able to judge from the appearance of the child, it was surely a very remarkable success.

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THE undersigned have made extensive arrangements to supply the demand for these Ties the present season. In addition to the

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so extensively used heretofore, they now offer his

ALLIGATOR TIE,

with teeth so arranged as to instantly clamp the hoop when the pressure is removed from the bale and hold it without slipping

Great pains have been taken to secure the best quality of iron.

These Ties are so simple in their arrangement that they can be applied by any one, to bales of any size, with the same facility and expedition as rope. In strength, security and facility of application, they will compare favorably with any yet introduced.

The advantages of Iron Ties are now generally recognized; but it is deemed not out of place to call the attention of those interested to the very emphatic recommendation of Underwriters, Steamboat Captains, and Owners and Agents of Sea Steamers and Sailing Vessels, recently published in the newspapers in New Orleans.

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IN addition to the large quantity of valuable land we are now offering for sale in different portions of East Mississippi and Alabama, a desire to call special attention of those wishing to purchase, to a valuable plantation in Chesterville, Ala., 8 miles Northeast of the town of Butler and 9 miles from Tuscaloosa Bluff, on the Tombigbee river, containing 1,000 acres, a large portion of which is in a good state of cultivation—and very productive—adapted to cotton and corn, &c. There are two good dwelling houses on the place and all necessary out houses, stables, &c. Can be purchased on reasonable terms—one wishing to purchase could not make a better investment.

We give special attention to the collection, compromise, or adjustment of all claims—act as agents in buying or selling real estate, paying taxes on lands for non residents, &c.

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I OFFER FOR SALE the HOUSE AND LOT on which I now reside in Meridian, together with the FURNITURE of the WELCOME HOUSE.

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4 squares,	15.00	25.00	40.00	60.00
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Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 3:33 P. M.
" " down ..... 6:55 A. M.
Accommodation trains leaves at ..... 5:30 P. M.
" " arrives ..... 5:45 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11 A. M. Enterprise 1:45 P. M. Meridian 2:33 P. M. Macon 5:53 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Okolona 10:25 P. M. Corinth 1:50 A. M. Humboldt 5:50 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10:5 A. M. Distance, 472 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

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Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2:30 P. M. Corinth 7:05 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 12:15 A. M. Macon 3:02 A. M. Meridian 6:55 A. M. Enterprise 7:50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3:10 P. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

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Trains leave Meridian	7.30 A. M.
" arrive "	4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma	6.30 P. M.
" arrive "	4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves	7.00 A. M.
" " arrives	4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 9:30 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 6:30 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 2:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

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Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, West and South, and same connections by taking Jackson train on Southern Railroad, connecting at Jackson with trains on the Mississippi Central Railroad; and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi Central Railroad.

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Leave Grenada daily at 1:45 a. m. and 2:25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6:45 a. m. and 8:45 p. m. making close connections with trains for Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points north.

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CAPT. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C.
Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L. In charge of Institutions at Lauderdale. Miss.

Bishop Green's Appointments.

Shuqualak	October 17
Macon	" 18
Columbus,	" 19 & 20
DeKalb	" 22
Lauderdale,	" 24
Meridian,	" 26 & 27
Enterprise,	" 28
Quitman,	" 29
State Line,	" 31
Brandon,	Nov'r 2 & 3
Jackson	" 4

University Place, Tenn., Sept. 30, '67.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it. It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Agûe Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, but their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's' Chemical "Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, uses equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with the same confidence as a prescription of a regular physician. tf

STRANGE, YET TRUE.—That the female community in all sections, are grunting, suffering and lingering with so many diseases and ailings peculiar to their sex. Is there no balm for these? Is there no relief for so many complaints and irregularities? Is there no Uterine Tonic to relieve these female distresses, to strengthen the feeble, to remove obstruction, to quiet the nerves, to reduce, arouse, adorn and beautify the female sex? Yes we have the remedy, and it is Tebeau & Co's Improved Female Bitters. See.

Louisville Advertisements.

We call the special attention of our readers to the advertisement of Brinly, Miles and Hardy, sole manufacturers of the celebrated Brinly patent steel plow, cultivators, cotton scrapers &c., Louisville, Ky. Mr. Brinly is a Southern man; understands the wants of this section, and has had extraordinary success in manufacturing plows adapted to the soil and crops of this country.

His plows have taken more premiums than any others, and have the preference wherever they are used. Our readers who visit Louisville, should remember the firm, and give them a call.

Our readers will find among our new advertisements that of Hewett, Hardy & Co., dealers in agricultural implements, field seeds, lime, cement &c., Louisville, Ky. These gentlemen are well known as extensive dealers in every variety of agricultural implements, and in addition to their large stock of merchandise, will furnish the well known Brinly and Avery plows at manufacturers wholesale prices. We cheerfully recommend this house to the patronage of all who desire goods in their line.

Those who are afflicted with that most dreadful of all diseases, Cancer, would do well to read the card of Dr. Coulon, of Louisville. We called in his office while at Louisville, and saw the most conclusive and numerous testimonials of his success in effecting cures. He has permanently cured some of the worst cases, and may be relied on as an able and scientific physician.

Pain and weakness in the back, Grazel Dropsy, Gout, and all complaints resulting from deragement of the kidneys and urinary organs, may be cured or relieved by the use of Risley's Extract of Buchu. Sold by all Druggists.

The argument in the case of Mr. R. H. Breckinridge, charged with killing Dr. W. H. Burton, closed late last Friday evening, when Mr. Breckinridge was committed without bail to appear at the next term of the Circuit Court of this county. Mr. Breckinridge in her testimony, stated that Dr. Burton had been called in to see her son professionally, and that while the children were out in the yard he committed a rape upon her—that she subtle every possible restaurant, and took advice, but no one came to her assistance—She told her husband about it on the following Thursday night, and on Saturday afternoon, as our readers are aware, Dr. Burton was killed for committing the deed. The prosecution proved that at the time of the alleged outrage, Dr. B. was suffering from inflamatory rheumatism and could hardly use his right arm. A witness living just opposite Mr. Breckinridge, saw Mrs. B. and Dr. Burton in the back-room alone on the day it is stated the act was perpetrated; they soon retired—Mrs. B. shutting the door; no screams were heard. Mrs. Breckinridge spoke to witness about him next day in conversation as a gentleman, but that he was not her physician, as she preferred a married man.

Female suffrage excites derision, while female sufferings secures the sympathy of mankind. Our wives and mothers, sisters and daughters are subject to peculiar and troublesome complaints, for which the Philotoken, or females friend, is a special remedy, relieving painful irregularities, controlling the nerves, and securing comfort and safety during trying periods. Try It.

Persons engaged in sedentary employments within doors will find that an occasional use of the Red Jacket Bitters gently stimulates the circulation, improves the appetite, produces a regular habit of body, and prevents mental depression.

Haight & Chambers' renowned New Orleans Circus will exhibit in Meridian on Saturday, the 26th inst. Everything is new and gorgeous, and the proprietors guarantee an entertainment that for novelty and daring has not been excelled anywhere in the country. The troupe is composed of first-class performers. Read the advertisement and get your dimes ready.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick, the old reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night.—Chadwick's medicines are fresh, and an experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded. tf

STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by Ivison, Phinney, Blakeman & Co., Louisville, Kentucky:

The Goodrich Series of Readers, edited by Noble Butler, Butler's Grammar, Towne's Mathematics and Barbee's Geography.

The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be attained, we would respectfully urge upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a supply of these books for their pupils. With the exception of the Geology, which is something like premature, these books are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but as regards schools off the lines of the railroads, a difficulty will occur unless prompt action is taken. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to aid the association in its work, address John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky., at once, stating the number of books likely to be needed. On our acquaintance with the merits of these books, warrants us in sounding teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every possible aid rendered them.

New York Advertisements.

We invite attention to the card of Binger & Co., importers of old London Dock Gin and other liquors, No. 15 Beaver street, New York. This is one of the oldest firms in America, and was established in New York in 1728, eighty-nine years ago. They have always had the reputation of keeping the purest of the best liquors, and sell at reasonable prices. Our grocers would find it to their interest to send their orders to Binger & Co.

We invite attention to the advertisement by Messrs. Harrell, Risly & Co., wholesale druggists. No. 141 Chambers street, New York, of two celebrated remedies discovered by this well known firm, viz: The Philotoken or females' friend and Risly's extract of Buchu.

We are indebted to Jno. T. Ball, Esq., for a bundle of late Northern papers. Mr. Ball has just returned from the North, where he procured a large stock of winter goods for this market.

We are prepared at the Gazette office to execute job work of all descriptions in the best style, and at lower prices than any office in the State.

Bill-heads, cards, &c., at Louisville and Cincinnati prices.

Ross & Wilson, just below us, are getting in a fine supply of dry goods and groceries. They are enterprising and clever gentlemen, and are doing we are pleased to see, a first rate business.

We have received the first number of the Meridian Mercury, a tri-weekly and weekly paper edited by Messrs. Horn and Allen. We trust our cotemporaries may find the newspaper business in Meridian pleasant and profitable.

The new drug store of H. Izard & Co., is one of the most noticeable improvements in our flourishing city. They have every thing usually found in drug stores, which they sell at low rates. Mr. H. A. Lee, formerly of Mobile, an experienced druggist, is always on hand, and knows exactly how to fill orders. Our friend Dr. R. N. Parker has his office at this drug store, and can be found there unless professionally absent.

Our friends who desire to advertise, should bear in mind that there is no comparison as regards circulation between the Gazette and the other papers published at Meridian. The editor of one of the per excellence *white man's journal*, attempted to establish a paper here in the fall of '65. At the end of eighteen months, the paper was sold to the publisher of the Gazette, and its circulation was then less than half what the Gazette is at present.

Look out for a stolen horse, a description whereof will be found under the head of new advertisements in our present issue.

A new advertisement of the Mississippi Aid Society appears elsewhere. The next distribution takes place on the 21 of November. Certificates decrease and chances of drawing a prize increase with every distribution. The inducements presented by our home lottery are rarely offered by schemes of drawing. Chadwick on Front street has tickets for sale.

Meridian is fast becoming a great place. Our march to wealth and population is steadily onward. Energy and enterprise are establishing a permanency in trade, and giving those settling in our midst confidence, that even where the buying of the hunters hound is now sometimes heard will, in a few short years, be dotted with residences, stores and factories. Progress, that great stimulus to human activity, is visible on every hand. Houses are going up that would be an ornament to any city. And, by-the-way, We all should put up substantial handsome houses. Brick houses are nearly as cheap as we-den structures, and are far more safe and lasting. Brick can be had in numbers quantities here; several gentlemen are engaged in their manufacture; and offer a very superior article. Mr. R. Y. Reed, left with us yesterday, a specimen from one of his kilns, that cannot be excelled anywhere, and which he offers at figures reasonable enough. Let us have as many brick houses and stick chimneys, when lumber and brick can be had in abundance.

Several of our merchants have recently laid in new stocks of goods, and are now fully supplied with all the wants the country requires. Planters will find Meridian the best cotton market in the State, and one of the best points to lay in their supplies.

The Presbyterian Synod adjourned last Saturday night. The next meeting we understand will be held in Vicksburg.

RESIGNED.—We understand that Judge Harris and Judge Eliot will both resign Judge Handy and resign their places on the Supreme Bench! The two former, we learn, intend removing to Memphis, where they will pursue the practice of their profession. Judge Handy, as we stated yesterday, will remove to Baltimore, with his family, and will leave them about three weeks.—Canton Mail.

CROPPING ON SHARES.—The Franklin (Tenn.) Review, of the 21st ult., has the following:

From what we can see and gather, the farmers who are cropping on shares with freedmen in this county will, as a general rule, abandon the plan another year. We know a good many fields that would with anything like proper cultivation have grown rich crops of corn and cotton, but were abandoned or neglected during the late canvass to such an extent that they are entirely ruined. Our farmers generally will be unable to profit by such lessons, which by no means is the case in all instances, and shape their plans accordingly.

The best probability of securing good work next year than this, and we are satisfied after careful study, that the farmers generally intend to sow a largely increased body of land in grass and grain—which we anticipate they will find a profitable crop, and one that requires his hands with the least labor—or in plain or words who so arranges his crops as to need but little assistance in their cultivation—will be better off, and make more clear money, without half the annoyance and trouble, than he who undertakes the uncertain plan of cropping on the shares of growing good crops with hired labor. And the greater the number who pursue this course, the better for their own good and the country at large.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

NASHVILLE, Oct. 10.—The inauguration ceremonies took place to-day. The weather was fine. Governor Brownlow was barely able to ascend to the House of Representatives, where he was inaugurated. As it was, he was supported by two members, who escorted him to a chair on the Speaker's stand.

His feebleness prevented him from reading his inaugural; that duty was performed by his private Secretary. The Governor did not speak during the ceremony, and while sprinkling in his chair looked emaciated and feeble in the extreme. It is reported by those who profess to know, that Brownlow, in anticipation of being elected to the United States Senatorship, has promised to resign the Governorship immediately thereafter, and take a trip for his health.

Senator Speaker of the Senate, who would then be acting Governor, report says, will use all his influence to secure Brownlow's election to the Senate.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 12.—Interments from yellow fever for the twenty-four hours ending at six this morning, were 48.

AUGUSTA, (Ga.) Oct. 12.—A duel was fought near here this morning, between Col. H. T. Peyton, of Atlanta, and Maj. O'Connor, of Rome. After an interchange of shots, the affair was settled. The difficulty grew out of a newspaper article.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 12.—Justices Swayne and Ballard have decided that the Civil Rights Bill is Constitutional.

Samuel R. Taylor, a nephew of the President, is dead.

Thomas Bullitt, Oct. 12.—The pardon application of R. M. T. Hunter recently published, will be written soon after the war.—His expressions of approval apply to Johnson's, and not to the Congressional plan of reconstruction.

In a drunken row between the stage passengers and the cohort at Cameron, Missouri, on the Santa Fe road, three persons were killed.

Franklin Pierce was serenaded at Concord, N. H., Wednesday night, and said: "I warn you, my friends, to note the fact that these triumphs, whatever they may be, are my own triumphs. The people have risen in their majesty, with a consciousness of their power, and disregarding party lines party agitations, have been silently considering what be for the best interest of children and their country. I think the great battle has been fought and won. If the results are not pleasant to some of you, they are in this: That the white race, our race, the German, Italian, French, Irish, Scotch and Yankee, Democratic race are still in the controlling power on this continent."

The result of the gubernatorial election in Georgia can be positively known until Tuesday.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 12.—There is a great Democratic meeting tonight at the Opera House to celebrate the recent political victories in Ohio.

RICHMOND, Oct. 12.—The case of Gen. Imboden is exciting some interest. He applied to be admitted to practice under the President's last proclamation upon taking an oath to support the Constitution, but was rejected. He now intends to apply to the United States District Court for a writ of mandamus, to compel the Clerk to allow him to register his name. In case the Court refuses to grant the writ, he will appeal to the Supreme Court at once. The question involves the validity of the oath required by the reconstruction act, and demonstrate what virtue there is in the pardon extended by the President to the excluded class.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Major Mott, S. Ward, editor of the Panola (Miss.) Star, is dead.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The registration of the voters for the November election begins here Monday.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 13.—Gen. Canby and staff leave here for Columbia to-morrow to consult with Governors Orr and Worth. The order of election for a Convention will be issued on his return.

It is reported that a party of negroes tore up the track of the South Carolina Railroad last night at Hopkins, near Columbia. The train was thrown off the track and the engine damaged.

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Latest Market Reports.

MOBILE, Oct. 14.—There was a good and general demand to-day, with limited stock offering. The market closed firm at 16@16½c for Middling. Sales 1600 bales.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—A very uneasy feeling prevails regarding the Liverpool cotton market. The liabilities of Ruffi and Campbell & Co. are estimated of $2,000,000.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 14.—Tobacco 83 25@15 00 for common to fine leaf. Flour—Extra Flour firm at $8@9 for superfine. Bacon—shoulders 15c, clear rib sides 18½; clear sides 19½. Lard 16@16½.

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It is curious to note the distinctions of color applied to disease. There are the black vomit, the black tooth, the green sickness, the white swelling, the scarlet fever, the yellow jaundice, as Mrs. Partington says, the "brown erectera." And now we have, as a climax, the "blue death" and the hospital ship at quarantine, New York.

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STANDARD REMEDY.

IN CONSIDERATION OF THE SCARCITY OF MONEY, and the hard times within the reach of all, we have reduced the price of our

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To the low price of ONE DOLLAR per Bottle.—This is the most powerful and certain compound ever introduced for the permanent eradication of all forms of Chills, Intermittent, Remittent and Bilious Fevers, Neuralgia, Chills Sick Headache, and all those malarious affections so common in the Southern country. Directions for use in all languages accompany each bottle, and full printed directions is pleasant to the Taste, and never gripes or weaken the nerves.

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It cleanses the Stomach, arouses the Liver, opens the pores of the skin, and thus expels the disease from the system. Nothing could be more simple and permanent cured. Pure only One Dollar.

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Who have not become acclimated, and are constantly troubled with a Chill or Fever, when an attack is felt, should have a bottle of Hostetter's Bitters on hand. By all means use this truly valuable preventive. It is prepared and sold by physicians of Twenty Years experience in this particular line of practice.

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Who have no time to lose feeling with various matters of the day, and who have no money to waste in experiments, should go to a good Druggist and buy a bottle of KING OF CHILLS and be cured of all Chills and Fever. Its taste is pleasant, and it never affects the head or gives nausea.

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Your time is money, and may do you continue with the Chills, Fevers, etc., losing so much of your precious time? Go to your Druggist and buy a bottle of KING OF CHILLS, and be cured. Our remedy builds up the system placing the blood in a healthy condition, and thus expels the seeds of all fevers and prevents them from ever returning. Full directions in the bottle and full and permanently cured. Price only One Dollar.

FARMERS AND PLANTERS

Visiting the city to sell your crops, especially those living here Monday.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 13.—Gen. Canby and staff leave here for Columbia to-morrow to consult with Governors Orr and Worth. The order of election for a Convention will be issued on his return.

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Physical Vigor.

Physical vigor is the manly safeguard of health. It supports and fights off the morbid elements which superintduce disease. The grand question, therefore, is, how shall able the sweller preserve he increased vigor it is but feeble, and acquired where it scarcely exists at all? There was a time when this question could not be satisfactorily answered. But the problem is now solved. It has been proved by the experience of more than fourteen years that Hostetter's Bitters so thoroughly reinforce both the constitution and the secretive and the ferments which govern the body, that comparatively inculcated to the unwholesome influences which prostrate so many thousands on the beds of sickness, in various parts of the world, at all seasons of the year. As an invigorating, regulating and restorative preparation, suited to all climates and to all contingencies, it stands alone among modern medicines. It is the only tonic of which the stimulating principle is perfectly pure. Its basis is entirely free from the fusel oil of spirits, admitted by analytical chemists and medical practitioners to be the most genial and powerful solvent; and this fluid is purged of all the crudities which belong to it as it comes from the manufacturer, before being used in the composition of the Bitters. The alterative, corrective and regulative properties of the Bitters are derived exclusively from roots and herbs plants the virtues of which are acknowledged by pharmacists and physicians, and which are often prescribed separately by the profession. Never however, were these plants and roots so skillfully combined for preventive and remedial purposes until the hygeian compound. Hostetter's celebrated Bitters, was given to the world.

Indigestion—Dyspepsia. Progress has its penalties. As the world advances in civilization, it becomes more luxurious and the ministering of the body seems to be an inseparable accompaniment of the cultivation of the mind. This ought not to be; but it is, and no argument can alter the fact, though wholesome advice and judicious, precautionary and remedial treatment may mitigate the evil. In cases, we are told, are not troubled with dyspepsia; but this dictum is open to doubt. Privation and hardship, as well as high living and dissipation, engender the disease; and it would therefore seem that the dweller in palaces, as well as the dweller in cities, must be made of less susceptible stuff than the thing, however, is certain; in no country under heaven is it so prevalent as in the United States. Here it is universal, wherever domesticated, and it is to be found in almost every household; and consequently a Household Remedy for it is a matter of inestimable value to the American people.

Few disorders involve greater suffering; and, if not conquered immediately, progress it is the forerunner and source of many deadly maladies. But even if it did not lead to other diseases, it is unendurable by itself—the mental and physical misery which it produces, and which renders life comparatively valueless, is in itself a sufficient reason why no pains should be spared in the effort to prevent and cure it.

Physicians, as a general rule, admit that no disease gives them so much trouble as dyspepsia, and they attribute the failure of curing it to the unwillingness of their patients to abandon the habits which occasion it, as well as to the want of time for business hastiness in eating, &c. &c. It is no doubt true that the best treatment of complicated dyspepsia cannot be had if the patient refuses to exercise common prudence, but it is also true that what we called the "dyspepsia of civilization" may be and undoubtedly is relieved by medicine, produce permanent cures. On the other hand it is a fact established by thousands of certificates, the witnesses, whose testimony is simply a statement that the cure has been effected, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure the malady, and that an occasional use of the preparation by the cure has been effected a perpetual safeguard against the recurrence of the symptoms. On this account many intelligent members of the faculty have abandoned all the stereotyped prescriptions of the pharmacopeia, and confine their practice to the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters alone.

Fever and Ague—Intermittents generally, and Chills and Fever particularly, is far more widely known by experience to render a lengthened description of its symptoms unnecessary.

In order to escape fever and ague in any region it is only necessary to fortify the system against the malaria of the place by the regular use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. By this means all danger is avoided. In this respect the remedy in this has none. So surely as the Bitters are taken as a preventive, so surely will the individual be safe. Even those who cannot be exempted from the pains and penalties of one of the most harrassing complaints to which the dwellers in unhealthy districts are subjected. As a remedy, the concentration has no equal. When the first chilling any of the unpleasant and dangerous consequences which accompany and follow in the train of fever and ague, the paroxysms and rapidly restores the strength of the convalescent. If the preparation be taken with regularity in all the morbid elements, and low, marshy districts. Add this to the value as a stomachic and an antibilious agent, and it will be found to gainsay its claims to the very first place among Family Medicines.

Bilious Remittent Fever. This is a disease of a more malignant type than ordinary "fever and ague," but it springs from the same cause, malaria, and may be forestalled by the same means, viz., a precaution the employment of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. In order to render the system malaria-proof, it must be endowed with extra vigor, and in all its features in perfect order. To effect these objects the BITTERS must be resorted to. Remittent Fever, it is finally believed, may be certainly prevented by the daily use of this unapproachable protective preparation. If the disease be contracted, the Bitters should be taken between the hot stages. In every variation from the normal standard of health or form of disease, the Bitters are a powerful corrective and regulator. Persons who are subject to gainsay its claims to the very first place among Family Medicines.

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A compound that is actually restoring health to once sickly females than all other remedies combined. It gives perfect health to the form, and imparts a beauty to the face, which is irresistible. Complaints peculiar to the female sex. It is indorsed by the medical profession all over the country, as it is no secret nor patent, and of its cures Ministers and Governors of other states will testify.

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Have long needed a medicine that would relieve them of all their Female Complaints and irregularities which prevent them from enjoying the Social Circle, and they can now confidently rely upon the genuine English Female Bitters. It arouses, restores and regulates. Its great tonic properties are unequaled. Cures all painful Menstruation, Hysterics, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Falling of the Womb, Nervousness, Sick Headache, and all those symptoms which follow, this one of the most prolific evils.

That Young Girl,

Whose bloom has departed from her cheeks, whose eye has lost its lustre, whose intellect has lost its brightness, whose countenance has become sallow and despair; who is pale, emaciated, feeble, listless, restless, should take the English Female Bitters, as it is a sure remedy for all those painful symptoms of the head, cold feet and hands, can be restored to perfect health and beauty by using the English Female Bitters.

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As you value your life, and health, and personal charms, you are now troubled with some complaint peculiar to your sex, you should have immediate treatment or some physician without benefit; and if you have been disappointed in your expectations, be reached, let us intist, let us urge you to lay aside prejudice, and use the only true and scientific remedies, for one time in your life, and try one single bottle.

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We are well aware that every person such at this time is afflicted with one of the diseases we know of many establishing individuals in this country, Canada, Cuba, and Europe, and these we will say, will say to you, that we have no secret remedies, but one that is scientific in your graves. Should a single bottle of English Female Bitters fail to benefit and preserve a bottle of this powerful remedy, we will refund the money, and leave the strength and color. Sold by all Druggists.

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RECOMMENDATION.

KOSCIUSKO, Miss., Aug. 12, 1867.

Capt. G. D. Bustamante—Dear Sir:

Having known you favorably for twenty years, and watched with pleasure the progress you have made within the last two years in your laudable undertaking of introducing into our midst many of the various labor saving machines in use at the North, and I fully endorsing your views of the necessities of our State for such, and believing you to be eminently qualified to succeed in this new field for business men, we take pleasure in recommending you and your enterprise to the public, and in wishing you complete success.

J. A. P. Campbell, Ch'd Judge 5th Jud'l Dist.
L. W. Scarborough, P. obate Judge Attala Co.
Jno. C. Lucas, Sheriff of Attala County.
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THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartnership and sold out the

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July 1st, 1867—aug26wtf

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NOTICE.

THE copartnership of Kennedy & Gibbs, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

R. B. KENNEDY,
JOE GIBBS.

Meridian, Miss., Sept. 15th, 1867.

The books, notes and accounts are in the hands of Jno. M. Martin for collection. Call at the Drug store of N. B. & T. H. Kennedy and settle.

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TESTIMONY OF MEDICAL MEN.

Stoney Point, White Co., Ark., May 25 '66.

DR. JOHN BULL—Dear Sir: Last February I was in Louisville purchasing Goods, and I got some of your Sarsaparilla and Cedron Bitters. My son-in-law, who was with me in the store, has been down with rheumatism for some time, commenced on the Bitters, and soon found his gr ve al health improved.

Dr. Gist, who has been in bad health, tried it, and he also improved.

Dr. Collee, who has been in bad health for several years—stomach and liver affected—has improved very much by the use of your Bitters. Indeed the Cedron Bitters have given you great popularity in this settlement. I think I would sell a great quantity of your medicines this fall—especially of your Cedron Bitters and Sarsaparilla. Ship me via Memphis, care of Rickett & Brady.

Respectfully,
C. B. WALKER.

BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

TO MY UNITED STATES AND WORLD-WIDE READERS:

I have received many testimonials from p rsonsand medical men, as my almanacs and various publications have shown, all of which are genuine. The following letter from a highly educated and popular physician in Georgia, is certainly one of the most servere commendations I have ever received. Dr. Clement knows exactly what he speaks of, and his test money deserves to be written in letters of gold. Read what the Doctor says of BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

VILLANOW, Walker County, Ga.,
June 19, 1866.

Dr John Bull—Dear Sir: I do receive yours on your "Worm Destroyer" several times, and find it wonderfully effe ctive. It has in my hands done more than a dozen of any other kind. I am free to confess that I know of no remedy recommended by the old practitioners that is so certain and speedy in its effects. On the contrary they are uncertain in the extreme. My object in writing you is to find out upon what terms I can get the medicine directly from you. If I can get it upon reasonable terms I shall use a great deal of it. I am aware that the use of such articles is contrary to the teachings and practice of a large majority of the regular M. D's, but I see no just cause or good sense in discarding a remedy which we know to be efficacious, simply because we may be ignorant of its combination. For my part, I shall make it a rule to use all and any means to alleviate suffering humanity which I may be able to command—not hesitating because some one more ingenious than myself may have learned it—ff ects first, and secondly the why ought to secure that know edge. However, I am by no means an advocate or supporter of the thousands of worth less nostrums that flood the country, that purport to cure all manner of disease to which human flesh is heir. Please reply soon, and inform me of your best terms.

I am, sir, most re pectfully,
JULIUS P. CLEMENT, M. D.

BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

A GOOD REASON FOR THE CAPTAIN'S FAITH

Read the Captain's Letter and the Letter from his Mother.

Boston Barracks, Mo., April 30, 1866.

Dr. John Bull—D ar Sir: Knowing the efficiency of your Sarsaparilla, and the benefit it has done me, I feel it my duty to give you the following statement of my case.

I was so ondedabout two years ago—was taken p ssession and confined for sixteen months. Being in bed so oft n my wounds have not healed yet. I have not sat up a moment since I was wounded. I am shot through the lungs. My general health is improved, and I need something to use at nature. I have more faith in your Sarsaparilla than in anything else. I would that this assertion may meet with a hearing. Please express half a dozen bottles, and oblige

Capt. C. P. JOHNSON,
St. Louis, Mo.

P. S.—The following was written April 30, 1867, by Mrs. Jeanie Johnson, mother of Capt. Johnson:

Dr. Bull—Dear Sir: My husband, Dr. C. S. Johnson, was a skillful surgeon and physician in Central New York, where he died, leaving the above C. P. Johnson to be my support. He is now 7 years of age he had a chronic diarrhea at Scriba, for which I gave him your Sarsaparilla. It cured him. I have for ten years recommended it to many in New York Mills, and Iowa, to Scriba's, lever sores, and general debility. Perfect success has attended it. The cures effected in some cases of scrofula and lever sores were almost miraculous. I am very anxious for my son to go a have recourse to your Sarsaparilla before he will receive it.

Respectfully,
JENNIE JOHNSON.

Dr. Bull—Dear Sir: Please express to me two bottles of your Sarsaparilla. I believe it will cure my lever.

Respectfully,
JENNIE JOHNSON.

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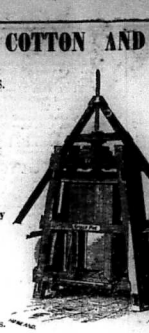

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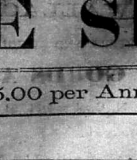

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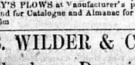

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University Place, Tenn., Sept. 30, '67.

The attention of our readers are directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Rudkle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

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STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.—This large and influential body of gentlemen at its recent meeting in Jackson, adopted for use in the schools of the State, among others, the following books, published by John P. Morton & Co. Louisville, Kentucky:

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The object of this action on the part of the Association, is to secure uniformity in the use of text books throughout the State. In order that so desirable a result may be obtained, we commend respectfully upon our teachers throughout the State, the necessity of taking early steps to secure a supply of these books for their pupils. With the exception of the Geology, which is just being issued from the press, these books are already used in all the public and private schools in New Orleans, Mobile, Vicksburg, Jackson, Meridian, Columbus and Aberdeen, where, of course, large supplies are kept. Schools in the vicinity of these places can easily procure a supply, but as regards schools off the lines of the railroads, a difficulty will occur unless prompt action is taken. We would recommend that all teachers in the State, who intend to add the aforesaction in its work, address John P. Morton & Co. Louisville, Ky., *at once*, stating the number of books likely to be needed. Our acquaintance with the members of that house, warrants us in assuring teachers that prompt attention will be given to their orders, and every reasonable request complied with. tf

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What the Radicals think of the Negroes.

Even white Radicals are beginning to fear the results of negro suffrage in the South. They are alarmed at the fact that the ignorance and stupidity of the negro makes him the dupe of the designing and that the ballot in such hands will destroy prosperity and drive capital from the country. Beside, their aspiration for office was wholly unexpected. Depending on negro votes to radicalize the South they expected that vagrant Yankees and white Southern loyalists would receive all the fat offices. It never entered their heads that the darkey would expect to come in for a share of the spoils.

The Griffin Union edited by a Radical Yankee, complains dolorously of the difficulty of controlling his "ecullud" brethren. In a late number he says:

"We were apprehensive from the first that they would be easily imposed upon; hence our anxiety for them, knowing that our ebullient brethren depended much upon their action. Time has proved that though they are not quite so apt to be easily caught by the flag waver or principled, brainless hacks to be relied upon for the support of the Radical candidates. Many of them seem to think that they should command as many places in a white man's government as they exercised in the days of slavery. They seem to desire an equal share of the spoils of office whether they are capable or not. Where one is the man selected for office, he must be balanced by a black one. This is not all—what would you think of conduct with the great principle of the Republican party."

Of course its all wrong for the negro to want office. The Lord never have no use for the "man and brother" except as a voting machine to carry out their wise machinations and give the fat "smells of office."

Letter from Meridian.

Our old friend and associate, Col. J. L. Power, who dropped in upon us very unexpectedly last week, during the sitting of the Synod, writes the following letter to his paper from this place:

MERIDIAN, Oct. 13, 1867.

Dear Citation: Having heard much of the size and progress of Meridian, I came here yesterday to satisfy myself by personal observation. It is some town, and no mistake. Indeed it has a city chance and certainly has many city airs. It has spread out considerably since I passed through here in the summer, when the evidences of Mr. Sherman's visit were still to be seen. Several handsome residences and stores have been erected since then, and judging from the respectable instances of public taste, the people of Meridian intend to expend for some distance into the surrounding country. As Hoover Goodyear, the Confederate Congressman from Mississippi—that he was raised in a country where nature was luxuriously rich all the year round—Mr. Rich tells me is located where soil, mild of late, does not shrink from the square foot. Indeed, he assures us deeply settled active city enterprise, it will have a population more numerous than any other city in the State. I am informed that it has been more so of those two land inhabitants, and from what I have seen and heard of it, it is a most progressive, intelligent, union. Mr. Rich, in Confederate day's like many others, was where the boys in gray used their own gate, acquired a very unenviable reputation—and chiefly on account of its wonted accommodations; and in behalf of the landlords, I may be said that the boys wouldn't allow them to keep a full supply of bed clothing, spoons, knives and forks, and such other things as were deemed essential to the comforts of the lodging. No soldier, of course, would condescend to steal such articles; they would simply "borrow" them. Since the war expired and was extended the Rich is a President will not be elected until a meeting of the Democratic party.

The Presbyterian denomination here has just completed a very handsome church edifice at a cost of about eight thousand dollars. Rev. Mr. Klein is the pastor. The Church was well filled this morning, when Rev. Mr. Atkinson, of Madison, discoursed. Mr Hunter, of Jackson, will preach again to-night. The Methodist denomination have good congregations, and the Catholics are nothing up anything in the way of numbers. The city has at least two good schools—that for boys, by Rev. Mr. Smylie; that for girls, by Rev. Mr. Hawkes.

A new candidate for public favor presented itself this morning, in the shape of a "Mississippi Boy." He is a boy, and a worthy craftsman. In politics, it is anti-Convention.

Upon the pleasure of meeting with Col. Shannon and Mr. Armstrong, of the Gazette, and with Mr. Hudson of the Enterprise Star. All of whom bear very clean clothes, and seem to be otherwise professionally prosperous.

An stopping at the "Jones House," and find its hospitable landlord more hospitable than usual. He knows how to keep a hotel. The traveler will find here good fare and clean beds.

We visit Mr. Goodman's Home at Lauderdale Springs this evening, and write you from there.

LOGAN.

The New Orleans Commercial Bulletin states that out of sixty workmen engaged in laying the Mississippi levee, covering the wood blocks with tar, on St. Charles street, in that city, no one has been attacked with yellow fever.

A Northern Opinion of Reconstruction.

A late number of the Round Table contains an able article on the condition of the South, and the effect of Reconstruction under the Military Bill. We call attention to the following extract which we regard as a truthful picture of what is now going on:

The plain meaning of the pseudo-reconstruction acts of Congress, now being pushed to their most merciless consummation, is simply this: To register in the South the entire negro population and such whites as may unite with them in supporting the Radical party in Congress. To prohibit the registration of the vast majority of the whites who love a real lot rest in the quiet and prosperity of the country. 2d. To submit to the votes of the States thus registered the question whether they will or will not hold a convention for the reconstruction of their States under the congressional plan. Under this mode of procedure, it may be seen what a hopeful future lies before the Southern States. The whole country either votes not to call a convention, or for no convention. The white vote will be swept away by a majority of negroes. The present ruling rule will at this juncture be the basis of reconstruction. Confiscation of the property of white men by their negro rulers will be sure to follow; and the indirect confiscation will be more extensive than confiscation outright. The ruling class, failing in property themselves, will look upon the transfer of property from the whites to the blacks as a possession as the great end of Government. What a people a negro legislature to tax! What a people to vote away taxes, the issue entailing no doubt! In every county taxes will be laid in the name of the negro, and the whole of the

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Register Register.

Another opportunity will be given next week to all who have failed to register, to qualify themselves as voters. Our advice is to register even if you do not vote in the Convention election. Qualify yourself to vote on the question of ratifying or rejecting the new Constitution if one should be made. If you neglect it now you may never have another opportunity.

The negroes of this county appear to be the absolute slaves of the Loyal Leagues. The lodges say who they must vote for, and the poor nigger has to vote it, or be punished for delinquency. So much for the glorious privilege of being a freeman.

We would remind the Chronicle that elections were held in Ohio and Pennsylvania on the 8th inst. The fact may possibly have escaped the Editor's attention. We have seen no allusion to it.

As between Aaron Moore, colored, and Merryman, white, so-called, Moore is considered much the better man. Moore is a pretty good blacksmith, and was a very respectable darky until he commenced associating with *white trash*, and attending the Loyal Leagues. If he will quit such bad company, he may yet retrieve his character.

We hoped at one time that harsh as were the Reconstruction laws of Congress, it might be possible to have a Convention of intelligent sensible men capable of framing a liberal State Constitution. There is no prospect of it now. Niggers and vagabond Yankees will make up the Constitution.

A grand Tournament will be held at Demopolis, Alabama, on the 31st of October, 1867. On the morning of the same day will be given a coronation and Dress Ball. The first prize will be a superior gold watch worth $300—the Knight taking this prize will be entitled to crown the Queen of love and beauty. The second prize will be a handsome saddle and bridle with the honor of naming 1st lady to the Queen. The third prize will be a handsome saddle horse to be contested for by all Knights irrespective of the 1st and 2nd prizes.

It is stated that Commodore Barron, of the Confederate navy, and Hon. A. H. Stephens, will be pardoned in a few days. Action in the case of James A. Seddon, at one time Secretary of War, under the Confederate banner, has been postponed by the present, by advice of the Cabinet.

The New York Herald says it is evident from the accidents occuring daily that the risk of life and limb on the streets of that city is as great as on the ocean or steam cars.

Knowing no better, the negroes of Nashville elected a man of their own color to the City Council. As Tennessee law does not admit of negroes holding office, his white competitor took the seat, the votes given for the negro being thrown away.

A case of considerable importance was to come up this week in the United States Court at St. Louis. A writ of habeas corpus has been granted, commanding the warden of the prison to bring before the court Wm. Murphy, convicted by military commission and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for boat burning on the Mississippi river during the war.

Even Massachusetts is weary of the everlasting ding-dong of the past, and some of the Bostonians look for the reaction to take firm hold in the State. Thousands of Republicans, a letter writer declares will join with the Democrats in electing liberal men to the Legislature. This is all very pleasant, but does not elate us much. We will be satisfied with a moderate gain in the land of "isms."

HIGHLY IMPORTANT DECISION.—The case of Dean vs. Harvey, administrator of W. H. Youell, has been finally settled by the United States District Court of Georgia.—Youell, in 1864, purchased of Dean his plantation in Floyd county, Ga., for $21,000 in Confederate money. Dean remained in possession, but since the war entered into a rent contract for the place with Harvey, the administrator of Youell. Afterwards, Dean filed a bill in the superior court of Floyd county, to set aside the sale and to enjoin Harvey from turning him out of possession, upon the ground that the consideration of the purchase was Confederate money, and the sale, therefore, void. The case being argued on demurrer, his honor, Judge Erskine, dismissed the bill, sustaining the rights of the purchase. This case has excited a great deal of interest, and is, perhaps, the most important one to the Southern people decided since the close of the war.

Henry Timrod, the poet laureate of South Carolina, author of "The Hireling and the Slave," and many other poems of high merit, died of consumption, at Columbia, S. C., a few days since.

DISTRESSING FIRE AT SHUBUTA.—We regret to learn that on the night of the 12th inst., the dwelling house and all the outhouses of Mr. A. Carr, of Shubuta, were consumed by fire.

The fire is supposed to have been accidental, but was not discovered until too late for Mr. Carr to save his furniture, or even his money and valuable papers. His wife and child were injured by the fire, and had a narrow escape with their lives. Mr. Carr is an old and highly esteemed citizen; was once possessed of fine property, but lost it nearly all by the war. The property that has now been destroyed by fire was worth four or five thousand dollars, and at this time is a severe deprivation to him and his family. His many friends sympathize with him in his loss, and have expressed their sorrow in words and kind deeds of his own deep regret.

Something Besides Loyalty Needed.

The verdict of the people last week is convincing the Radicals that something else besides loyalty is needed in this country. Heretofore loyalty to the dominant party was a sure passport to any office of honor or profit within the gift of the despots. The St. Louis Democrat tells its party "loyalty is a good thing, but the people do not see that loyalty necessarily involves high taxes. Humanity and equality of rights are good, but Congress might possibly have done justice to the negro and still given some attention to neglected business interests. If Republican leaders do not presently attend to the business wants of the country, the people will begin, however mistakenly and blindly, to try to rid themselves of burdens which they know are greater than is necessary. Before long, high tariffs, high taxes, and whisky frauds will be used with some effect." The wreck of shattered images and idols has stirred up Wendell Phillips, who through the New York Commercial Advertiser, declares that blind and deluded almost beyond parallel are those who fail to discover a strong reactionary sentiment. The revolution through which we are passing, says Weed, is destined to repeat the history of France in more respects than will be found pleasant to modern Dantons and Robespieres, with this difference, however, that the people will contend themselves with bloodless guillotines." "Those who have sown the wind must prepare to reap the whirlwind," is the very sage advice of the veteran Radical to his followers!

The Cincinnati Commercial by far the ablest Radical paper in the far West, discovers that loyalty according to the interpretation of Ben Wade, the big gun of the Radical fortress, will not do any longer.—It bows to the fiat of the people. Its "inclinations have been to stop short of the completion of the radical programme, fearing that it was unwise to crowd the work of magnitude and difficulty," presented by the leaders of the party. The result of the election, the Commercial confesses will shake the radical fabric "from turret to foundation stone," and will have an influence in the next Presidential election that will "strongly mark the policy of political parties and the future history of the nation." The Philadelphia Inquirer confesses that a large number of republicans" voted for the Democratic candidates, thus turning the tide in the key-stone State.—The radical test of loyalty and the radical elevation of the negro, it is confessed on all sides, defeated the plunderers of the people's rights. The peculiar principles of the party are dead, and we shall soon have the "sober second thought" of the masses of the Union resuming its sway, where political iniquity has been revelling and rioting for years.

Beauties of Reconstruction.

A negro blacksmith by the name of Aaron Moore, and a vagrant yankee called R. G. Merryman, have been regularly nominated by the Loyal League of this county for the State Convention. The respectable people in the county are so well satisfied that the niggers and mean whites who compose the loyal league would vote against any decent white man that no steps have been taken to bring out other candidates. The Chronicle, the anointed and commissioned organ of Republicanism in this part of the State has bolted the ticket and announces the names of two clever gentlemen for the Convention, but the contest for the election of the nigger candidates will prevent them from receiving more than a scattering vote.

The Clarion tells us that the Constitutional Union Convention which met in that city on Tuesday was a failure. Out of sixty-one counties in the State, not exceeding from six to eight, including Hinds, responded to the call.

THE YELLOW FEVER.—The last Vicksburg and Mobile papers have nothing to say about this dreadful scourge. The Memphis Avalanche, of the 15th, reports nineteen cases of Yellow Fever, and one death for the twenty-four hours ending at 12 M. Oct. 14th. According to the report of the Secretary of the Board of Health there had been 88 cases reported during the week, and 29 deaths, about one in three, which is an enormous proportion. The conductor of the down passenger train on the Mobile road yesterday morning, we are told, reported that several cases had occurred at Corinth. Thus far Meridian has been spared. We have had a good deal of chills and fever here, but nothing like the pestilence which has been so terrible in other places.

The present state of affairs discourages many of our people. In endeavoring to penetrate the dim vista ahead, they see terrible and ruinous ghosts. The prospect is not very flattering, it is true, but we should pluck a little philosophy out of our condition and thank God we are so well off. The recent elections have produced a material decline in gold, and will stimulate the commerce and general business of the country. Specie payments, a stable money, mild taxes, civil rule, and proper regard for constitutional obligations, peer out just beyond the black pall which has been obstructing our vision so long. Our honest anticipations have been somewhat disappointed, but there has been an abundance made. The cornucopia holds enough for all. With such a flattering prospect ahead we can afford to endure our present evils with becoming dignity and fortitude.

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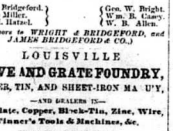

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HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS

AND

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC.

The Great Remedies for all Diseases of the

LIVER, STOMACH, OR DIGESTIVE ORGANS.

Hoofland's German Bitters,

Is composed of the pure juice (or, as they are medically termed *Extracts*) of Roots, Herbs and Barks, making a preparation, highly concentrated, and entirely free from alcoholic admixture of any kind.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC,

Is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with the purest quality of Santa Cruz Rum, Orange, &c., making one of the most pleasant and agreeable remedies ever offered to the public.

Those preferring a Medicine free from Alcoholic admixture will use

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.

Those who have no objection to the combination of the Bitters, as stated, will use

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC.

They are both equally good, and contain the same medicinal virtues, the choice between them being a mere matter of taste, the tonic being the most palatable.

The stomach from a variety of causes, such as Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, &c., is very apt to have its functions deranged. The liver, sympathizing as closely as it does with the Stomach, then becomes affected, the result of which is that the patient suffers from several or more of the following diseases:

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Fulness of Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fulness or weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried or difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, etc., etc., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil, and Great Depression of Spirits.

The sufferer from these diseases should exercise the greatest caution in the selection of a remedy for his case, purchasing only that which he is assured from investigations and inquiries possesses true merit, is skilfully compounded, is free from injurious ingredients, and has established itself a reputation for the cure of these diseases. In this connection we would submit those well known remedies—

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,

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HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC.

Prepared by Dr. C. M. JACKSON, Philadelphia, Pa.

Twenty-two years since they were first introduced into this country from Germany, during which time they have undoubtedly performed more cures, and benefitted suffering humanity to a greater extent, than any other remedies known to the public.

These remedies will effectually cure Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Indigestion or Chronic Diarrhœa, Diseases of the Kidneys, and all Diseases arising from a Disordered Liver, Stomach, or Intestines.

DEBILITY,

Resulting from any cause whatever; PROSTRATION of the NERVOUS SYSTEM, induced by Severe Labor, Hardships, Exposure, Fevers, &c.

There is no preparation equal to these remedies in such cases. A tone and vigor is imparted to the whole system, the appetite is strengthened, food is enjoyed, the stomach digests promptly, the blood is purified, the complexion becomes sound and healthy, the yellow tinge is eradicated from the eye, a bloom is given to the cheeks, and the weak and nervous invalid becomes a strong and healthy being.

PERSONS ADVANCED IN LIFE,

And feeling the hand of time weighing heavy upon them, with all its attendant ills, will find in the use of this Bitters, or the Tonic, an elixir that will instil new life into their veins, restore in a measure the energy and ardor of more youthful days, build up their shrunken forms, and give health and happiness to their remaining years.

NOTICE.

It is a well-established fact that fully one-half of the female portion of our population are seldom in the enjoyment good health; rarely, if ever, feel well. They are languid, devoid of all energy, extremely nervous, and have no appetite.

To this class of persons the Bitters, or the Tonic, is particularly recommended.

WEAK AND DELICATE CHILDREN

Are made strong by the use of either of these remedies. They will cure every case of MARASMUS, without fail.

Thousands of certificates have been accumulated in the hands of the proprietor, but space will allow of the publication of but a few. Those, it will be observed, are men of note and of such standing that they must be believed.

TESTIMONIALS.

Hon. GEO. W. WOODWARD, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, writes:

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1867.

"I find Hoofland's German Bitters a good tonic, useful in all cases of debility, chronic diseases of the digestive organs, and of great benefit in cases of nervous action in the system.

Yours, truly,

GEO. W. WOODWARD.

Hon. JAS. THOMPSON, Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, writes:

PHILADELPHIA, April 26, 1866.

"I consider Hoofland's German Bitters a valuable preparation in cases of debility arising from diseases of the digestive organs. In cases of this character, where all other remedies have failed, I have used them in my own family, and have never known them to fail in restoring the patient to health.

Yours truly,

JAMES THOMPSON."

From Rev. JOSEPH H. KENNARD, D. D., Pastor of the Tenth Baptist Church, Philadelphia.

Dr. Jackson—Dear Sir: I have been frequently requested to recommend, publicly, recommendations of different kinds of medicines, but regarding this practice as out of my appropriate sphere, I have in all such cases declined; but with a clear proof before me of the benefit derived from Hoofland's German Bitters, I depart for once from my usual course, to express my full conviction of their general debility of the system, and especially for Liver Complaint, in which they seem to be unfailing. In some cases it may fail; but usually, I consider it will be very beneficial to those who suffer from the above causes.

Yours, very respectfully,

H. H. KENNARD.

Eighth, below Coates St.

CAUTION.

Hoofland's German Bitters and Hoofland's German Tonic are counterfeited, but the genuine have the signature of C. M. JACKSON & Co. blown in the bottle. All others are worthless imitations. Manufactured at the German Medicine Store, No. 631 ARCH Street, Philadelphia, PA.

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Hoofland's German Bitters, per bottle.....$1 00
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Hoofland's German Tonic, half dozen.....5 00

Sold by Druggists and Dealers everywhere.

Beware of counterfeits and worthless imitations. Only buy in sealed bottles, with our name blown in the glass, and our fac-simile signature on the wrapper. Observe the following symptoms of counterfeits:

1st. Examine the signature of the wrapper, and if it is not my fac-simile signature, it is a counterfeit.

2d. Examine the bottle, and if my name is not blown in the glass, it is a counterfeit.

3d. Examine the article, and if it is not up to the standard in point of merit, it is a counterfeit.

Be sure and purchase only the genuine, and you will not be disappointed.

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THE undersigned have made extensive arrangements to supply the demand for these Ties the present season. In addition to the

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so extensively used heretofore, they now offer his

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with teeth so arranged as to instantly clamp the hoop when the pressure is removed from the bale and hold it without slipping.

Great pains have been taken to secure the best quality of iron.

These Ties are so simple in their arrangement that they can be applied by any one, to bales of any size, with the same facility and expedition as rope. In strength, security and facility of application, they will compare favorably with any yet introduced.

The advantages of Iron Ties are now generally recognized; but it is deemed not out of place to call the attention of those interested to the very emphatic recommendation of Underwriters, Steamboat Captains, and Owners and Agents of Sea Steamers and Sailing Vessels, recently published in the newspapers in New Orleans.

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IN MERIDIAN.

☞ Doors open at 2 and 7 p. m., commencing at 2½ and 7½ p. m.

ADMISSION—One Dollar; Children, Fifty Cents.

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Fashionable Tailor and Cutter,

SIDNEY STREET,

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A LL work in my line will be done in the best manner and with the quickest dispatch. Gentlemen can get garments cut and made up in the latest and most approved styles, and at reasonable prices.

Cleaning, repairing and altering neatly done. A share of public patronage is solicited.

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Extract of a Letter from

PROVIDENCE, Ala., May 12, 1866.

DR. JOHN BULL—I send you $20 for Cotton Bale tags, please send what it will come for, and pay freight to Columbus, Miss. I have been troubled for several years with indigestion and have taken pills every night for ten or fifteen years, and in February, 1865, I was attacked with general paralysis. I was confined to my room for the balance of the year; and, in fact, continued in a very weak and nervous condition until some two months since, when I was induced to try your Cotton Bale Tags. I commenced improving right away, and am entirely well restored.

Yours truly,

L. L. NEAL.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 25, 1866.

I received this day the following, from Lancaster, Kentucky:

DR. JOHN BULL: Please send me in haste, for my negroes, a dozen of your Cotton Bitters. I have tried them, and they cured my negroes for them.

Yours respectfully,

G. W. BRIDDLEBOWER.

ANOTHER TESTIMONY.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., Oct. 14, '66.

DR. JOHN BULL: We made an arrangement with your agent, Mr. Hall, to receive your Cotton Bitters, and have since sold quite a number. We would like to have you send us a few more, as we are introducing them readily, and think they deserve a good name.

Yours, truly,

WM. ROSS & BROTHERS.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Law, Medical, Miscellaneous, Religious and Classical Books, Stationery, Wall Paper, &c.

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J. A. BALLARD,

Notice.

THE undersigned, members of the Board of Registration for Lauderdale County, Miss., will meet at the Court House in Meridian, on Monday, October 21st, 1867, at 9 o'clock, A. M., to receive applications for registration for the purpose of revising the registration records of said county, and will remain in session for three days for that purpose, and no longer, unless otherwise ordered by law, and when

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SPACE.	1 MONTH.	3 MOS.	6 MOS.	12 MOS.
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3 squares.	10 00	20 00	35 00	50 00
4 squares.	12 00	25 00	40 00	60 00
¼ column.	20 00	40 00	60 00	100 00
½ column.	35 00	70 00	100 00	175 00
1 column.	60 00	120 00	175 00	300 00

Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 11: 5 P. M. Enterprise 1:05 P. M. Meridian 2:33 P. M. Marion 5:53 P. M. Artesia 7 P. M. Okolona 10:5 P. M. Corinth 1:50 A. M. Humboldt 5:50 A. M. Columbus, Ky., 10:5 A. M. Distance, 472 miles, time 26 hours and 35 minutes.

GOING SOUTH.

Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky., 9 A. M. Arrive at Humboldt 2:30, P. M. Corinth 7:05 P. M. Okolona 11 P. M. Artesia 2:45 A. M. Marion 5:05 A. M. Meridian 6:55 A. M. Enterprise 7:50 A. M. Buckatunna 11 A. M. Mobile 3:10 P. M. Distance 473 miles; Time 30 hours and 10 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

" leave Selma	4.30 A. M.
" arrive	4.30 A. M.
" leave Selma	6.30 P. M.
" arrive	4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves	7.00 A. M.
" " arrive	4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 A. M.; arrives at Jackson at 9:55 A. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m.; arriving at Meridian at 4:20 p. m.

Returning, the Mail Train leaves Meridian daily at 7 A. m.; arrives at Jackson at 2:30 and leaves at 3:40 p. m.; reaching Vicksburg at 6:15 p. m.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Passengers for Memphis, and all points North, make quick time and sure connections by taking the Mail Train at Jackson. Returning, leaves Jackson, Miss., with train on M. & O. R. R. Mail, reach Corinth at 2:30 P. M., and connect with Memphis Railroad, and at Grenada with trains on the Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

Memphis and Ohio Railroad.

Leave Grenada daily at 8 A. M. and 2:25 p. m. arriving at Memphis at 6:45 A. m. and 6:45 p. m. making close connections with trains on Memphis and Louisville Railroad for all points North.

Leave Memphis daily at 10:30 A. m. and 6:30 p. m. arriving at Grenada at 8 p. m. and 6:45 A. m. making close connections with trains on Mississippi Central Railroad.

A. S. LYVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

MILITARY DIRECTORY.

BVT. MAJ. THOMAS H. NORTON, U.S.A., Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., Inspector of Registration, Commanding Post.

1st Lieut. THOMAS L. NYE, 21th Infantry, Post Quartermaster, and Acting Assistant Commissary Subsistance.

2nd Lieut. W. O. CORY, 9th Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Act. Asst. Surg. R. H. WALKER, U.S.A., Medical Inspector B. R. F. and A. L.

ANDREW THOMAS, Agent B. R. F. and A. L., at Head'qrs, Sub-District, Meridian.

Capt. JAMES SUNDERLAND, V. R. C., Sub-Assistant Commissioner B. R. F. and A. L., in charge of Institutions at Lauderdale, Miss.

THE DELTA.—The publication of the present issue of the Gazette has been delayed in consequence of a shipment of paper not arriving according to our expectations. We will endeavor to guard against getting out of paper hereafter, though such things will occur sometimes, particularly where you have to await the *ipse dixits* of railroads, steamboats and merchants in distant cities.

SAVE YOUR DIMES.—Haight & Chambers are coming to town, and will show in this place on the 26th of this month—the New Orleans circus is given up to be one of the best in the South. Hope they may have a large attendance—as they will show but one day.

Newton county Circuit Court commenced last Monday, Judge Watts presiding, and A. Y. Harper, District Attorney. In addition to the local bar the following Attorneys were present: Messrs. Mayers and Cooper, from Rankin; A. B. Smith and T. B. Graham, of Scott; Judge Sykes, Evans, of Clarke, and S. B. Watts and C. W. Gallagher, of Lauderdale. The cases of R. W. Doolittle for assault and battery; T. Laughton for larceny; Hale, a freedman, for burglary, together with several other small assault and battery cases, were sustained. It was expected court would adjourn to-day.

We would ask our city readers to consider well what the Clarion's correspondent says about securing our property from destruction by fire. Winter will soon be upon us, and we are now seriously getting up a fire organization. Our merchants will wake up some cold morning and find all they are worth reduced to a small pile of smouldering ashes unless something is done to guard against the spread of fires when they occur.

A bill has been introduced in the Tennessee Legislature to compensate loyalmen for losses sustained during the war. This, it is estimated, will involve an appropriation to the disfranchised citizens of over thirty millions of dollars, as compensation will be allowed for all losses brought about by both the Federal and Confederate armies. As the disfranchised people of the South will be very largely taxed to meet the bill, it will very likely be thrown, when the disfranchised people of Tennessee will be invited to fill the pockets of the Brownlow ring.

In the case of Mr. Dunn, the Democrats have been beaten by a majority of 1,500 votes. Mr. Dunn is a Democrat.

Meridian Advertisements.

We ask attention to the card of Duncan, Hart & Benton, to be found among our new Meridian advertisements. These gentlemen have just received a full assortment of dry goods, notions, groceries, &c., which they will exchange for greenbacks or cotton on most accommodating terms. Those wishing to purchase Tobacco for sale, or private use, would do well to give them a call. They have a large stock on hand, which can be bought at manufacturers' wholesale prices. Give them a call.

Among the many improvements of Meridian, will be found the new brick building of Mr. Townsend, now occupied by Joseph Bamm & Co., dealers in dry goods clothing, and all description of furnishing goods. This firm have recently located at this point, and now offer a very large and varied assortment of every kind of merchandise at moderate rates. Mr. D. C. Smith, well known to the public as an accommodating and reliable salesman, can be found at this house, and will be glad to see his friends.

Messrs. Chandler, Lockhard & Co. are now receiving their fall supply of goods, and will be glad to see their old friends and customers. Their stock has been laid in carefully—purchased at low rates, and they are prepared to sell at the lowest prices. We publish their advertisement to-day. Read it and give them a call.

Messrs. Ross & Wilson are in receipt of new goods, and we are glad to see are doing a thriving business. Their card appears among new advertisements. Call and you will find what you want.

Louisville Advertisements.

BAYER, KLEE & CO., *manufacturers of stores &c.* We call attention to the card of this firm which appears in our new advertisements. We visited their establishment in Louisville and regard it as one of the most complete in the United States. They manufacture every description of stoves and sell at prices astonishingly low. Our merchants who visit Louisville will find it to their interest to give them a call.

TAYLOR'S AGUE REMEDY *by Edwin Morris & Co., Druggists, Louisville, Ky.*

We call the attention of druggists and the trade to this advertisement of this remedy to be found among our new Louisville advertisements. Those who have used it pronounce it the best remedy that can be had and its pleasant taste renders it specialy easy of administration to children. We regard it as one of the best and most saleable medicines that can be had. Messrs. Morris & Co. are well known druggists of established reputation and deserve a good patronage from this section.

H. S. BUCKNER, *dealer in notions, fancy goods &c.* We call attention to the card of Mr. Buckner to be found in our present issue. Mr. B. is a clever gentleman and has a large assortment of goods for sale which he sells at reasonable prices. He also has a good trade from this State and we trust will continue to receive a good patronage. When you go to Louisville call and see his stock.

CRAIG, TRUMAN & CO., *hats, caps &c.* We invite the attention to the card of our merchants to be found of Craig, Truman & Co., wholesale dealers in Hats, Caps, Straw goods &c., Louisville, Ky. We passed through their establishment while in Louisville and consider their assortment one of the most complete that can be found in the West. Their prices are reasonable and will give satisfaction. Merchants visiting Louisville should give them a call.

CALVERT, TIPPETT & CO., *Booksellers, stationers &c.* Amongour new advertisements will be found that of Calvert, Tippett & Co., booksellers and stationers, 162 Main St. Louisville. They have everything usually found in bookstores which they offer for sale at moderate prices. They keep on hand a large supply of Law and Medical books which they will sell on liberal terms.

J. M. ROBINSON & Co., *wholesale dealers in dry goods, notions &c.* We invite special attention to the card of J. M. Robinson & Co., wholesale dealers in dry goods, notions &c., No. 185 West Main St., Louisville. Messrs. Robinson & Co., have a large and well selected stock of dry goods which they offer at unusually low prices. This is justly regarded one of the very best dry goods establishments in Louisville. Merchants who visit that city will find it to their interest to call on Messrs. Robinson & Co.

Latest Market Reports.

MOBILE, Thursday Evening, Oct. 17.—Cotton—Receipts 2,000 bales, all of which characterized by the same general activity which has prevailed for several days past. The half day's buyers entered into market taking between them 500 bales. While prices are not quotably lower the market is rather more in favor of buyers, in consequence of the limited demand. Liverpool is still reported active, with sales today of 12,000 bales, but without a corresponding advance in rates.

Gold was ra.her weaker at the opening, but closed with more favorable New York accounts at yesterday's rates, say 143@145.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Cotton quiet at 19½c for Uplands. Gold 142.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 17.—Cotton very firm. Low Middling 17½@18c. Middling fair to treble extra $13 50. Corn—white $1 38@1 45. Pork $36 25. Bacon—shoulders 13½@13½c; clear sides 18c. Lard—tierces and kegs 15½c. Gold 144. Sterling and lower; prime keg 153½.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 17.—Tobacco—sales today 72 hhds. at 6@22 25. Cotton 19½@16c. Flour $8 50. Corn, shelled, $1 10 with sacks; new car 100c sold in bulk $1 10. Mess Pork $25@26 00. Lard 18@20c. Bacon shoulders 14½c; clear sides 18½c.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 17.—Flour very firm, choice family $7 50@8 00; extra family $7 50; X $8.25@9.00; XX $10.00@11.00; choice and fancy $11.00@12.00. Wheat—No. 2 red $2.30@2.32½ for fall to prime red. Corn firm and active at $2.07 for yellow; $1.10@1.16 for white. Provisions very dull. Pork $22.50. Bacon—shoulders 14½@14½c; clear sides 18½c; hams 19@21c. Dry salted hams 20c. Lard dull and unchanged.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 17.—Flour dull and unchanged; family $7 75@8 12. Wheat dull and drooping. Corn dull and nominally lower. Mess Pork dull at $22. Bacon unchanged.

We regret to learn that Mr. W. W. Purnell, formerly of the Grenada Sentinel, resided in Houston, Texas, where he had been living for some time past. He was connected with the press of this place at the war.

A bill was before the Tennessee House of Representatives Wednesday, requiring that the State be forever separated from all connection with the Freedmen's Bureau.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The picture of children, fondling a doll, held at the dead-letter office, was claimed to-day. The portrait is of two deceased children. The claimants say that the loss of the picture was more deeply felt than the loss of all their property, swept away by the war. The claimants reside at Columbia, S. C. Mr. Zevely, the Third Assistant Postmaster General, at whose instance the picture was telegraphed, will restore the picture at once.

The House Committee, to Inquire into Southern railroads, and to arrive at an equitable adjustment of railroad indebtedness to the Government, left this morning for Richmond, thence via Lynchburg and Knoxville to Atlanta, Chattanooga and Nashville, or they may go from Richmond to Charleston and Savannah and thence via Macon to Atlanta.

Hon. D. W. Voorhees and Hon. Thomas B. Florence were serenaded to-night, and addressed a large crowd.

Senator Lovell will stump New York in behalf of the Radicals.

The inquest evidence over the victims of the riot at Springfield, Massachusetts, shows that the State constabulary fired into the crowd after the riot had been subdued.

A dispatch from Vicksburg says there have been no deaths for the last forty-eight hours.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 16.—Special orders No. 162, issued to-day, removes the Sheriff and the Clerk of the Fourth Judicial District Court in the Parish of Plaquemine, for being remiss in the reconstruction, and appoints others to fill the places. The same order removes the Coroner and City of Jefferson for passing an ordinance for the election of city officers, in violation of Special Orders No. 1, current series.

There were twenty-eight deaths from yellow fever for the twenty-four hours preceding six o'clock this morning, but the present rate of decrease, it will soon cease to be epidemic.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 16.—Judge Bryan, of the United States Circuit Court, in a case to-day, testing the validity of the panel of a jury drawn under tax qualifications irrespective of color, decided that although an act of Congress in 1868, required the jurors to be drawn as prescribed by the Legislature of each respective State, yet that this must be construed in reference to the reconstruction act of Congress, conferring suffrage upon the negro was valid, and was the provisional constitution and law of the State. He held that President Johnson had no power to restore any seceeding State to the Union.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 16.—Strenuous efforts are being made by influential leaders in the party to revive the old Democratic party, for the purpose of co-operating with and encouraging the Southern Democratic party to defeat the Radicals.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—During the hurricane raging at Jerome Park, the mare Negreta fell, killing her rider instantly.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The New York Post's special says that six out of nine of the members of the Judiciary Committee favor pushing impeachment.

The Boston Post's special says that the President expresses his intention to resist suspension during the trial, should such an emergency arise.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 17.—Yellow fever interments for the twenty-four hours ending at noon to-day, thirty-nine; were 31.

RICHMOND, Oct. 17.—The Congressional Committee to investigate the affairs of the Southern railroads has arrived, and have taken rooms at the Spottswood Hotel.

The publication of the Atlanta Opinion has suspended.

The Conservatives are working with much energy, and everything indicates that there will be an excited election, and that the full white vote will be polled for delegates against a convention.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 17.—In the secret session of the Atlanta Opinion (Republican) has suspended.

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Notices of several new advertisements have been crowded out of this issue.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS.—Mrs. Norton has just returned from the Eastern cities with one of the most complete and fashionable stocks of millinery goods ever brought to Meridian. They will be presented to the public next week, and we would advise all our lady friends to call early and secure a supply of those little things so essential to the "make up" of feminality.

Our clever neighbors of the Grenada Sentinel and Frisr's Point Coahomian are speaking unpleasantly of each other through their journals. We hope they will mend the breach and write with more amiable pens. The rough and slashing comments indulged in so frequently nowadays by some of our professional brethren should be stopped. We would be glad to see personal discriminations received with disfavor and the sphere of journalism broadened and elevated. We desire to make a just estimate of our vocation and never pass the line above indicated unless forced by circumstances.

Notwithstanding the decline in prices and the downward tendency, our country friends continue sending their cotton forward to market. They want to satisfy the merchant who favored them during the trying summer season, even if a sacrifice is made in so doing. This is certainly a very commendable spirit.

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FOR SALE.

A fine Saw Mill, with Engine and Boiler, in good order, and ready for sale. Apply to

CLIFFORD PEMBERTON,
Vicksburg, Miss.

Or for sale low for Cash, or exchange for Cotton, by
CLIFFORD PEMBERTON,
General Agent,
Pittsburg, Pa.

MERIDIAN MARKETS.

MERIDIAN GAZETTE OFFICE,
Oct. 19, 1867.

AXES—Collins	each	1 75 @	2 00
Reynolds'	each	2 00 @	—
BAGGING—Kentky.	₰ yd	28 @	30
India	₰ yd	30 @	33
BACON—Hams	₰ lb	20 @	23
Sugar-cured	₰ lb	25 @	—
West. clear sides	₰ lb	22 @	23
" rib	₰ lb	20 @	21
Shoulders	₰ lb	20 @	—
BEEF—on foot	₰ lb	5 @	6
Corn fed	₰ lb	7 @	8
BUTTER—Goshen	₰ lb	50 @	—
Western	₰ lb	40 @	—
BROOMS	each	30 @	75
BUCKETS	each	40 @	50
COTTON—Middling	₰ lb	13 @	14
CASTINGS	₰ lb	8 @	10
CORN	₰ bu	1 00 @	1 25
COFFEE	₰ lb	28½@	30
CHICKENS	₰ doz	4 50 @	5 00
EGGS	₰ doz	25 @	30
FLOUR—choice fam	₰ bl	16 00 @	17 00
Double extra	₰ bl	14 00 @	15 00
Superfine family	₰ bl	9 00 @	12 00
GOLD		1 43 @	1 45
LARD	₰ lb	18 @	20
MOLASSES—L	₰ gl	90 @	1 25
Syrup	₰ gl	1 75 @	—
MACKEREL	₰ bl	23 00 @	—
Kits	₰ bl	3 25 @	3 75
NAILS	₰ lb	9 @	10
OIL—Linseed	₰ gl	2 25 @	—
PORK—on foot	₰ lb	10 @	12½
Dressed	₰ lb	50 @	—
PUTTY	₰ lb	12½@	—
RICE	₰ lb	10 @	—
POTATOES—Irish	₰ bl	6 00 @	8 00
Sweet	₰ bu	75 @	1 00
SALT	₰ sk	3 00 @	3 25
SUGAR—Crushed	₰ lb	23 @	—
Louisiana	₰ lb	18 @	20
Clarified	₰ lb	20 @	23
Loaf	₰ lb	23 @	25
Sugar-Drop	₰ lb	20 @	—
Rock	₰ lb	20 @	—
TOBACCO—Choice	₰ lb	1 00 @	1 50
Common	₰ lb	45 @	1 00
WHITE LEAD	₰ kgls	00 @	—

OBITUARY.

DIED—In Meridian, Miss., October 11, 1867, Lula Lilly, daughter of Thos. A. and Fannie Lilly, aged 8 years, 2 months and four days.

Another of those tender buds has returned to its native sphere—has been nipt in the freshness of its prestine beauty, while the morning dew of purity and innocence still hung exhaled from its lovely petals. The child of many hopes—the object of a father and mother's tenderest affection—a household gem—what sorrow-ridden cluster around her name. Gentle, amiable and engaging, she attracted and won the admiration and love of all who came within her little circle, and acted as a gleam of sunshine in her own house. Though a sorrow has been implanted in the household as lasting as loving hearts can realize, it is consoling to know our little friend now enjoys the blissful realities of the untried bourne where day knows no darkning—where eternal splendor forbids the approach of night. There we should endeavor to meet our little friend when our travail is over. She will be found tuning her golden harp in unison with kindred saints in praise to God and the Savior, who said "Suffer little children to come unto me." Time shrouds our earthly beauties for the grave, but the brow of eternity bears no mark of decay, the fountains of Heaven never cease; they are fresh from the eternal throne; exhaustless love supplies the song and the harmonies are never hushed. In such a clime will the good and true find their little ones when the glare of the world is gone; and this knowledge should cheer and encourage us in our bereaved affliction, and lit us for that home beyond the stars where all our affections must go at last, and where the dumb seal of separation is forever broken to the pure in heart.

Meridian, Oct. 19, '67. M. H. A.

GRAND DISTRIBUTION.
OF PRIZES
IN THE
Mississippi Agricultural, Educational and Manufacturing AID SOCIETY,
Chartered by an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi.
$330 PRIZES AMOUNTING TO $33,950
DOLLARS IN GREENBACKS!
THREE PRELIMINARY
DISTRIBUTIONS,
AND
ONE GRAND SCHEME
To be distributed at VICKSBURG, MISS., as follows:

CLASS A. First Prelim. Distribution, Sept. 10, 1867			
" B. Second "	"	Nov. 25, 1867	
" C. Third "	"	Dec. 26, 1867	
" D. Grand Scheme	"	Dec. 26, 1867	

1 Prize of	$20,000	17 Prizes of	$350
1 "	10,000	25 "	300
1 "	10,000	5 "	250
1 "	6,000	115 "	100
1 "	5,000	30 "	75
1 "	2,000	845 "	50
1 "	1,000	403 "	25
1 "	1,500	10 "	50
1 "	1,000	45 "	30
2 "	750	383 "	20

3,230 PRIZES AMOUNTING TO $33,950 DOLLARS, IN 5,000 BUBBLES.

PREMIUMS PAID WITHOUT DEDUCTION.

Whole Certificates, ... $25 00
Half " 12 50
Quarter " 6 25

The above magnificent Single Number Scheme is conducted by seven Commissioners, appointed by the Secretary of State of Mississippi.

Certificates can be purchased from any of the Society's agents, at the office.

☞ Orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

ALBERT SANDEL, Sec'y. } W. D. LYLES, Pres't.
D. N. MOODY, } Commissioners.
E. W. WALLIS, }

Office at
TAPPAN & CO.,
Dealers in
TENNESSEE CHARCOAL IRON
BOILED IRON,
Steel, Springs, Axles, Nails, Spikes, and Book, News and Wrapping Paper.
HUBS, SPOKES FELLOES
AND
ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF WOOD WORK.

REDUCTION IN PRICE
OF A
STANDARD REMEDY.
IN CONSIDERATION OF THE SCARCITY OF money, and in order to place it within the reach of all, we have reduced the price of our
KING OF CHILLS
To the low price of ONE DOLLAR per Bottle.—This is the most powerful and certain compound ever introduced for the permanent eradication of all forms of Chills, Intermittent, Remittent and Bilious Fevers, Neuralgia, Dumb Chills, &c., and all those malarious affections so common to Southern and Western climates. It is put up in large bottles, with plain directions, is pleasant to the taste, and does not affect the head or nerves.
WHAT IT CAN DO.
It cleanses the Stomach, arouses the Liver, opens the Bowels, and carries off all Bilitious Matter, of feeling quick and permanent relief.
RADICALS
Who have not become acclimated, and are constantly troubled with a Chill or Fever, who are Bilitious and full of Acids, and feel an indisposition to get about, should, by all means, use this truly valuable Medicinal Compound. It is prepared by physicians of Twenty Years experience in this malady.
CONSERVATIVES
Who have no time to lose, feeling with various symptoms of a Chill coming on, or wishing to throw away, could not do better than to spend One Dollar for the KING OF CHILLS and be cured of all forms of Chills, Fever, etc. Its taste is pleasant, and a few doses will relieve you.
MECHANICS
Your time is money, and way do you continue with the Chills, Fevers, etc., losing so much of it, when you have the means within your reach to cure yourself cheap. Our remedy builds up the system, placing it upon a good, healthy basis—invigorating both the system or all flows, and places you on feet with health, vigor and strength. Price only One Dollar.
FARMERS AND PLANTERS
The following would greatly benefit their own interest by purchasing a supply of the never failing *King of Chills*. Much time can be saved by using the Chills immediately, and the large sum the roots the disease and undermine the cause that it will not return. Do not put it off, but call immediately.
MERCHANTS AND CLERKS,
Who will you lose so many golden moments of your life, in shaking and complaining of those nauseous, Fevers, Headache, pains in the Bones and Joints, Lassitude, Dizziness, when One Dollar, a trifleant sum of One Dollar will speedily restore you to health, to your business? It is adapted to all the taste, produces no nasting or burning in the head, no ringing of the ears, but will cure you more effectually. After using one bottle you will have no other to use.
MOTHERS AND FATHERS
Who have pale, sickly, puny, and sickly children, having little or no appetite, with Fever, Headache, &c., will find this a valuable remedy to give, but are cross, active, fretful, peevish and drooping about, with slight fevers, sometimes with a cough, can be effectually restored to the bloom of health, by giving a dose or two of the *King of Chills*, and in a few days. Do not forget the name, Dunn-Boone & Co.'s KING OF CHILLS. Price for one bottle, One Dollar.
J. P. DROMGOOLE, Proprietor,
Memphis, Tenn.
Sold by R. Y. R. CHADWICK, Meridian, Miss.

YOUR WIFE
Possesses charms in proportion to her health and also appearance in bed, and she is the judge of evidences in her welfare while she is sick. Now it is a fact your wife is the idol of your affection undiminished, and desire that she retain her health and former beauty, you should by all means procure one bottle of
English Female Bitters.
A compound that is actually restoring health to those luckily treating it, and is the only remedy that can be relied upon for curative powers of the English Female Bitters. Price for one bottle, One Dollar. It does are rapid and permanent. If troubled with Whites, Falling of the Womb, Ulceration of the Womb, Irregularities, Nervousness which follow, this medicine will relieve you.
That Young Girl,
whose health has departed from her cheeks, whose eyes have lost their lustre, whose form has lost its brightness, whose countenance betokens clean anything but health, can be restored to health by a judicious use of the English Female Bitters. Do not neglect the matter, but procure a bottle and commence the treatment at once. Upon the curative powers of the English Female Bitters we risk our reputation. Its cures are rapid and permanent. If troubled with Whites, Falling of the Womb, Ulceration of the Womb, Irregularities, Nervousness which follow, this medicine will relieve you.
OLD AND YOUNG FEMALES,
Have long needed a medicine that would relieve them of all those distressing complaints and irregularities which prove so trouble some all over the South-west. Such a medicine is now offered to the public upon the curative powers of the English Female Bitters. Price for one bottle, One Dollar.
MARRIED LADIES
As you value your life and health, and personal charms, as you love your husband, do not neglect complaint peculiar to you, as you have been under the impression that it would correct itself, and you have nearly concluded that your case cannot be cured. Let us speak a few words to her beside your fears and prejudices in regard to administering to her one time in your life, and to one single bottle of
ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS.
We are well aware that many persons shall at once be led to disbelieve that it could be possible that we know of many suffering individuals in this community, and if they had used it, many of them would call us cruel, unfeeling females in your graces. Cannot a worthless husband be reformed? Can not a worthless husband be reformed? Can not a bottle of this powerful Uterine and General Tonic and Alterative give health, strength and comfort to the wife?
J. P. DROMGOOLE & CO.,
Proprietors, Memphis, Tenn.
Orders can be addressed to
R. Y. R. CHADWICK, Ag't, Meridian.
J. C. Griffin, Ag't, Enterprise, Miss.
BARNES, WARD & CO., New Orleans.
SHAW & SALLEE, Ag'ts, Enterprise.
Who will fill orders at manufacturers prices. sep1ew3m

Physical Vigor.
Physical vigor is the main safeguard of health. It repels and fights off the morbid elements which superinduce disease. The grand question, therefore, is, how shall this repellant power be increased when it is but feeble, and required when it scarcely exists at all? There was a time when this question could not be satisfactorily answered. But the problem is now solved. It has been proved by the experience of more than fourteen years that Hostetter's Bitters so thoroughly reinforce both the constitutional and the nervous and nervous systems as to render the body comparatively invulnerable to the unwholesome influences which provoke so many thousands on beds of sickness, in various parts of the world, at all seasons of the year. As an invigorating, regulating, general restorative preparation, suited to all climates and to all contingencies, it stands almost entirely modern medicines. It is the only tonic of which the stimulating principle is perfectly pure. Its basis is the essential principle of sound Rye, admitted by analytical chemists and medicinal physicians to be the most genial and harmless of stimuli; and this fluid is purged of all the crudities which belong to it as it comes from the manufacturer, before being used in the composition of the Bitters. The alterative, corrective and purgative properties of the preparation are derived exclusively from roots and plants the virtues of which are acknowledged by the highest authorities in medicine, and which are often prescribed separately by the physician. Never however, were these valuable vegetable agents combined for preventive and remedial purposes until the present compound. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, was given to the world.

Indigestion—Dyspepsia. Progress has its penalties. As the world advances in civilization, it becomes more luxurious and effeminate. The body ceases to be an inseparable accompaniment of the civilization of the mind. This ought not to be the case, but it is unquestionably the fact, though wholesome advice and judicious, precautionary and remedial measures are within the reach of all. Dyspepsia, or indigestion, and biliousness, as they are told, are not troubled with dyspepsia; but this disorder is the source of many ailments and maladies, as well as high living and dissipation, engender the disease of dyspepsia. Whatever be the cause of the wilderness, as the dweller in cities, must be more or less subject to the disease. Somewhat of a novelty in no country under heaven is it so prevalent as in the United States. Here, indigestion is almost universal, and the consequence is that a comparatively unenjoyable, is a sufficient reason why no pains should be spared in the effort to prevent and cure it.

Physicians, as a general rule, admit that no disease gives them so much trouble as dyspepsia. Quite frequently the difficulty of curing it to the unwillingness of their patients to abandon the habits which have induced it, such as excessive application to business business in eating, &c., &c. It is no doubt true that the dyspeptic is prone to complaint may fail to cure it. If the patient refuses to exercise common prudence. But it is also a fact well established by unbiased remedies for dyspepsia do not under any circumstances produce permanent cures. On the other hand it is a fact established by thousands of credible witnesses, whose testimony is simply irrefutable, that in numerous experiences, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure the malady, and that an occasional use of the preparation after dyspepsia has been effected is a perpetual and effectual guard against the recurrence of the complaint. Hence it is common with intelligent members of the family have abandoned all the stereotyped patent medicines, and have used, and now invariably, and with great success, administer this popular tonic.

Fever and Ague, intermittent, general fever, and Ague, unfortunately, is too widely known by experience to render a description of its symptoms at all necessary.

In order to escape fever and ague in any region it is only necessary to fortify the system against atmospheric poisons by the regular use of this tonic. Persons who neglect this means all danger is avoided. Some rules have exceptions; this has none. Its power as a preventive, as surely will the individual who adopts this precaution as a remedy for the cure of the fever and ague, of one of the most harrassing complaints to which the dwellers in unhealthy districts are subject. As a remedy, the preparation has no equal. Without entailing any of the unpleasant and dangerous consequences so frequently and follow the use of quinine, it breaks up the paroxysms and rapidly restores the strength and appetite of the patient. If the preparation had no other merit than its wonderful efficacy as a preventive of, and remedy for, intermittent fever, it would be an article of the first necessity in all new settlements and in the vicinity of the lakes and streams of the West. But it has other claims upon Family Medicines?

Bilious Remittent Fever. This is a disease not to be trifled with. Unlike the ordinary "chills and fever," but it springs from the same cause, malaria, and may be successfully treated by the same means. The preparation is a powerful remedy for Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. In order to render the system secure from attack, it must be endowed with extra vigor, and put in all respects in perfect order. To effect these objects the Bitters cannot be resorted to. Remittent Fever, it is finally believed, may be certainly prevented by the use of this tonic. This remarkable protective preparation. If the disorder is already in progress, it should be used in all cases of convalescence. If the pulse is up to one hundred and twenty or one hundred and thirty during hot fits, it will be found a most effectual remedy to bring it down to the tone; but when prostration comes on, and the pulse is thin, and feeble, the patient is at a great disadvantage, and also when the patient is recovering, as a means of recruiting the system is indeed. In all cases of convalescence this powerful but harmless tonic should be administered. It is the safest as well as the best of restoratives.

Probably one-fourth of the people of this country know what it is to be bilious; and to the typical disorder the proportion of sufferers is much greater. If what are called "anti-bilious medicines" were possessed by what they pretend to be, the disease would soon become obsolete; for their name is legion. But neither mercury nor the whole list of the drastic pills advertised under so many titles, seem to produce the desired effect. In fact, calomel and blue pill have probably been more fatal to the human race than the various forms of fever and ague put combined.

Hostetter's Bitters, alone, of all the medicines at present in existence, fully meets the exigencies of what is termed "a bilious habit of body." This preparation, like the bile itself, has a mild aperient property, and secures easy and regular action when natural cathartic is interrupted or impeded; it is exceedingly useful as a means of exciting the torpid secretions in the intestinal canal and consequent costiveness. It also acts directly and most beneficially upon the liver, and is an invigorant and corrective regulator. Persons with a constitutional tendency to liver complaint, fever, require a certain preventive. After having taken three bottles of the Tonic, a single dose of HOSTETTER'S VEGETABLE FAMILY PILLS will be sufficient.

DR. JOHN BULL'S Principal Office:
No. 40 Fifth Cross Street,
LOUISVILLE, KY.

DR. JOHN BULL'S
Great Remedies
BULL'S CEDRON BITTERS.
AUTHENTIC DOCUMENTS,
ARKANSAS HEARD FROM
TESTIMONY OF MEDICAL MEN.

Stoney Point, White Co., Ark., May 8 '67.
Dr. JOHN BULL—Dear Sir: Some time ago I was in Louisiana purchasing cotton, and I met some of your Bar-spar-illa and Cedron Bitters. My son-in-law, who was with me at the time, has been down with rheumatism for some time, commenced on the Bitters, and now is entirely well. Your Bar-spar-illa is a good medicine for general health improvement.

Dr. Gist, who has been in bad health, tried it, and he also improved rapidly.

Dr. Collier, who has been in bad health for several years—stomach and liver affected—has improved very much by the use of your Bitters. Indeed the Cedron Bitters have given you great popularity in this settlement. I think I can do quite a great quantity of your medicines this fall—a period of very little trade. If this is not sufficient, Ship me via Memphis, care of Rickett & Neely.

Respectfully,
C. B. WALKER.

BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

TO MY UNITED STATES AND WORLD-WIDE READERS.

I have received many testimonials from professional and unofessional men, as my almanacs and various pamphlets have shown, all of which are genuine. The following letter from a highly educated and popular physician in Georgia, of course one of the most acceptable comes from letters I have ever received. He (I cannot name exactly what he says, of, and for) many years to be written in letters of gold. See what the Doctor says of BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

YELLOW, Walker County, Ga.,
Sept 29, 1866.

Dr. John Bull—Dear Sir: I have recently given your "Worm Destroyer" several trials, and find it to be a most valuable remedy. It has not been a long enough time to name the word effect. I am constantly using it in my practice, and every daily use I become more of the fluid. I am free to confess that I know of no remedy that will act more speedily and with less certain and speedy in its effects than the Worm Destroyer. I shall continue to use it. My object in writing you is to find out upon what terms I

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

Festival at Lauderdale Springs.

A grand picnic was held at the "Orphans' Home of Mississippi" on the 25th ult. This watering place embowered in a superb grove, was once the abode of gaiety. Lauderdale Springs has been purchased, and an Asylum founded for orphans of Confederate soldiers, of whatever sect, on the broad platform of universal philanthropy. The institution is under the control of a board of trustees, many of them ministers of the gospel, and chosen from the Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Baptist, and Campbellite, or other Christian churches. Ex-Governor Humphreys is President of this board, which reflects much enlightened talent. The Festival was its first anniversary, and everything wore a holiday dress. The reception rooms, chains of pretty cottages—even the trunks of spreading oaks were fresh from the brush, and shone with snowy whiteness. Some hundred and fifty children, gathered in from the hovels of penury and filthiness were neatly dressed, smiling and happy, and with the buoyancy of childhood cast every care aside, and footed the green lawn with playfulness. Then when the Chappel bell sounded, they marched with their guardians to the inspiring strains of the Meridian Brass Band, and in perfect order took their seats. After prayer, the energetic Superintendent, S. S. Cranberry, and two of the teachers, the Misses Welch, led the children in several appropriate songs. Next a number of the children delivered addresses very prettily, which for the short period of their training, reflected great credit on the teachers. Professor T. S. Gathright then plead the cause of education in behalf of soldiers' orphans in terms of thrilling grandeur, convincing logic, and tender allusion. Then, in order to interest the little ones, Dr. Bestor arose, and delighted them with a vein of quiet humor peculiar to himself. Dr. Teasdale poured forth a tide of sympathy for this Institution, which caused his silver crown to shine with new lustre. We believe that he inaugurated as general financial agent since its first operation, and his presence infused energy into everything connected with it. Rev. Mr. Stainback, a minister of the Presbyterian Church spoke in felicitous style, and said he had rather have Dr. Teasdale's reputation than that of a monarch on his throne. Also, that it was the proudest boast of his own life, that he was a member of the Board of Trustees of the "Orphans' Home of Mississippi." The services were interspersed with music by the band. Mrs. Laura Reed, a daughter of Gen. Duff Green, on long visit of the Washington City "Telegraph" in the olden time, has spent the last Spring and Summer on a special mission for the "Home." She is well known in the most intelligent and polished circles of the land, and has visited New York, Baltimore, and many other cities in the North and Northwest, finding everywhere, warm Southern sympathy, especially among women and children, and receiving much substantial aid for the poor little orphans. In one section of country she gathered one thousand dollars worth of corn, which was received at the "Home." Mrs. Reed gave a modest account of her success, with no remunerement and pathos, as to stir the deepest feelings of the soul. One of the speakers said he had rather have the fame that she had won, than that of any other woman in the broad land. It was estimated that between seven and eight hundred people partook of the feast which followed, and was provided by friends of the Institution. Persons from different parts of the State sent provisions; and boxes of delicacies came from friends in Demopolis and the adjacent preachers, the learned professor, the polished woman, youth, beauty, and intelligence, all mingled with mind unified on the lately destitute and friendless orphans, whose fathers lay folded in blood-clothes for our sakes. Surely a more grand sight could scarcely be witnessed. At night, the young people gave another of their series of charades and tableaux for the benefit of the "Home," and were well patronized. From this time it is designed to enlarge the premises, and receive more children, for many have been turned away, for want of funds. The branches of a thorough education are taught in the school, but the larger children are required to work in part of the time in the fields, the workshops, the kitchen and laundry; and it is hoped that before a great while, the Institution will be self-sustaining.—Cor. Enterprise Star.

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CARPET WAREHOUSES. A. BRUSH & SEAU & CO., 17 Chartres street, Importers and Dealers, Wholesale and Retail, offer low prices Carpeting, Floor Oil Cloths, Matting, Window Shades, Table and Piano Covers, Curtains, Lace, Worsted, Cornices maylsw1y

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ALBERT FINK,
General Superintendent L. & M. R. R.

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FROM and after this date no accounts will be kept for meal.

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RECOMMENDATION.

KOSCIUSKO, Miss., Aug. 12, 1867.

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I. A. P. Campbell, Ct'l Judge 5th Jud'l Dist
L. W. Scarborough, P. obate Judge Attala co.
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Meridian Star Brewery.

THE undersigned has this day dissolved copartner ship and sold out the

Meridian Star Brewery

to W. L. McCorkle. The Brewery will be closed up until the 25th of September, owing to the warm weather; after which time customers will be supplied on the same terms as before. All orders should be addressed to M. L. McCorkle, Meridian, Miss.

WISE & CLAY.

July 1st, 1867—aug6sw1f

GIVE A SAFE & MILD STIMULANT USE Red Jacket Bitters

NOTICE.

THE copartnership of Kennedy & Gibbs, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

N. B. KENNEDY,
JOE. GIBBS.

Meridian, Miss. Sept. 12th, 1867.

The books, notes and accounts are in the hands of Jas. H. Martin for collection. Call at the Drug Store of N. B. & T. H. Ken edy and settle. sept14sw1f

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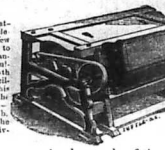

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THE firm of Wagner & Rush is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued at the old stand by A. B. Wagner.

All persons indebted to the late firm will settle with W. M. Rush, who has charge of the books, and all persons having claims will present them for payment.

A. B. WAGNER,
W. M. RUSH.

Meridian, Miss., Sept. 1, 1867—sw1f

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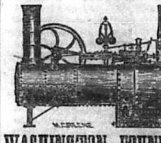

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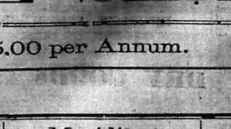

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Constitution Making in the South--Nigger Rule and Nigger Ruin.

By the proceedings of the Alabama Convention the nation may see the results of radical rule—first, to drive from the governing councils of a community all learning, all discretion, all regard for the stability of society, all qualities that men respect; and, second, to replace these qualities by ignorance, savagery and the most intense spirit of revenge. An assembly to make a State constitution is composed of men unknown to the people of that State, or where known "known to be men of indifferent character." Its prominent white men are political adventurers, who were the scum of Northern politics, and commended themselves to nigger voters by the extravagance with which they expressed their hatred with which the nigger felt an active sympathy. In some degree the Convention is made up of that class whose principal qualification is that it has always been under the white man's foot and content with the place; whose qualification for flaw making is its former slavery, because it is supposed that slavery has filled it with a bitterness that it will put into the law. Here are constitution makers who not only cannot write their names but cannot always tell what their names are. Moses, possessed of all the learning of the Egyptians, and divinely inspired, made a constitution for his people, and why should not Sambo make a constitution when he gets the chance? Plato was a constitution maker also; nations of antiquity sent their delegates a year's journey to have their constitutions shaped by the wisdom of the Stagyrite; Menu, Solon, Lycurgus were constitution makers; Rome, before the time of the Twelve Tables, feeling the necessity for a constitution, sent wise men into all the cities of Greece to study the forms of government and frame her law; all the barons of England became constitution makers in another age; and now all the niggers of Alabama are to give the subject their lofty consideration. Madison, Hamilton, Jefferson, Jay were constitution makers, and they have their successors. Sambo, Cuffee and Pomp are the names that our correspondents to the illustrious list that, beginning with Solon, comes down to Story. Constitution makers were the wisest men of a nation, and now they are the man whose learning consists in the ability to distinguish between pork and possum. Happy age!

The direction and tendency of this Alabama Convention are obvious. Its first move is to get the State government into other hands than those that now hold it. This measure receives the support of "the negroes and the extreme members." Another proposition is to go behind the record of courts in cases of alleged crime and pursue some private feuds in public law. One more measure is supported by "very violent speeches." This is a measure of wholesale proscription and disfranchisement, and the Convention has determined, by a vote of sixty-three to twenty-two, that it will have some such measure and will not leave disfranchisement where it was left by the Military bill. The Convention will carry radicalism further than Congress dared. Proscription is the word. Let the people understand this and the result it must have. Remember that in France, when the great revolution was made, the men who made it knew where it should stop, and desired to stop it there. All the patriots would have preserved order when they had secured guarantees of public liberty, but this did not satisfy the factions. The Sumners and Wendell Phillipses of that time urged on ignorance, brutality and barbarism, and the revolution became a war of classes and a slaughter. This is the course marked out for us. The American people are satisfied with the results of the war, and wish to see order on the basis laid down in the constitutional amendment. But this wise limit is not enough for the fanatics who have given power to the nigger, and hence these latter are urged forward and raise the cry of proscription. Will the people permit this, or will they "save the Constitution" by the imperative demand that the constitutional shall come to an end? Congress, radical as it was, dared only go a certain distance in its pursuit o vengeance for fear of the people. But it defeated its power to the niggers, and they are relied upon to go further. This is the plan that has put the law-making power of the South into the hands of a race that, in its native land, never met in a convention for any other purpose but to feast and eat its enemies. There is but one remedy against the evil inherent in this plan, and that is the immediate repeal, as soon as Congress comes together, of the infamous laws under which these Southern Conventions are to meet and upon which the one in Alabama is now acting.—New York Herald.

MARSHALL COUNTY.—Election for all precincts in Marshall county, except Holly Springs, closed on the 21th inst. Whites nearly three hundred majority if not more, there being nearly as many white as black registered voters. The vote for Convention will also be defeated in Marshall, by about three hundred voters. Compton, Watson and Townsen t are elected.—Sentinel

LAFAYETTE COUNTY.—Vaughan and McCutchen (both Conservatives) have been elected in this county, over two other Conservatives, their opponents. The only issue involved in the election was for and against convention.—Vaughan was for convention, if such a body was to meet, but against it if it failed. McCutchen is against convention in toto. Their opponents were similarly divided. She went fifty hundred majority against the convention.

The Boston Advertiser says of Anna Dickinson's lecture on "Idiots and Women:" that its chief faults are "an illogical arrangement, a want of novelty in argument, and of force in answering honest arguments on the other side, all of which were carefully evaded." Here is a choice extract from the lecture, as reported by the Advertiser: "Privolous and silly women, for there were a few such, were made by God Almighty to match some men! Her measure for a man was his estimation of a woman. A man goes about with his six-inch line and drops his little plummet into the natures of a women around him, and thinks he has touched bottom, when he has only skimmed the surface."

During the war a patriot in Maine felt ashamed of remaining at home while his brethern were in the field, and accordingly addressed the following letter to a Governor of Alabama: "Mr. Gov. Washburn sir I feel as thoe I had aught to be doing something for my country, and have got a few male plaice for me I shuld like to hav it if you write me and give me instructions what you Want me to do. Yours truly.

A pair of those valuable, enterprising ladies, who seem to carry on so large a business in the way of procuring subscriptions for new works, and who are so delightfully importunate, so sweetly "persons," called a short time since at the office of a young lawyer, for the purpose of getting him to subscribe. "Indeed, ladies," said he, "the partnership of which I am but a humble member has lately been so unprudent as to issue a new work of their own, which, in consequence of the enormouse expense attending its illustrations, embellishment, &c., has completely crippled us. "Then, perhaps, repaled the angelic canvasser, "you would favour your subscribers. What do you call your work? "Well, we have not fully determined as yet; but I guess I'll let my wife have her own way, and call it after me.—Charles Henry.

A Perry and Anderson Anecdote. The French dress up a satire in better style than any other people. We have a capital story of the last Governor des Etats Unis which illustrates this fact.

In speaking of the woman Frigard, the murderess, lately tried in Mobile, Frances Moss, Villamont, her counsel, asks through the Temps if an advocate who defends a guilty person (seclerat) can act in good faith? He answers the question by relating the following anecdote:

A lawyer who had figured with some distinction in the National Assemblies of the Republic recounted to us in the following terms his debut. "I was young and unsuspecting," said he, "when I pleaded my first cause. It was that of a peasant charged with stealing a watch. The papers in the cast, the efficiency of the evidence, and, above all, the air of the accused —what was left of a good man—had convinced me of the innocence of my client. I pleaded with all the warmth of soul which could be inspired by this strong faith, and acquitted the peasant. Once free, he cast his arms around me:

"Oh, monsieur," said he, you spoke well. My children shall be taught to bless you. There is one more service which you must do for me."

"What is it?"

"Dig up the watch for me."

"Dig up the watch for you?"

"Certainly. You understand, that they still keep their eyes on me, whilst you, in your promenade, can dig it up with your little cane and return it to me."

"Miserable wretch! Then you are guilty?"

"I must didn't you know it? If I hadn't been guilty I should have dispensed with a lawyer and been my own advocate!"

A man named John Mitchell, was killed on Saturday, at Clark's planing mill, Chicago, by being drawn into the machinery. He was literally torn in pi ces.

During that concert we were much pleased with a little song called, sung by somebody, and expressed a desire to obtain the words. The next day we received the following. We certainly look as as if it were all right, and which has charmed us accordingly:

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Blaettertabak! Blaettertabak!
Herbst und winter shawls voiles sortiment;
Tall Gardinen und Polsterwaaren.
Tra la la, Tra la la!

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Fisch zum sokkoo! Cuckes!
Pels! Pels!

Californiaweine und Brandies,
Zwetschengenuess, Gewuerze, Caffe,
Ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha!
Preise massig und Bedienung prompt,
Ha, ha, ha!
Lorbeerblaetter, cancinarie soda.
Victoria! Wie gehts?

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The Democracy of the Granite State.

The New Hampshire Democracy have lately had a State Convention for the nomination of Governor, and it is described as attended by a large number of delegates who intend making an active vigorous canvass and redeem the State from the clutches of Radicalism.

The utmost harmony and good feeling prevailed. John G. Sinclair was nominated for Governor. Among other resolutions the following were adopted:

"Resolved, That the Congressional plan of Reconstruction is, as confessed by its framers, wholly outside the constitution and a revolutionary usurpation, and that the attempt by Congress to establish the practical supremacy of the negro race is a most atrocious crime against the principles of Republican government and the civilization of the age, and deserves the severe and indignant denunciation of every true American citizen.

"Resolved, That the bitter fruits of legislation outside of the constitution are seen in the practical disruption of the Union, the demoralization of the public conscience, the stagnation of all legitimate business, depreciation of the public credit, the enormous and still increasing burdens of taxation, and the grave apprehensions of business men and statesmen that still greater calamities are impending over the country."

This is the living issue before the country and we hope that on it the victory may be won and New Hampshire fall into line with the other democratic States.

Thad. Stevens.

It is believed that the race of this old fanatic is about run, and this will be the last session of Congress in which he will take any part. He is represented as greatly enfeebled and emaciated; his mind somewhat impaired, showing a difficulty in confining himself to a particular train of thought.

Old Thad. is in his dotage, and clearly will not be able to wield his recent mad influence as a party leader. Notwithstanding his approaching dissolution, this bad man still manifests the same bitterness to the South, the same revengeful feelings to which he has so often given expression. He is represented as having admitted last week that he will be unable to introduce either of the bills he had in view for the coming session. The first—on the subject of universal suffrage—he says he considers will not be passed. The other—respecting the suspension of civil officers, pending the trial for impeachment—he considers necessary for the reason of the absurdity of the arraignment of an officer for crime or misdemeanor, allowing him meanwhile to exercise the functions of his office. Respecting the Southern people, he declares they must be whipped into submission to the doctrines set forth by Congress if they do not peaceably accept the situation from a radical standpoint.

The counties from which we have only meagre, precinct returns, register 66,054, divided as follows:

Blacks	37,357
Whites	28,707

Giving a Black majority on registration of 4,325. Now when it is remembered that in the twenty-two counties from which we report full returns, the blacks had a majority on Registration, of 4,967, which was reinforced by the counties of Marshall and Rankin making fight at the polls, and casting a large portion of the white vote, and yet convention failed to obtain a majority of the Registry, we may most reasonably expect to see this 4,326 dwindling to insignificance and Convention fail by about 4000 of obtaining a majority of the registered votes of the State. We're *"only waiting."*—Aberdeen Examiner.

QUICK WORK.—A Yankee, by the name of Allen, stole a horse in Lunenburg county, Virginia, rode to the Court House on the day of the election; was elected by negro votes one of the members of the Convention; was followed, arrested for stealing the horse and committed to jail; and will be sent to the penitentiary for stealing the horse, instead of taking his seat in the Convention. His colleague, in the Convention, is said to be a respectable negro.—Vicksburg Times.

The stage between Hemters and Owlkee city, Idaho, was fired into on the 27th inst., by Indians. One of the horses was shot badly. The passengers vigorously returning the fire drove off the assailants without further damage.

Among his friends, Prince Napoleon bitterly denounces Napoleon the Third's policy in regard to Rome.

The Condition of the South.

The New Orleans Crescent concludes an able article on this subject as follows:

As a result of the agitations of the last two years of the vicious ideas which have been engendered among the negroes by the sudden promises which they have acquired; of the machinations of the agents and emissaries of the radical faction, and of the necessarily capricious character of military government, our industry has been completely paralyzed. Instead of improving, things have gone on from bad to worse, until almost the gloom and blackness of despair have settled upon a people whose energies could not be shattered, or whose hopes depressed, by any ordinary misfortunes. Three planting seasons have passed since the war, and each one has more than duplicated the failure of the last. The net proceeds of the planters' cotton are not equal to the cost of raising it. The negroes have done but little work, and that little in so desultory a manner as to make it valueless. The most of their time is spent in registering and voting, in listening to the senseless but violent harangues of their favorite orators, and in drilling at nightly assemblies for some purpose, the very mystery of which excites alarm among the unarmed white population. These are the legitimate and necessary results of that frightful series of laws which, under the pretext of reconstructing the Union, the Republican party have inflicted on the country. But worse is yet to come. It is hard to see how even famine and the attendant horrors of famine are to be averted from this unhappy land. The negroes have already command their wages and their portion of the small crop which has been made. Their employers are unable to furnish them with supplies. The credit of the country is exhausted. Three years of disheartening failure have impaired the means of the commercial community. Capital refuses to risk itself in that industrial chaos in which it is sure to be swallowed up.

Is there a remedy? The Democrats have shown a disposition to take up our cause. Reinforced by the class who are not willing to sacrifice the country for the sake of a party, they have lately asserted an indisputable superiority in the so-called loyal States. They constitute the public opinion of the country. If that public opinion can be made effective now, much disaster may be averted. If the United States Congress take heed of the popular voice in time, we may be saved from much suffering. Acting on this belief a number of gentlemen of both sections have agreed to suggest the presentation of monster memorials to Congress and the President, asking that the policy of the country may be immediately conformed to the actual needs of the situation and to the expressed demands of public opinion.

Below will be found the memorial which has been prepared and is recommended to the Southern people with this view. We would request our readers to bestow their earnest attention upon it. We believe that they will agree with us in the conclusion that this movement, if it become general, may do much good. Even if Congress refuse to modify its policy, the fact of refusal in the face of an overwhelming expression of opinion from both sections of the country, will place the radicals still more decidedly in the wrong and strengthen the hands of that great party which is to be charged with the final solution and settlement of these momentous problems:

To His Excellency the President and the Honorable Senators and Representatives of the United States Congress:

The undersigned, citizens of the State of Louisiana, respectfully represent, that the political developments of the last few months have demonstrated the fact that the reconstruction acts of Congress will, if persisted in, produce a conflict of races, which will result in the destruction of the country, and the serious, if not irreparable, injury of both races in the Southern States.

That the negroes of this State are organized into secret bands termed "loyal leagues," sworn and combined against their former owners and citizens of the State, in order to obtain control of the government.

That this ere-bulous race has been deluded by designing men into the belief that the property of the white citizens of the State will be divided amongst them.

That, under these demoralizing influences, they are daily refusing to fulfill their contracts, or labor for the support of themselves and their families.

That, before the close of the present year, the negroes, with but few exceptions, will have consumed or wasted all their wages, or share of the crops, and be destitute of the means of subsistence.

That the white race will be compelled to limit their planting to the labor of their own families, while the negroes will not have the means, if they had the capacity, to plant on their own account.

Under these circumstances, famine, with all its attendant horrors, must soon come upon this improvident race.

In view of these impending calamities, the undersigned would earnestly appeal to the President and Congress to give prompt attention to this vitally important matter, and provide immediately such remedy as in their wisdom can be devised, to avert the ruin which, unless arrested, must speedily come upon us.

FRANK COLLINS.—At the September term of Squire Gault's Court, held at Murphysville, a case of this kind came up for adjudication. S. A. Clift, one of our substantial farmers, brought suit against Frank Collins, one of his farm hands, for non-compliance of contract. He (Collins) having contracted to work for him at $14 50 per month, commencing April 3d and running through harvest. Just as harvest came on, and Mr. Clift was ready to commence operating with his reaper, it is alleged that Collins, stimulated by the prospect of higher wages, left his employer and sought work in other quarters.

Mr. Clift made a straightforward statement of facts, stating the serious inconvenience he had been subjected to, and asked the jury to give him remunerative damages, or release the defendant and establish a precedent that would encourage all dissatisfied hands to leave their employer at their own caprice and notion.

The jury after a few moments consultation, brought in a verdict of $16 75 damages and cost of suit, amounting to twenty-five dollars. The speech of Mr. Clift to the jury was characterized by all who heard it, as a capital thing. He understood the question, was terribly in earnest, and his appeal was pointed and effective.—Mayaville Eagle.

MRS. Cynthia R. Newton, of Worcester, Mass., who was divorced ten years ago, died Tuesday morning from the effect of an abortion. A black driver is suspected of leading her into this affair, and a prominent physician of producing the abortion.

The citizens of Kitzingen, in Bavaria, celebrated, on the 10th of October, a centennial anniversary in a very singular manner. On the 10th of October, 1767, the people of Kitzingen had driven all the Jews from their town. On the 10th of October, 1867, the citizens of Kitzingen presented toe Jews of their town with a handsome synagogue, built with voluntary contributions from the Christians. Thus was a bad deed of the grandfathers nobly effaced by the grandsons.

The Journal of Commerce says that seamen are more difficult to be had than at any time before or since the war. This is caused partly by the revival of freights in the grain trade, but primarily by the loss of seamen last summer during the stagnation in shipping, large numbers having abandoned their vocation for other pursuits.

GENERAL GEORGE W. CRAWFORD, of Louisville, was seventy-four years old on the 31st ult. On the same day, at high noon, his wife presented him with ten pounds and one ounce of girl baby. The Courier says this is his fourteenth child, and yet the General is, excepting Leslie Coombs, the youngest man in Kentucky.

A San Francisco dispatch says: Reports from the interior represent the meteoric shower a magnificent spectacle, witnessed between the hours of 12: 30 and 2 at night on the 13th.

About three hundred freedmen passed through Augusta, Georgia, on Wednesd y, en route to Charleston, to take passage on the ship Golconda, for Liberia.

The French have again commenced pasting their postage stamps up side down on their letters. This is said to be one of their ways of manifesting their hostility to "the nephew of his uncle."

INCENDIARISM.—The gin house, of Mr. Lafayette Willis, nine miles Southeast of this city, containing twelve bales of cotton, was burned Monday night. Supposed to be the work of an incendiary. The loss cannot fall much short of twenty-five hundred dollars. Mr. Willis has no clue to the perpetrator.—Aberdeen Examiner.

The official vote of the State of New York, shows a democratic majority of 48,972.

A very distinct shock of an earthquake was felt at Salt Lake City on the 3d inst. No damage was done.

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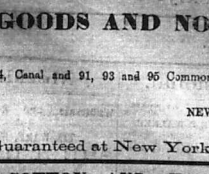

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NOTICE.

I have my appeals from T. Allen my agent to recover a balance due me on account of I. S. O. G. Grave digging my absence from the county. JOHN McNEIL.
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4 squares.	20 00	30 00	40 00	60 00
1 column.	30 00	45 00	60 00	100 00
½ column.	20 00	30 00	40 00	60 00

Dr. Johnson, an old citizen of this place died at his residence in this city yesterday morning.

On Thursday last policeman Terrell arrested a negro man and wife while engaged, on the street, in an altercation growing out of matrimonial infelicity.

We find in the Brandon Republican the constitution and by-laws of the Agricultural Society of Rankin County. Is not one be organized for Lauderdale county?

Congress met on Thursday last, but the President will not send in his message until the time for the meeting of the regular session, which will be the first Monday in December.

Ross, Watkins & Co., Meridian, Miss. Our readers will see from the notice in our advertising columns that the firm of Ross & Wilson has been dissolved and are succeeded by Ross, Watkins & Co., who are authorized to collect all debts due the late firm and will pay all their liabilities. Messrs. Ross Watkins & Co., are all from the county of Neshoba, and are well known among the people of that county as among the most enterprising of their citizens. They have a first rate assortment of goods and will do a good thriving business. Mr. Wilson who retires from the firm has made many friends here and we hope may still remain in our city. He has our best wishes for prosperity and happiness.

DOWN ON THE LOYAL LEAGUE.—We find the following letter in the Brandon Republican, in which the writer, a respectable colored man of Rankin county, denounces the Loyal League. How many of the colored people of Lauderdale will subscribe to the sentiments of honest Ed. Smith? Here is the letter:

A Card.

BRANDON, MISS., Nov. 14, 1867.

MR. A. J. FRANTZ: *Sir*—In order to set myself before the people, both white and black, of this vicinity, I ask you to do me the favor to publish this card, which announces to all it may concern that I have this day severed my connection with the Loyal League.

My reasons for so doing are as follows: When I joined the League I thought it was an organization for the benefit of my race without intending the least injury to the white race. But I find that its whole tendency is to array the two races in deadly hostility to each other, and believing therefore, that it will prove injurious rather than beneficial to my race, I have, after mature deliberation, concluded to sever my connection with it, and advise others in my situation to do likewise.

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The Meteors.

Observations at White Hall and Evanstown, Illinois, report that, notwithstanding the sky was partially obscured by clouds, fine displays of meteors occurred between three and four o'clock, when eleven hundred and nine were counted between 3:30 and 4:12 A. M. At Dearborn University a still larger number were seen.

Despite the presence of the moon a very fine meteoric shower was visible at Chicago, between midnight and a quarter to six. Three thousand seven hundred and thirty meteors were counted. Had the night been dark a the number would probably have reached 30,000.

A grand meteoric shower was observed from three o'clock on Thursday morning until daylight. At intervals the heavens were ablaze with the electric balls. The meteors, though numerous, were not very brilliant.

Professor Watson, of the Michigan University, reports that notwithstanding the light of the full moon, and the smoky state of the atmosphere, a fine display of meteors was observed here on Thursday morning. The maximum occurred at 4 o'clock, at which time were counted them at the rate of 1,500 per hour. The number was very much greater, and we had a glimpse of large numbers whose light feebly prevailed over that of the full moon. The radiant point was found to be situated in the right ascension of one hundred and forty-nine degrees, and deviation twenty-two degrees north.

At the last meeting of the French Council of State, a meeting to suppress the Liberte, the Courrier Francais, and the Avenir National, the boldest opposition papers, was proposed, but no notice taken by the Emperor himself to the suppression of his Ministers without making any remarks on the subject.

Three citizens of Fredrick county, Virginia, who have taken oaths of magistracy, and performed the duties of the functionaries, were hailed in the United States court at Richmond last week, to answer to the charge of perjury in registering.

MERIDIAN MARKETS.

Corrected Daily.

ARTICLES.		PRICES.	Dec. 1, 1867.
Axes—Collins	each	1 75 @	2 00
Barrels—Whiskey	each	3 00 @	
Bagging—Kentucky	₰ yd	28 @	30
India	₰ yd	30 @	35
Bacon—Sides	₰ lb	20 @	22
Sides, cured	₰ lb	20 @	21
" clear sides	₰ lb	23 @	23
" rib	₰ lb	20 @	
Shoulders	₰ lb	20 @	
Beef—on foot	₰ lb	5 @	6
Corn fed	₰ lb	7 @	8
Butter—Goshen	₰ lb	50 @	55
Western	₰ lb	30 @	
Brooms	each	30 @	75
Buckets	each	40 @	50
Cotton—Middling	₰ lb	13½@	13½
Castings	₰ lb	5 @	10
Corn	₰ bu	1 00 @	1 25
Coffee	₰ lb	29½@	30
Chickens	₰ dz	4 80 @	5 00
Eggs	₰ dz	25 @	30
Flour—choice fam.	₰ bl	16 00 @	17 00
Double extra	₰ bl	14 00 @	15 00
Superfine family	₰ bl	12 00 @	13 00
Gold	dollar	1 45 @	1 50
Lard	₰ lb	18 @	20
Molasses—La	₰ gl	90 @	1 00
Syrup	₰ gl	1 75 @	—
Mackerel	₰ bl	28 00 @	—
Kits	₰ bl	3 25 @	3 75
Nails	₰ lb	8 @	10
Oil—Linseed	₰ gl	2 25 @	—
Pork—on foot	₰ lb	10 @	12½
Powder	₰ lb	12 @	—
Putty	₰ lb	12½@	—
Rice	₰ lb	10 @	—
Potatoes—Irish	₰ bl	6 00 @	8 00
Sweet	₰ bu	75 @	1 00
Salt	₰ sk	3 00 @	3 25
Soap—Cresshaft	₰ lb	23 @	—
Louisiana	₰ lb	20 @	22
Clarified	₰ lb	20 @	22
Loaf	₰ lb	23 @	25
Snot—Drop	₰ lb	20 @	—
Buck	₰ lb	20 @	—
Tobacco—Choice	₰ lb	50 @	1 00
Common	₰ lb	45 @	1 00
White Lead	₰ kg	15 00 @	—

LATEST TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Mr. Davis leaves Canada to-day, and goes from New York to Richmond by car, arriving on the 30th.

SENATE.

Several petitions were presented, including one from the Electoral Congress, soliciting the passage of an act accused of voting for Lincoln.

Senator Introduced a bill striking negroes from the District laws and ordinances.

Mr. Edmonds introduced a resolution that the national debt cannot expressly otherwise stated, is payable in coin.

The Senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.

All the Tennessee delegation, except Butler, was sworn in.

Mr. Robinson, of New York, introduced a resolution impeaching Minister Adams for neglect of duty in failing to protect innocent Americans charged with Fenianism in England.

The House adjourned till Monday.

Mr. Blaine, of Maine, renewed a resolution, in the House, of enquiry regarding the repeal of the cotton tax. Adopted.

It is generally believed that the cotton tax will be repealed.

Mr. Wilson announced to the House that the Judiciary Committee would be ready on Monday to report on impeachment.

A discussion on referring the whole Tennessee delegation to the Elections Committee which was sprung by the Democrats, elicited an angry debate on the vote excluding Butler, on which the result was called, which reported yeas 117, nays 18.—The Democrats voted nay. No caucus on to-night.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 21.—The returns from eight Court Houses show the first black vote and 11 white. This will about be the proportion throughout the State. Not one vote is known to have been cast against Convention.

MONTGOMERY, Nov. 21.—The following is the article in the election law relative to finally adopted by the Reconstruction Convention as a part of the new Constitution:

ARTICLE.—Sec. 1. Every male person born in the United States, and every male person who has been naturalized, or who has legally declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and every male person who has been naturalized, or who has legally declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and every male twenty-one years old upwards, (except those who shall have resided in this State six months next preceding the election, and three months in the county in which he offers to vote, except persons hereinafter provided), shall be deemed an elector. Provided, that no soldier, sailor or marine in the military or naval service of the United States, shall hereafter acquire a residence by reason of being stationed on duty in this State.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the General Assembly to provide, from time to time, for the registration of the electors, but the following classes of persons shall not be permitted to register, vote, or hold office.

Those who, during the late rebellion, inflicted, or caused to be inflicted, any cruel or unusual punishment upon any soldier, sailor, marine, employee or citizen of the United States, or who in any way violated the rules of civilized warfare.

Those who are, or may be disfranchised by the proposed Constitutional Amendment, known as the 14th Article, and the act of Congress passed March 2d, 1867; except such persons as shall be relieved of reconstruction proposed by Congress, and accepted the political equality of all men before the law; Provided, That the General Assembly shall have power to remove the disabilities enumerated in this last clause.

Those who shall have been convicted of treason, embezzlement of public funds, malfeasance in office, crimes punishable by law with imprisonment in the penitentiary, or bribery.

No idiot or insane person shall be permitted to register or vote in this State.

Sec. 3. All persons, before registering, must take and subscribe to the following oath:

I ——— do solemnly swear or affirm that I will support and maintain the Constitution and laws of the United States, and the Constitution and laws of this State; that I am not excluded from registering by any of the clauses in section two of this article; that I will never, directly or indirectly or aid in the secession of this State from the United States; that I will accept the civil and political equality of all men, and agree not to attempt to deprive any person or persons, on account of race or color, or previous condition of any political or civil right, privilge or immunity, enjoyed by any other class of men. And, furthermore, that I will not in any way injure or countenance in others any attempt to injure any person or persons, on account of past or present support of the government of the United States, the laws of the United States, or the principles of the political and civil equality of all men, or of opposition with any political party.

Dissolution.

The firm of Ross & Wilson has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due said firm will be collected by Ross, Watkins & Co. their successors who also assume all liabilities of the late firm of Ross & Wilson. ROSS & WILSON.

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The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville, Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we can truly claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Agua Toddi is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure, as is with the "Hurley Preparations," so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seabrook's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, also equalling the best English inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies ought not as well be taken in the confidence of those for which they are recommended when they are recommended by the leading physicians of the country, and of a regular physician. If

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Extract of a Letter from

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DR. JOHN BULL: I send you $10 for Cedron Bitters. I have used them for Dyspepsia, and they have done me more good than any medicine I have ever used in my life. I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for a very long time, and have suffered very much. I have used two bottles of your Cedron Bitters, and they have done me more good than any medicine I ever used. I recommend them to all who are afflicted with Dyspepsia. Yours truly,
A. L. NEAL.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 22, 1864.

I received the day following, from Lancaster, Kentucky:

DR. JOHN BULL: Please send me a bottle for my own use, one dozen of your Cedron Bitters. I have tried others, and find them all humbug. Yours respectfully,
G. W. BRINDLESMORE.

ANOTHER TESTIMONY.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., Oct. 14, '64.

DR. JOHN BULL: We made an arrangement with your agent, July 20, 1864, for selling your Cedron Bitters. We sold one dozen and sent. We will find great trouble here more, without delay. We are selling them readily, and think they are one of the good purpose.
Yours truly,
DRS. HOGG & CROTHERS.

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To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return mail, will please address

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Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

VICKSBURG, MISS., Oct. 8th, '67.

In consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever in the city of Vicksburg, we feel compelled by the duty we owe to ourselves, our families and employees, to suspend the preliminary distribution of the Mississippi Agricultural, Educational & Manufacturing Aid Society from the 10th day of October, to the 2nd of November, 1867.

To give our patrons and the public at a distance the necessary time for renewal of Certificates, the third preliminary distribution will be drawn on November 26th, and the Grand Scheme, December 26th, 1867.

We trust that a kind and indulgent public will both endorse and approve of the short postponement.

Correspondents, and persons ordering certificates, are requested to direct their communications, to the Secretary at Meridian, Miss., to which place our office is temporarily removed, and authorized agent will remain at Vicksburg, to attend to any communications or orders for certificates.
W. D. LYLES,
President.

ALBERT SANDEL, Sec'y.

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STOVE DEALERS, HOUSE KEEPERS and all lovers of good Cooking are particularly requested to examine the New Stove, as we are confident that it must supercede all others wherever sold and used.
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Want of Stamina.

CONSTITUTIONAL WEAKNESS.—EFFECT OF HOSTETTER'S BITTERS IN CASES OF GENERAL DEBILITY.

Malaria is impartial. On some of us she has bestowed stalwart frames, strong constitutions, iron nerves; on others, but little physical force, feeble constitutions, or nervous vigor. Let the feeble men heed the following: If they cannot become Samsons, they can, by the use of proper means, make up in a measure for the deficiencies of nature, and may perchance live as long and enjoy life as much as their more Herculean neighbors. Delicate machines require proper care, sometimes outlasts those of a more solid and ponderous structure. A fine watch will last longer than a steam engine of a thousand horse-power. The first object of the weak and fragile is, or should be, to acquire additional strength if possible. *It is possible.* It may be stated as a proved and established fact, that science has given to the world, in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a vegetable invigorant, which permanently braces up and sustains the feeble physique, whether the lack of strength and stamina be an inherent defect or the result of exhausting causes.

If general debility is not a disease, it is something worse, viz: a condition which predisposes to disease, and succumb to all influences that produce disease. We are continually surrounded and beset, more or less, by infectious diseases. Neither the purest air or the purest water is perfectly free from them, localities where both are absolutely poisonous; how shall the weakly constitution and frail system resist their deadly influences, unaided by artificial means? If the BITTERS are the re-enforcing, vitalizing, sustaining preparation they are claimed to be, and on this head the testimony in their favor is overwhelming and incontrovertible—then it is absolutely folly and madness in any man or woman, suffering from physical weakness, not to resort to so potent a remedy. When an epidemic is prevailing, the system that best safeguards are a perfect digestion, firm nerves, and a wise employment of the means by which science has placed at the disposal of the public as antidotes against atmospheric infection. Many of the latter serves to be written in letters of gold. Hear what the Doctor says of BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

DR. JOHN BULL—Dear Sir: I have recently given your "Great Destroyer" several trials, and find it wonderfully efficacious. It has not failed in a single instance to have the wished-for effect. I am using a pretty large country practice, and have daily use for some article of the kind. I am free to confess that I know of no remedy recommended by the sh'e t authors that is so certain and speedy in its effects. On the contrary, I am accustomed to be extreme. My object in writing you is to find out upon what terms I can get the medicine directly from you. If I can get it upon easy terms I shall use a great deal of it. I am aware that the use of such articles is no crazy to the teachings and practice of agreat majority of the regular line of M. D's, but I see no just cause or good sense in discarding a remedy which we know to be efficient, simply because we may be ignorant of its combination. For my part, I shall make a rule to use all and any means to alleviate suffering humanity which I may be ill-command—not hesitating because some one more ingenious than myself may have learned its effects first, and secured the sole right to secure that knowledge. However, I am by no means an advocate or supporter of the thousands of worthless nostrums that flood the country, that purport to cure all manner of disease to which human flesh is heir. Please reply soon, and inform me of your best terms.

I am, sir, most re pectfully,
JULIUS P. CLEMENT, M. D.

BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

A GOOD REASON FOR THE CAPTAIN'S FAITH

Read the Captain's Letter and the Letter from his Mother.

Benton Barracks, Mo., April 30, 1866.

DR. JOHN BULL—D ar Sir: Knowing the efficiency of your Sarsaparilla, and the bra ing and beneficial qualities it possesses, I send you the following statement for your use:

I was wounded about two years ago—was taken prisoner and confined for sixteen months. He fore my release the wounds have not healed yet. I have not sat up a moment since I was wounded. I am shot through the hips. My general health is impaired, and I need something to assist me. Have you more faith in your Sarsaparilla than in any thing else? I was raised in genuine. Please express me half a dozen bottles, and oblige

Capt. C. P. JOHNSON,
St. Louis, Mo.

P. S.—The following was written April 3d, 1865, by Mrs. Jennie Johnson, mother of Capt. Johnson:

Dr. Bull—Dear Sir: My husband, Dr. C. R. Johnson, was a prisoner in the hands of the Rebels in Central New York, where he died, leaving the above C. P. Johnson to my care. At thirteen years of age he had a chronic diarrhea and scrofula, for which I gave him your Sarsaparilla. It cured him. I have for ten years recommended it to many in New York Ohio, and Iowa, for scrofula, fever sores, and general debility. Perfect success has attended it. The cures effected in some cases of scrofula and fever sores were almost miraculous. I am very anxious for my son to again have recourse to your Sarsaparilla. He is fearful of getting a spurio s article. Please write writing to you for it. His wounds were terrible, but I believe he will rec over.

Respectfully,
JENNIE JOHNSON.

DR. JOHN BULL,
Manufacturer and Vender of the Celebrated
Smith's Tonic Syrup!
FOR THE CURE OF
AGUE AND FEVER
OR
CHILLS & FEVER.

The proprietor of this celebrated medicine justly claims for it a superiority over all remedies ever offere t to the public for the safe, certain, speedy, and permanent cure of Ague and Fever, or Chills and Fever, whether of short or long standing. In the valley of the Western and South-western country to bear him testimony to the truth of the assertion, the world can whatever will fail to cure. The directions are strictly followed, and no fraud out. In a great many cases a single bottle has been sufficient for a cure, and whole families have been cured by a single bottle with a perfect restoration of the general health. It is, however, prudent, and in every case a sure certain to cure, if its use is continued in smaller doses for a week or two after the disease has been checked, more especially in difficult and long standing cases. Usually, the medicine will not require any aid to keep the bowels in good order; should the patient, however, require a cathartic medicine after having taken three or four doses of the Tonic, a single dose of BULL'S VEGETABLE FAMILY PILLS will be sufficient.

DR. JOHN BULL'S Principal Office:
No. 46 Fifth, Cross Street,
between LOUISVILLE, KY.

DR. JOHN BULL'S
Great Remedies.
BULL'S CEDRON BITTERS.
AUTHENTIC DOCUMENTS.
ARKANSAS HEARD FROM.
TESTIMONY OF MEDICAL MEN.

Sinney Point, White Co., Ark., May 22 '68.
Dr. 'ohn Bull.—Dear Sir: Last February I was in Louisville purchasing drugs, and I got some of your Cedron Bitters, and gave them a trial. My son-in-law, who was with me in the store, has been down with rheumatism for some time, and could get no relief from any thing else. He commenced on the Cedron Bitters, and soon found his general health improved.

Dr. Cle, who has been in bad health for several years—stomach and liver affected—he improved very much by the use of your Bitters. Indeed the Cedron Bitters have given them a great popularity in this settlement. I think I could sell a great quantity of your medicines the follow ecially of your Cedron Bitters and Sarsaparilla. Ship me via Memphis, Tenn., or Richett & Neely.

Respectfully,
C. E. WALKER.

BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

TO MY UNITED STATES AND WORLD-WIDE PATRONS:

I have received many testimonials from professional and medical men, as my almanacs and various publications have shown, all of which are genuine. The following letter from a highly educated and able physician in Georgia, is certainly one of the most sensible communications I have ever received. Dr. Clement knows exactly what he is about, and the letter he has seen fit to write in letters of gold. Hear what the Doctor says of BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

VILLANOW, Walker County, Ga., }
June 19, 1866. }

Dr. John Bull—Dear Sir: I have recently given your "Worm Destroyer" several trials, and find it wonderfully efficacious. It has not failed in a single instance to have the wished-for effect. I am using a pretty large country practice, and have daily use for some article of the kind. I am free to confess that I know of no remedy recommended by the sh'e t authors that is so certain and speedy in its effects. On the contrary, I am accustomed to be extreme. My object in writing you is to find out upon what terms I can get the medicine directly from you. If I can get it upon easy terms I shall use a great deal of it. I am aware that the use of such articles is no crazy to the teachings and practice of agreat majority of the regular line of M. D's, but I see no just cause or good sense in discarding a remedy which we know to be efficient, simply because we may be ignorant of its combination. For my part, I shall make a rule to use all and any means to alleviate suffering humanity which I may be ill-command—not hesitating because some one more ingenious than myself may have learned its effects first, and secured the sole right to secure that knowledge. However, I am by no means an advocate or supporter of the thousands of worthless nostrums that flood the country, that purport to cure all manner of disease to which human flesh is heir. Please reply soon, and inform me of your best terms.

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NOTICE TO MOTHERS.
DR. SEABROOK'S
Infant Soothing Syrup.

We have, by purchase of the original receipt, become the Proprietors of this valuable Medicine. We ask you to give it a trial, with an assurance that you will in future, discard all those nauseous and destructive mess, such as Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, Dower's Mixture, &c., combinations of a past and antiprogressive age, when it was thought this the more disguising the mixture of Morphine and Alcohol.

Use in the future only SEABROOK'S, a combination, quite up with the advancement of the age. Pleasant to take, harmless in its action, efficient and reliable in all cases. Invaluable in the following diseases:

SUMMER COMPLAINT, IRREGULARITY OF THE BOWELS, DENTIVANESS, TEETHING, &c.

Gives health to the child and rest to the mother.

We could furnish any quantity of certificates bearing evidence of its superior qualities, but prefer that our medicine should stand on its own merits, which it will do upon trial.

JAMES RUDDLE & CO
Proprietors,
Laboratory, 61 Bullitt Street, Louisville, Ky.

PURIFY YOUR BLOOD.
HURLEY'S SARSAPARILLA.

Of all the remedies that have been discovered during the present age for the thousand ills that flesh is heir to, none equal this wonderful preparation. Only ten years have elapsed since the discoverer—who spent a decade in studying experiments, and perfecting it—first introduced it to the public, and it is already recognized by the most eminent physicians of all parts of the country to be the most surprising and effective remedy, for certain diseases, of which they have knowledge.

All other compounds or syrups of the same have before failed to command the sanction of the faculty, because, on being tested, they have been found to contain mercury or minerals, which neutralize the good effects of this Sarsaparilla, and therefore injure the health of the patient. It is not so with Hurley's preparation. This is the pure and genuine extract of the root, and will, on trial, be found to be a certain and perfect cure of the following complaints and diseases:

Affections of the Bones, Habitual Costiveness, Debility, Diseases of the Kidneys, Dyspepsia, Erysipelas, Female Complaints, Fever and Ague, Fits, all kinds of, Headache, Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Indigestion, Piles, Pulmonary Diseases, Syphilis, Scrofula, Worms, King's Evil.

Hurley's Ague Tonic,
—FOR—
PERFECTLY RELIABLE.

The only remedy for Chills and Fever or Ague and Fever that is or can be depended upon. Hurley's Ague Tonic has been used by thousands cured by using it who had tried the most celebrated without benefit; but in no case has it failed to effect a cure.

Hurley's Ague Tonic

failed to effect a cure. All who have used it cheerfully tell their afflicted friends of it as a sure and certain cure for chills and fever. Any one suffering from the ills of life will cannot find their own use cet by sending to the drug store and having a bottle. It will be pleased to take compared with others, and will be certain to cure all cases of fever and ague or chills and fever and be lost to the proprietors.

JAMES RUDDLE & CO.,
Louisville, Ky.

HURLEY'S
Popular Worm Candy!

As this is really a specific for worms, and the best and most palitable form to give to children, it is not surprising that it is fast taking the place of all other preparations for worms—it being perfectly tasteless and any child will take it.

JAMES RUDDLE & CO.
Proprietors.

HURLEY'S
STOMACHIC BITTERS.
For
Debility,
Loss of Appetite,
Weakness, Indigestion, or
Dyspepsia, Want of Action of the
Liver, or DISORDERED STOMACH.
There are no bitters that can compare with These in this or any other class of bitters on the market. For sale or can be had at any drug store in the United States, or from the proprietors

JAMES RUDDLE & CO.,
Louisville, Ky.

Oriental Pearl Drops.
FOR beautifying the complexion, effectually removing Tan, Freckles, Blotches, and giving a clear and elegant smoothness not easily attained by any other. To meet the demands of fashion gives it character of efficiency which at once stamps it as infinitely superior for the toilet of any lady.

Bettison's English Horse Liniment.
has proven itself one of the best Liniments made for sprains, bruises &c, in all cases where tried for either man or beast, and will do all we claim for it. Try a bottle and we are satisfied you will never afterwards use any other.

Extract Jamaica Ginger.
Use James Ruddle & Co's Extract of Jamaica Ginger for all summer complaints, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhea, Dysentery. This is the pure Ginger and can be relied on.

Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluid
AND
CARMINE INK.
These well known inks need only be used to be acknowledged as the best for Banks, Counting Room and school uses.

JAMES RUDDLE & CO.,
Proprietors,
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Wholesale Agents, Louisville, Ky.

The above medicines are for sale by
R. T. W. CHADWICK,
DR. KENNEDY,
and other respectable drug stores.

Meridian.

GOOD NEWS!
WHAT IS IT?
BALL'S NEW GOODS!
Just arrived and arriving from
NEW YORK,
A LARGE assortment of EVERY THING WANTED—"They say" the CHEAP. EST yet offered for CASH.
☞ Call early and get Bargains. ☜
Cotton bought at market prices.
HATTER for Dry Hides, Wool, Beeswax, Eggs, Butter, Furs, Shingles, &c.
Remember the two store White Store "on top of the hill" and on Front Row next to Turner's Gallery.
JNO. T. BALL.
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JOHN M. GOLDIN,
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
Respectfully announces to the public that he is prepared to make and repair Boilers, and repair Mills and all kinds of machinery. He has had an experience of many years, both in making and repairing machinery, and hopes to receive a liberal patronage from the public. nov24wly

L. A. DUNCAN. L. H. HART
DUNCAN & HART,
AUCTIONEERS
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
sp28wly Cor. Johnson Avenue & Sidney Sts

REMOVAL.
NEW DRUGS.
THOS. D. REID & CO.,
Druggists and Apothecaries.
Have removed to the Two-Story Threefoot Building, on Lee Street, opposite the Jones House, and next door to the store of Kahn, Wolff & Abney, Meridian, Miss.
They have on hand a choice selection of Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Fine Liquors for medicinal purposes, &c., &c. Just received a large supply of Smith's Tonic, a celebrated remedy for Chills and Fever.
Bull's Sarsaparilla.
Bull's Worm Destroyer.
Prescriptions compounded at all hours and of the purest medicines. n6swtf

Hurlbutt, Sturges & Co.,
AT THEIR OLD STAND,
on the Corner, and their
NEW STORE
ADJOINING,
HAVE on hand and are constantly receiving the largest and best supply of
Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Groceries,
Hardware,
Cutlery,
Crockery,
Bagging,
Rope,
Boots,
Shoes,
Hats,
EVER SEEN IN THIS COUNTRY.
Which they will sell as low as they can afford to say rate they will not be undersold.
They invite their old customers, friends and the public generally to call, and if they consult their own interest they will be sure to buy.
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LOOK WELL TO
Your Insurance.
P. EARLY, General Insurance Agent, Meridian, represents the best fire Insurance companies in the United States. Call and have your houses insured, as winter is approaching and dangers increasing.
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OBEDIAH RUTLEDGE, W. A. REID.
RUTLEDGE & REID
Bricklayers,
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
Are prepared to execute all work in their line on the shortest notice and in the best style. nov26wly

OHIO LEGISLATURE
DEMOCRATIC.
50,000 *Majority Against Negro Suffrage.*
GREAT EXCITEMENT AT HARVEY'S CORNER.
IN consequence of his superior Goods and low prices. The public are invited to call and are for themselves. There is no mistake about the low figures, and the goods are certainly an exception able in quality. oct19sw6m

CHEAP
CASH STORE!
JOSEPH BAUM & CO.,
Dealers in
DRY GOODS,
Clothing,
Boots,
Shoes,
Hats,
Hardware,
Queensware,
AND ALL KINDS OF
FURNISHING GOODS,
Johnson Street,
oct18swdm MERIDIAN, MISS.

EDWARD SPRIGGS'
New Barber Shop!
Lee Street, Opposite Rosenbaum's,
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
Respectfully asks a share of public patronage. Will give satisfaction in Shaving, Hairdressing and Shampooing. nov2sw3

New Shoes! New Shoes!!
At Mrs. Norton & Neville's, for Ladies and Children. A good article at low prices.

Hotels, Etc.

ST. JAMES HOTEL,
NEW ORLEANS.
Proprietors:
WM. A. HEAD.....Late of Head Quarters, Cor. Of Canal and Bourbon Streets.
W. F. CORBETT.....Late of Spotswood Hotel, Richmond, Va.
☞ Telegraph and Railroad Offices in Rotunda of Hotel. Mr. H. Callum, Telegraph Operator.

THE NELSON HOUSE,
Though not the "Biggest" Building,
AT THE
RAILROAD JUNCTION
Jackson, Miss.,
HAS established a reputation for Good Fare, Comfortable Rooms, Clean Beds, and other conveniences for the TRAVELING PUBLIC.
The Proprietor will spare no efforts to make his guests feel "at home."
☞ Terms moderate.
sp17swly JOHN NELSON, Prop'r.

Private Boarding
BY MRS. ANN DOZIER, ST. LOUIS, MO
HAVE opened a large and commodious Private Boarding House, and will be pleased to see any of my old friends.
No. 2 6th Street, between Pine and Olive.
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Jones House.
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
JOSIAH JONES, : PROP'R.
This well known Hotel is still open for the reception and accommodation of guests. The above will be supplied with the best the market affords. Meals prepared on the arrival and departure of all trains.
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Ragsdale House,
ON THE HILL,
On the East Side of the Railroad
IS always open for transient and permanent boarders, day and night. Its rooms are large and commodious, and the Proprietor is making additions and improvements continually.
Remember "Ragsdale House," east side near railroad track. mar16ly

THE SMYTH HOUSE,
Near City Hall and Court Rooms,
JACKSON, MISS.
HAVING removed to the new and spacious building on President Street, near the City Hall, I am well prepared to accommodate Boarders and Transient Customers in a superior style.
The Rooms, Beds, Cooking and Fare are equal to any in the city.
The location of the house renders it exceedingly convenient to business men and strangers stopping in J. ckson.
Conveyances leave the House three times a day, to connect with the railroad cars.
sept28 H. H. SMYTH.

CONTINENTAL HOTEL.
S. M. STILES, Proprietor.
Corner Sixth Street and Ohio Levee,
CAIRO, ILL.
Fare $9.50 per day. Nov15swdm

Fare Reduced.
Board $2.50 per Day.
U. S. HOTEL,
LOUISVILLE, KY.
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LACLEDE HOTEL,
ST. LOUIS, MO.
Is a five story Marble Building, corner of fifth and Chesnut Streets, on the most desirable Promenade of the City, very convenient to the Business Centre and all places of amusement. The outfit of the House is entirely NEW and first-class in every particular.
Terms—$2.00 per Day.
BROLASKI & MALIN, Prop'rs.
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Vicksburg.
H. B. BRUSER,
Copper, Tin and Sheet-Iron Worker,
and dealer in
Cooking and Heating Stoves,
And House Furnishing Goods,
Tinware, Pump Pipes, Sheet Lead, Fire Brick and Tile.
Particular attention paid to Steamboat and Job Work.
South street, between Mulberry and Washington Streets.
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Red Jacket Bitters

JOSEPH BOTTO,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
GROCERIES,
BAR STORES AND
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Imported & Domestic Wines & Liquors,
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Wholesale Dealer in
GUNS, HARDWARE, PLOWS, ROPE, FISHING TACKLE, &c.
Agent for Wheeler & Wilson's Celebrated Sewing Machine, which will be sold at the New York Prices.
All Kinds of Guns Made and Repaired.
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27 JOHN ST., NEAR NASSAU—OR BROAD-WAY, NEAR POSTOFFICE STREET,
NEW YORK.
The first Manufacturers of only
GENUINE MEERSCHAUM GOODS
on this Continent. The largest and finest assortment in the New York Meerschaum Emporium for the present season. Purchasers of the raw material for the next year's manufacture will find it to their interest to call. Orders of every description thankfully received and promptly executed. Repairing, boiling, coloring and pressing done neat. Sept. 4swtf.

Meridian.

CONFECTIONERY.
WE have just opened a Fresh Lot of Confectionaries from the best manufactories at prices to suit the times. In consequence of the great scarcity of money, and we are determined to regulate our prices to suit the times, and to place our goods within the reach of all.
TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS
we offer our Goods as cheap as low as they can be had in the Mobile market.
Give us a call and examine our articles and prices for yourselves.
HALLORAN & HORNUTH,
Front Street, above Mason's Hall,
may22swly MERIDIAN, MISS

DR. K. B. KENNEDY, THOS. H. KENNEDY,
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N. B. & T. H. KENNEDY.
Wholesale and Retail Druggists,
CORNER HALL AND SIDNEY STREETS,
MERIDIAN, MISS.
Have for sale, at greatly reduced prices a complete assortment of Drugs Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Fine Liquors, for Medical Purposes, Flavoring extracts, Hair Oils, Colognes, &c.
☞ Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours of the day and night.
☞ Dr. N. B. Kennedy's office is in the Drug Store, where he may be consulted at all hours of the day, unless professionally absent.

R. Y. R. CHADWICK,
DEALER IN
DRUGS, MEDICINES
Chemicals,
FANCY SOAP, PERFUMERY,
OIL, GLASS, INKS, &c.,
Hair Restoratives, Dyestuffs, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Cigars, Fishing Rods, Books, Lines, &c.
Also a large Stock of ATRILL, SCOVILL & CO.'S Patent Medicines which I am agent for.
No. 6 Front Street.
MERIDIAN:.....MISSISSIPPI.
☞ Prescriptions compounded day or night. sig1swly

W. W. SHEARER
HAVING permanently established himself on the corner of Johnson Avenue and Commerce Street, (over the ditch) intends to keep a good supply of

STAPLE GOODS
—AND—
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE, CROCKERY,
HATS, BOOTS, SHOES,
&c., &c., &c.,
which he will sell as low as he can afford; and asks his old friends and the public generally to give him a call.
His CLOTHING will be sold for the present at cost, and SADDLES below cost.
He is now running his own machine, and all he asks is a little grease from friends to make it go smooth.
Aug. 1, 1867 ly

J. C. LLOYD, A. H. WHITE, J. HALL
of Miss. of Miss. of Miss.
LLOYD, WHITE & CO.,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS,
GENERAL COMMISSION,
Receiving and Forwarding Merchants,
Front Street, (in the Brick Store,)
MERIDIAN, MISS.
☞ Agents for the Shelby Lime Company, which they will furnish in any quantity at Mobile prices. Those Limes have an established reputation as being equal to the best, are prepared in our own Northern country, (Alabama,) and they desire to furnish the whole country convenient to their agency with this article. The special attention of Builders is directed to our Agency of the Shelby Lime Company. June 5swtf

Smith & Alford.
MERIDIAN, MISS.
WOULD respectfully call the attention of purchasers to their well selected stock of
DRY GOODS, READY MADE CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES,
Hardware, Queensware, Cutlery, Notions, Toilet Articles, Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Spices, Molasses, Tobacco, Cigars, Fish, Candles.
Salt, Gunpowder, Lead, Red Lead,
Shot, Liquors, &c., &c.,
which we are constantly receiving and offering for sale at prices which will compare with any house in the city. June 8 swtf

W. W. SHEARER, Cash. C. H. WILLIAMS, Pres.
MERIDIAN
SAVINGS INSTITUTION,
OF THE CITY OF MERIDIAN,
Buys and Sells Northern and Southern Exchange,
Gold & Uncurrent Money
RECEIVES DEPOSITS.
And Gives Prompt Attention to all Collections, &c., Confided to it.
Office Hours from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
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A. THREEFOOT,
Boots and Shoes and
Shoe Findings Establishment,
Keeps for sale the best quality of Leather, Lasts, Shoe Thread, and other goods of that description.
Boots and Shoes made to order at short notice. oct23swly

Notice.
I OFFER FOR SALE my place, situated seven and a half miles east of Quitman, on the Enterprise road, the place settled by John Johnson, Esq., containing in all 160 acres of well watered timbered land; eighty acres of which is open and sixty acres under a very good fence. There is a good dwelling house, smoke house, barn and negro houses. Also an excellent spring and an ever running branch within forty yards of the dwelling house. The range is good, with swamp and reed brake land attached to the place.
For further particulars, as I am determined to leave the State. For terms of sale apply to
A. J. MARTIN,
on the place, or to C. C. Nettles, opposite R. B. Windham's, Meridian, Miss. sept15swtf.

NOTICE.
THE copartnership of Kennedy & Gibbs, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
N. B. KENNEDY,
JOE. GIBBS.
Meridian, Miss. Sept. 12th, 1867.
The books, notes and accounts are in the hands of Jas H. Martin for collection. Call at the Drug Store of N. B. & T. H. Kennedy for the same. sept14swtf

MERIDIAN SALOON.
BASEMENT OF THE JONES HOUSE.
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
Containing the finest brands of LIQUOR to be found in the market. Wholesale and Retail. The BRANDIES and WHISKIES are of superior quality—no common article on hand.
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DUNCAN, HART & BENTON,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
—AND—
GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
Johnson Avenue, corner Sidney St.,
MERIDIAN, MISS.
HAVE on hand a full assortment of Dry Goods, Notions, Hardware, Crockery, Groceries, &c.
Also, Agents for sale of all kinds of Cotton, at Manufacturer's prices.

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Dolbear Commercial College.
OPEN CONSTANTLY, DAY AND EVENING
Corner of Camp and Common Sts.,
In the Elegant and Spacious
IRON BUILDING,
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
Founded in 1833—Chartered by the Legislature of Louisiana.
WITH COMMERCIAL, AGRICULTURAL, AND MECHANICAL DEPARTMENTS.
THIS COLLEGE, has, by its own merits and thorough, practical plan of education, outlived all the liberally endowed State Colleges of this and the South-Western States. It is the
Oldest Commercial College in the United States.
AMPLE ARRANGEMENTS FOR
One Thousand Students
During the Current Year.
Comparative Cost and Value of the Education Given Here and in the Ordinary and Literary Colleges:
It is believed to be the first in Europe or America, chartered with Commercial, Agricultural and Mechanical Departments. Every student who gives proper attention to the instruction, is qualified before graduating to keep any set of books, in matters not what the business may be, and do the Correspondence of any house. Students can attend the "Commercial Course," or to the English, French, Spanish, German, Latin or Greek Languages, or the higher Mathematics, etc., separately. We have
Cost of full Commercial Course here—Tuition.....$145
Board for three months.....90
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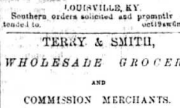

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

The Negro Conventions in the South—Their Effects on the North.

Alabama has led the van in the reconstruction of the United States by the negro. Other States are to follow until, under a glorious negro rule, the ten Southern divisions of our republic are bound and given over to Africa to be governed according to the Haytien style. The principles of the conventions which frame these negro governments are shaped by the most unprincipled of all our demagogues.—Without a dollar of interest in the country they stir the phable black man to passion against the white, and, while moulding the mass to suit radical aims, sow the seed of an unavoidable war of caste. They do not fail to promise the negro all that his barbarous imagination may desire—freedom from labor, a division of property, and even the government of the country. Thus, for transient political purposes they force the whole sun-burned brain of Ethiopia to the same focus, and teach it to expect what it can never realize while there is a Southern or a Northern sword left to defend the blood—blood—blood originally purer than that of Africa, and purified still more by long centuries of arduous labor towards the summit of civilization; blood now, in consequence of contamination, to blood retrograde and naturally barbaric in its impulses.

In the face of all this we see power centralizing in the South in the hands of that element which, according to all history, is a threat against any civilization with which it comes in contact. The platform of the radical republican party of Louisiana is a fair exponent of what threatens us in all the Southern States by raising up a power ten times more destructive and nationally demoralizing than any that has heretofore existed. That platform states:—

"We as a party insists on perfect equality, without distinction of race or color, in the right to vote and enter the jury box without any education or property qualification being required." Again:

"The radical republican party of Louisiana will support no man for office who will not openly and boldly pledge himself to make an equal distribution among white and colored alike of all offices to which he may have power of appointment."

These are the mad principles which, at a terrible cost, we urge upon one half of our territorial extent, thus threatening its complete desolation. Were it the destruction of only one-half of the country we might, in our powerful stamina, live under it; but the radical programme means more than this—it means the draining of every energy of the North to support the one grand black idea, and, at any cost, forcing the negro down the throat of the nation. We struggle under it, we bleed, we expend our millions, we tax our people to the last feather's weight we fairly writhe beneath the terrible effort to swallow a dose that would choke a mammoth mammoth as flowers after a severe frost. Music was his invariable solace at such times. Indeed, Luther did not hesitate to say that, after theology, music was the first of arts. "Music," said he, "is the art of the prophets; it is the only other art which, like theology, can calm the agitation of the soul, and put the devil to flight." Next to music, if not before it, Luther loved children and flowers. That great, gifted man had a heart as tender as a woman's.

HORSES' FEET REQUIRE MOISTURE.—Nineteenths of the diseases which happen to the hoofs and ankles of the horse, are occasioned by standing on dry floors of the stable. Many persons seem to think, from the way they keep their horses, that the foot of the horse was never made for moisture, and that, if possible, it should be beneficial if they had cow hide boots to put on every time they went out. Nature designed the foot for moist ground—the earth of the woods and valleys—at the same time a covering was given to protect it from stones and stumps. In shoeing, it is well to make the forward shoes long, and the toe-calks short and standing under, and set them back as far as convenient, in order to let the foot rest over as soon as possible, to get out of the way in setting the shoes on the hind feet, reverse the order to keep them back to give time for the forward feet to get out of the way. Make the toe-calks high and the half-calks low. Blood the fore feet back; then he will travel like other horses. This is essential in all cases, for far too many horses have been made cripples. Great pains should be taken to shoe all horses in setting the shoes, and it is evident that too many of our blacksmiths do not fully understand making the shoe and paring the hoof.

THE BED OF THE OCEAN.—It is stated that soundings have been made in the North Atlantic to so great an extent that it is now possible to map out its bed quite accurately. This ocean is a long trough of varying depth, extending probably from pole to pole. Its bed follows the general structure of the land. Here and there rocky peaks, like that of Teneriffe, or huge mountains of sand, such as the grand banks of Newfoundland, reach up not beyond the soundings. Between Ireland and New foundland there exists a remarkable plain, known as the telegraphic plateau, which is evidently a continuation of the great watershed which, between latitude 40 and 50 north, south, surrounds the north, and divides the waters flowing north from those flowing south.

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The Case of Col. W. H. McCardle

The trial of this case on Habeas Corpus before Judge Hill commenced at Jackson on last Thursday. The following is the return to the writ of Habeas Corpus:

"Respectfully returned to the Judges of the Court with Wm. H. McCardle, who is held in custody by me, in compliance with the orders of Major General E. O. C. Ord, Commanding 5th Military District, on the charges herewith submitted. Said McCardle has been arraigned and is being tried by a competent court organized in compliance with an act of Congress of March 2, 1867, and the acts supplementary thereto.

(Signed,) ALVIN C. GILLEM,
Bv't. Maj. Gen. Comdg'

A. B. Burwell, of Vicksburg, and Maj. Swain represent Gen. Gillem, and Messrs. Brooke, Marshall and Sharkey defend Col. McCardle. The case was argued at considerable length on Friday and Saturday.

The Vicksburg Republican publishes a long list of charges and specifications that have been preferred against Col. McCardle, for his editorials in the Times, upon which the military propose to try him by a Court Martial. This infamous proceeding is what is meant by a "Competent Court" in the return to the writ.

The following are the charges preferred against Col. McCardle:

Charge 1st.—Disturbance of the public peace in violation of the laws of Congress, passed March 2d, 1867, entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States and the acts supplementary thereto.

Charge 2d.—Inciting insurrection, disorder and violence in violation of the laws of Congress, passed March 2d, 1867, entitled an act to provide, &c., and acts supplementary thereto.

Charge 3d.—Libel.

Charge 4th.—Impeding the reconstruction of the Southern States under the law of Congress, passed March 2d, 1867, and the law supplementary thereto.

The Corinth Republican.

The Corinth News thus chronicles the demise of the Republican:

"The Corinth Republican has done with its sublunary things, and has gone to render up its stewardship before the dread river Styx. A short time since it was full of life and vigor; but when the electric news from the North and of glorious old Tishomingo pronounced against the heresies it had espoused its disgust was unbearable, and it yielded up the ghost. Peace to its ashes. Let it and its error be enveloped in oblivion. The Proprietors were sincere in their convictions, and are entitled to all the respect due to honest politicians. They however, followed strange gods, joined in with the enemies of constitutional government, and they have received the indignant rebuke of their countrymen."

There are only two Radical papers left in Mississippi, the Vicksburg Republican and Meridian Chronicle, neither of which receive any patronage or support from the people of the State.

They were both established by "act of Congress" and will last as long as they are supplied with rations in the shape of Government, printing and no longer.

SAD CASUALTY.—A YOUNG LADY KILLED IN JUMPING FROM A CARRIAGE.—On last Saturday evening as Mrs. Gillespie and daughter was returning home from church at Belmont, Sumter Co., the pole of the carriage came out and the mules took fright and started off in a run, which frightened Mrs. Gillespie and her daughter and they both attempted to save themselves by jumping out of the carriage. Miss Annie Gillespie, in jumping out, struck her head against an embankment and broke her neck, her mother was badly injured, but hopes are entertained of her recovery. The gentleman that was driving the carriage at the time did not know that they had jumped out until he had stopped the mules—which was done without damage to any part of the carriage, and had they kept their seats they would have been unharmed. Miss Annie was found lying on her face just as she fell, which shows that she was killed instantly.—Demopolis Eye, Nov. 20.

FOUND GUILTY.—The Federal soldier, Gallagher, who shot Mr. Wear, in our office, on the night of the 14th inst., was tried yesterday, and found guilty. Sentence not yet pronounced.—Clarion.

The Fruits of Southern Radicalism.—The Alabama Convention.

The action of this body has proved that it is composed of the basest and most vindictive materials. They propose to extend disfranchisement so as to exclude more than half the white people of the State from any future participation in public affairs. An infamous and disgraceful oath is required of every voter, and if this should not prove sufficient to keep the offices in the hands of the Radicals, the Legislature will be empowered to make still further exclusions. The Reconstruction laws of Congress were passed in a spirit of proscription and intolerance, they have been executed with the grossest injustice to the whites, and with a view to build up the Radical Party; yet with all this, and a black majority of fifteen thousand in Alabama, the miserable wretches who compose this Convention believe their power in the State is only be maintained by disfranchising till more of the white population. A proposition to pay the blacks wages from January, 1863 the date the of Emancipation Proclamation to the surrender was received with great favor. Another to confiscate part of the Selma and Meridian Railroad for the use of public schools was introduced and considered legitimate. And these rascals, a worse set of villains than can be found in the State Penitentiary undertakes to make a Constitution for the commonwealth of Alabama. They are the "loyal" men who are to lay the foundation of the new State and restore it to the Union. The programme of the Alabama Convention will no doubt be carried out by the other Southern conventions soon to assemble. While in the Northern States, there are many men of enlightened and liberal views who belong to the Republican party, the Southern Radicals wherever they have shown themselves are narrow minded, intolerant, despotic, and ready to inflame the negroes to the disfranchisement, plunder and robbery of the Southern whites. Without patriotism, without intelligence, without culture, outcasts from respectable society, they herd with the African to use his vote to persecute their own race and color. This miserable faction has control of the different State Conventions. We have nothing to hope from them. A united, resolute and persistent effort to defeat the ratification of the Constitutions they propose is all that is left us. The rigors of military rule, the devilish machinations of a fanatical Congress, are preferable to the barbarity of a negro despotism. If we can defeat those Constitutions we place ourselves in a condition to be benefitted by the reaction now going on in the North. If we fail, we may be ruined for years to come. We hope to hear no more of the policy of *inaction*. We fear we have already lost heavily by that course. We must make up our minds to fight the rottenness and villainy of Radicalism wherever it shows itself. Organize against it, canvass against it, *vote* against it. We are not without hope in Mississippi. Our white population, whether Northern or Southern, are nearly united and are becoming more united every day. This of itself will insure the destruction of Southern Radicalism at no late day. Disfranchisement can only be temporary, and will make the party odious. It will inevitably be succeeded by popular liberty, the death-blow to this infamous faction. When that day comes the few miserable whites who are now allied with the blacks to persecute their race "will call upon the mountains to hide themselves" from the wrath of a people whose feelings they have outraged and whose resentment they have provoked.

The Enterprise Star in noticing the STONEWALL MANUFACTURING COMPANY, who are establishing a cotton factory about three miles from Enterprise says:

The building is of brick, 160 feet long by 54 feet wide and two stories high. There are two engines from Patterson, New Jersey, of fifty horse power each. The contract for the machinery of these engines was closed on the 25th of last March, and, as is the industry and enterprise of M. M. Brooks, the President of the Company, that these engines are now in their proper place nearly ready for operation. Two boilers are in their place and a vacancy left for the third should it be needed.

The company will start operations with 2,000 spindles, and looms may be added should they seem it desirable. The machinery is all new, manufactured for this company.

The Reconstruction Convention of Georgia meets at Atlanta on the 9th of December.

TESTIMONIALS from Government officials, authors of distinguished reputation, analytical chemists, well known physicians, captains of steamships, clergymen, members of the bar, merchants, miners, heads of public institutions, &c., &c., are received by the proprietors of the Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla, and of its popular appendage—*Red Jacket Bitters*.

We find the following General order in a late number of the Holly Springs Reporter:

Head Qur's 4th Military Dis't,
(MISSISSIPPI AND ARKANSAS.)
OFFICE OF CIVIL AFFAIRS.
Holly Springs, Miss., Nov. 8, '67.
Circular No. 13.

The following instructions of Alex. M. Clayton, Judge of the circuit court of Marshall county, Mississippi, in the case of replevin for rent, in accordance with which the jury rendered a verdict for plaintiffs, are promulgated for the information and guidance of all concerned;

"If the jury believe from the evidence that Charles O'Brian, the husband and father of the plaintiffs, was a denizen by profession, and that the instruments said for were the property of said O'Brian at his death, and the plaintiffs are the widow and children of said decendent, the property in said instruments, to the value of two hundred and fifty dollars, vested in plaintiffs on the death of said decendent, discharged from any liability for the debts of decedent, or for rent, due by decedent."

[Signed] G. B. MYESS, Clerk.

Sheriffs are hereby informed that under the above decision, which will be sustained until reversed by competent authority, all property of this character, from seizure or sale, under execution or attachment, by the terms of the Homestead Exemption Act, and Article 280, chapter 61, Revised code of Mississippi, is exempt from seizure, and sale by distress or other warrant, for rent.

By command of Brevet Major General Ord. O. D. GREENE,
Assistant Adjutant General.

THE POLLARD-WISE DIFFICULTY.—It appears that Mr. John P. Wise, a son, some twenty years of age, of General Wise, left Richmond on Wednesday night for this city, where Mr. Pollard has taken up his residence, for the alleged purpose of chastising Mr. P. for the language used in reference to his father. He was accompanied by his cousin, Captain George Douglas Wise. These gentlemen reached here yesterday morning, and about half-past eleven o'clock repaired for the Maltby House, where Pollard was stopping, but failing to meet him they were in the act of leaving the hotel for the purpose of seeking him elsewhere, when Mr. Pollard, who had been forewarned, was seen coming down Pratt street, accompanied by his wife who shortly before left the hotel for the purpose of informing him. On coming to the ladies' entrance (which was on the side on which they approached) he was met by Mr. Wise at the door of the entrance, and Mr. Pollard, armed and forewarned, walked up to Mr. John P. Wise, with his hand on his pistol. But few words were exchanged, when both parties drew pistols. Several shots were fired, but the only one hit was Pollard, who received a ball in the right arm, near the elbow from the single barrel derringer of John Preston Wise, the latter not having any too dangerous wound. As soon as Pollard returned the fire of John P. Wise, he turned upon George D. Wise, who had not fired, and delivered two shots, one of which entered his leg, but which was about to attack him; these shots were returned by only George D. Wise. Pollard subsequently fired several shots, as did also the Wises. Deputy Marshal Gray and policemen Costello and Conroy then arrived on the scene and at once took the Messrs. Wise into custody, and conveyed them to the central police station, and Pollard was taken into the Maltby House, where his wound was properly dressed.—Baltimore Sun.

DISTRESSING AFFAIR.—It is our province to chronicle one of the most melancholy and shocking events that ever occurred in this vicinity. A most estimable and accomplished lady. Mrs. Sarah F. Pope, committed suicide at early dawn on Saturday last, by jumping into the river. She was heard by servants leaving her room about daylight, and nothing more was heard of her until several hours afterwards, when discovered by parties in search, in the water near Long's Ware-house. The deceased was an Imperial Jury, at the time of her death. For several days her relations had observed her mind to be wandering and her spirits sunk in melancholy; to such an extent as to excite some alarm, and to cause her son to be sent for on one or two occasions.

The causes that led to her insanity we do not know. Mrs. Pope was a true lady in every sense of the word. To the gentleness of voice and beaming that ever marked her intercourse with all, she added the still higher attribute of an unaffected Christain piety; her life shone with the life of a pure heart, overflowing with kind thoughts and charitable deeds. In those accomplishments of mind that give delight to the social circle, she had few superiors; and looking back to what she was and how she was loved and what she might have continued to be, we conclude that the motives leading to the fearful deed, must have been strong indeed to cut short a life she fell was one of usefulness and beauty, and which motives, even did it know them the idle gossip of the world could not estimate.

The good God who "tempers the wind to the shorn lamb," will comfort the afflicted son and mourning relatives. We know, alas! that human words cannot do it.—Columbus Index.

SWORD, TORCH AND COMPASS.—"The sword to kill, the torch to burn, and the compass to divide out the beautiful lands of the South." This is the compact language used against a Southern people.—Shall we calmly submit, and permit these making use of such language to prescribe and prepare all of our Pills, Bitters, Tonics, Blood Purifiers, Cough Syrups, Chill Medicines, &c., &c., that the people of these lines are prepared and offered by our own "Sith and kin?" The Great Southern Proprietary Co. are made in the South, and for the Southern people, and solicit your patronage.—*Red Jacket Bitters*.

In the Circuit Court of Hinds County.

Decision of Hon. R. A. Hill, Of the U. S. District Court on the Application for a Writ of Habeas Corpus in the case of McCardle.

In this cause, the Writ of Habeas Corpus, the great American *Magna Charta* of personal liberty has been applied for, granted and obeyed. The Writ and return, present to the Court questions of the highest importance, relative to the rights of the citizens, the supremacy and majesty of the Constitution and Laws, and the peace and safety of society.

The argument on both sides have been made by counsel whose experience and ability are equal to those of the bar of any other State, and have been conducted with that calmness and earnestness which questions of such vast importance demand. It now remains for me to pronounce the judgment of the Court, according to the solemn convictions made upon my mind after a most careful consideration of the Constitution and laws, aided by the argument.

The petition alleges that the petitioner has been arrested and is held in confinement, by Maj. Gen. A. C. Gillem, commanding the U. S. forces in the State of Mississippi, in pursuance to an order issued by Maj. Gen. E. O. C. Ord, commanding the 5th Military District, who claims authority for so doing under what is known as the Reconstruction Acts of the Congress of the United States; that as he is informed, the charges against him for which the arrest was made, are, that he has erected the editorial articles called the construction Acts, in this, that as the editor of the Times, a newspaper published in the city of Jackson, he has misled his readers not to vote in the late election, or if they did, to vote against a Convention; that his said arrest and imprisonment is in contravention of the constitution and laws of the United States.

The return avers that the petitioner was arrested, and is held in custody, upon charges preferred against him, and upon which he is now on trial before a military commissioner by his counsel moves the court for his discharge for the reason that the grounds set forth in the petition for his arrest are insufficient cause for his arrest and imprisonment, which motion is resisted by respondent's counsel. Two questions are presented:

1st. Does the act of Congress, approved March 2, 1867, which by its terms authorizes the Commanding General of this District to prevent disorder, to protect the citizens in their persons and property, or arrest and punish disturbers of the peace and criminals, and if in his opinion it is necessary for that purpose, to constitute Military Commissions or tribunals, so far as those powers are attempted to be conferred, is in contravention of the United States.

2nd. Does this act of Congress confer upon the Commanding General the right to cause the petitioner to be arrested and put upon his trial before said Military Commission for the causes set forth in the answer and return.

The solution of these questions is one of vast importance to the country at large, as well as those immediately concerned—At the outset it may be well to state that this Court has no power to pass judgment upon any political question, arising upon any of these acts. The only jurisdiction which this or any other judicial tribunal possesses is, to expound and enforce the laws. To this department of the Government is entrusted the writ of habeas corpus by means of which the citizen, no matter what his position or condition may be, is protected from illegal arrest, imprisonment and oppression, no matter by whom made, and so far as the citizens of this State are concerned, and the power conferred by law in this Court, or either of the Judges thereof, the power to grant this remedy, is as ample and complete, as in any State of the Union. The powers, however, are limited by law, 1st. That the writ is necessary for the exercise of the jurisdiction of this Court; 2d, where parties are held in custody under the law of the United States; 3d, where the prisoner is not a citizen of the United States, and is liberated from such arrest contrary to a treaty made between the United States and his own government; 4th, where the prisoner is held in custody in contravention of the constitution, laws or treaties of the United States. It is under the last section that the writ of this Court is now invoked.

It may as well say now, that in all cases of offence against the acts of Congress, of which any Court of the United States held in this State has jurisdiction, the Court having the jurisdiction, can alone try and punish the offender, and Congress has no power to vest any other authority upon any other tribunal; certainly not upon any military commission, nor can such power be conferred upon any such tribunal for the violation of any State law in time of peace, in any State in which the courts are living under a constitution, made by the citizens of the State, and laws made in pursuance thereto, enforced by officers selected by such people in pursuance thereto, or in any of the Territories where Congress has provided proper Civil Tribunals. When the constitution was made, it wisely provided as a means of protection to the citizen that he should not be tried by a military or executive power, but it was upon the presumption that in every State there was an independent judiciary established for the trial of such offence under the constitution and laws of the State. Hence it becomes important for us to ascertain if we can, whether or not there is now such a civil tribunal in the State of Mississippi.

Prior to the 9th of January, 1861, there was, but upon that day a body of men, assuming to act for all the people in the State, passed an Ordinance by which they claimed to sever the State from all the States that had before, at the time, subsisted between the State and the Federal Union, and claimed complete independence of the Union and under no obligations to it, and denied to the Federal government any right to exercise any jurisdiction in its borders. To this body, the Executive, Legislative and most, at least of the Judicial officers of the State adhered, and soon after commenced in open hostility against the powers of the Federal government, and combining with other bodies of other States, commenced and carried on for more than four years, one of the most gigantic and formidable wars known in modern history, until in April, 1865, this opposition was subdued by the forces of arms of the Federal Government. Admitting that all these proceedings were unauthorized by the Constitution of the United States; were contrary thereto, and consequently void, and in this position I fully concur,—practically it may be the constitution and laws as they existed before these proceedings commenced, as mere frame work, as a piece of machinery, had any power to move it. There were no officers under them to execute any powers given by them, and the officers who had assumed to act after the commencement of the rebellion, were displaced by the conquering power, and the people of the State left without any practical civil government. It is true that the constitution and laws might have been, remitted to the hands of those elected and qualified, and who were among the forces of the conquering power, when the conquest became complete, but this was not done, and the people of the State were left without any civil government. It is true that the constitution of slavery, but this, no department of the Government has the power to change. It is true that the Congress of the United States has the power to guarantee to the citizens of each State a republican form of government, but this is a political question, and not a judicial one, and is to be determined by the political power of the Government, and not by the judicial power. It is true that the Congress of the United States has the power to admit Senators and Representatives from the States, but this is a political question, and not a judicial one, and is to be determined by the political power of the Government, and not by the judicial power. It is true that the Congress of the United States has the power to guarantee to the citizens of each State a republican form of government, but this is a political question, and not a judicial one, and is to be determined by the political power of the Government, and not by the judicial power. It is true that the Congress of the United States has the power to admit Senators and Representatives from the States, but this is a political question, and not a judicial one, and is to be determined by the political power of the Government, and not by the judicial power.

The Provisional Governor, by proclamation, ordered an election to be held for delegates to convention of the people of the State, to make such amendments to the Constitution as they deemed necessary under the changed condition of the State, and for the qualifications of electors and delegates were prescribed, and which were unknown to the Constitution and laws before existing, but which were deemed necessary to guard against another attempt to disrupt the Union. The Convention assembled and adopted what were deemed to be the necessary amendments. Under it elections were held for all the offices, and legislature assembled upon the discharge of their respective official functions.

The President in his message to the first session of the 39th Congress, stated what had been done, and recommended the enactment of such measures as the Government in which he alone is vested political or legislative power.?

Congress, however, refused to give it sanction and set about devising some other plan to enable the citizens of the State to re-organize the government, and to resume practical relations to the Union. Whether or not Congress has acted wisely, or unwisely, is not a question which can be inquired into by this Court. The legal affairs of the State were mostly left in the hands of the military commander, the functions of office until the passage of the acts in question, and all the civil affairs were placed in the hands of the military commander assigned to the 4th district, and by which, it is claimed, all the civil and judicial government exists in this State; that the local government then existing should be deemed provisional only, and subject to the control of the Federal Government; that the military commander for the purpose of executing the powers vested in him might remit the trial of offenders to the local tribunals, or if deemed necessary for the due arrest and punishment of disturbers of the peace and criminals, constitute military commissions or tribunals; and further, that he should take the prescribed steps for the election of delegates to a convention of the people of the State for the purpose of forming or amending the constitution, and the re-establishment of a constitutional civil government of the State, and a resumption of the exercise of all their rights as one of the constituent States in the Union. The powers thus intended to be conferred upon the commander of the district, by the act in purpose though differing in detail from those conferred upon Gov. Sharkey by the appointment of Provisional Governor.

As has already been remarked, this Court has no control whatever over the political questions involved in the case or the other. The only question on which this Court can pass is, whether or not there is now such a civil tribunal in the State to which those charged with offences against the laws of the United States can be remitted for trial, and if not whether or not Congress has power to confer upon the commander with the power to constitute military commissions to try such offenders is in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

It has already been said that the legality of the judicial tribunals constituted by the provisional authority, and by the highest judicial sanction of the State been held as legal, not by means of any express provision of the Constitution, but upon a principle; in this it is conferred by Congress upon a commanding officer of the Army. If it is the duty of the government of the United States in any one or all of its departments to protect citizens in the free rights of person and provide for the punishment of disorder and crime in the absence of any penalty prescribed by law the choice of the means must be made by the power conferring such authority.

Taking cognizance of the federal courts, cannot come to that clear conviction of mind necessary under the decision made in the case of Ex parte Milligan, reported in act repugnant to the constitution; and 4 Wall. 2. That conviction and state of mind it would be my duty so to declare it.

The remaining question to be considered is, whether the return and charges stated in the return under the acts authorize the commanding general to cause the petitioner to be arrested and put upon his trial before the military commission?

It is insisted that the arrest was in violation of the 5th article of the constitution, which guarantees the freedom of speech and the press. I have no hesitancy in saying that the freedom of both are as fully guaranteed to the citizens of this as of any other State in the Union, to discuss any question in its bearings upon any political acts of those intrusted with either the making or execution of the laws; but this does not authorize the use of the press either, and leaves the speaker or publisher liable for any penalty prescribed by law for such abuse. It is admitted that the publications are libelous, and that under the laws of this State would subject the petitioner to indictment, and if found guilty, to punishment by fine and imprisonment; but it is insisted that this conviction can only be had by a jury, and the judgment pronounced by a proper Judge in the constituted courts and laws of the State, but we have seen that none such exists, except those equally subject to the control of the military power in the State, and under the act it is left with him to choose the tribunal.

I am therefore constrained to come to the conclusion that the offence is one upon which he is subject to arrest and trial before the military tribunal. This is an offence against the public peace, one of those subjects which the Commander is enjoined to preserve.

Any conservator of the peace for the public safety is authorized to interpose to prevent the commission of a crime, may arrest the party. No one, however, can question the right of the military power to enforce the laws, and the law must be in force before the act is committed. I take it that the military power has the right to exist at least those in force before the attempted act of secession, are still the laws of the State, and that the offence is against

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Country produce will be received at the highest market price in payment of subscriptions or advertisements due this office.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. Mr. Bozeman, of Lexington, Miss., will preach in the Baptist Church, this (Wednesday) evening at 7 o'clock.

INCENDIARISM.—We regret to learn that the Meridian Brewery, located on the outskirts of this city, was destroyed by fire on yesterday morning. From all the evidences it is reduced to almost a certainty that it was the work of an incendiary. All the buildings were consumed, involving a loss of about $5,000.

PAYNE'S SALOON.—We are under obligations to our friend Payne for a specimen of his finest Havanna cigars, chewing tobacco, old Bourbon Whiskey and imported French Brandy, ever brought to this market. Mr. Payne has long borne the reputation of keeping the first brands of such articles, and has done more than any one man in our midst toward building up a first-class saloon. Perfection is an art greatly admired by him, and in order to carry it out he deals exclusively in the genuine. It is unnecessary for us to say that Mr. Payne has a large lot on hand of which we have only had a sample, and if you ever have occasion to call on the quantity or quality, just give him a call.

BANK NOTICE.—By reference to our advertising columns will be found a notice from C. H. Williams, President Meridian Savings Institution, which will be read with interest by all. We look upon this institution as one of the first in importance in our midst, and it would not be saying too much if we expressed our belief that it is one of our best investments now offered capitalists. Mr. Williams deserves great credit for the energy displayed in planting such an institution in our midst.

On the 1st of December, we understand a winter schedule will go into effect on the Mobile and Ohio railroad. Trains will pass here about 12 and 2 o'clock at night. A slight alteration will probably be made in the schedule of the Vicksburg and Meridian railroad about the same time.

SHARP NOTICE.—In this morning's paper will be found two advertisements from the shaving fraternity—one from Dred Finley, who has removed his stand to Johnson Avenue, and one from William Wilson who still continues to shave and hair the public at his old stand in the basement of the Jones House.

The Tupelo North Mississippian has been enlarged and otherwise improved.—Mr. R. J. Smith the enterprising publisher deserves a liberal support from Lee and the adjoining counties.

RETURNED.—Major Thos. H. Norton, our popular Post Commander, who went West a few weeks ago on a "sick furlough" returned Sunday morning improved in health.

On Saturday the third grand drawing of the Mississippi and Society takes place at Vicksburg. Chadwick, on Front street, is the Agent, and will accommodate those wishing to invest with certificates.

We learn by a private letter from Okolona, that a negro has been arrested as the guilty party who assassinated Mr. Ralls near that place last week. It appears that Mr. Ralls had a difficulty with this negro the day before his murder, and that the assassination was to have taken place on that day.

A Democratic Legislature is reported as a certainty in Louisiana, the election on Monday, between two Republicans. As yet we have not heard the cause of the result.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Robert Love, son of Judge Love, of Kemper county, while attempting to break a young horse to the saddle, was thrown off, and his head hanging in the stirrup, was dragged by the horse the whole distance of the road. His body was terribly mangled when found. He died shortly after reaching home.

Agricultural Meeting.

AT MERIDIAN, SATURDAY, DEC. 7th.

We have been solicited to call a meeting of the citizens, farmers and mechanics, of Lauderdale county, to convene at Meridian on Saturday, December 7th, for the purpose of taking into consideration the momentous question of labor. Having realized the importance of this meeting heretofore, we shall now proceed to a practical effort of having the matter brought before the people in order that something may be done for the advancement of the planting and mechanical interests.

We take pleasure in stating that Prof. Thos. S. Guthright, of the Summerville Institute, will be present on the occasion and deliver a lecture on the important subjects. If the people will aid us in securing a large attendance, and manifest an interest in the matter as we know they all feel an interest, much good may result therefrom.

Remember the day and come out, and bring your friends. Times are too hard for a barbecue, but perhaps the meeting may insure one next summer.

MAYOR'S COURT.—Tuesday morning.—Two cases before his honor this morning.

Wm. Booker Preston, freedman, charged with assaulting his wife with a knife. Booker thought he had a right to rule his family, &c., but his honor did not approve of the boot style, being satisfied that the wife got the *boot* in that case fined him $10.

The case of Daniel Scott, freedman, charged with having stolen clothes in his possession to the value of $60. Daniel said he got them from some other parties who were not here. But the evidence had a tendency to show that there is perhaps a little squad of Daniel's stripe not far from here. We hope our police will have them all gathered up by the time Circuit Court comes on. Daniel was held over for his appearance before that honorable body at its next term.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Commissioner Wells' report shows when cotton was taxed three cents, the price was forty cents; when taxed two and a half cents, the price was twenty-five cents. Cotton tax was called for, and only defended on the ground of necessity; and to be repealed when the continuance should prove a serious impediment to home production or undesirable stimulus to foreign production. These contingences are now imminent, the value of competing cotton has been increased by the improvements made for working it and more care in handling, and improved seed yielding better stapled cotton. Therefore it would be proper to tax cotton formerly bore in relation of one-half to two-thirds, it now bears the relation of two-thirds to three-quarters the value of American, while a portion of the crop is fully equal to Middling Uplands for heavy fabrics. Despite the data showing that the present tax is equal to a premium or at least fifty per cent on India cotton. In some authorities, it is alleged to be even greater.

After quoting statistics of former years the report proceeds:

In considering the subject of the production of cotton in the United States, with reference to the influence of the tax, it is desirable to take a large rather than a small estimate of the crop, because if we assume, therefore, the product of the year to be 2,750,000 bales of 400 pounds each.—If from this we deduct one million bales for home consumption, and for an addition to the small domestic stock to be carried over, we have one million seven hundred and fifty thousand bales available for export, or two millions if the crop should prove to be three thousand bales, estimated at four hundred pounds each. If, now, other countries shall produce as much cotton as in 1860, and there is no evidence as yet, of approachable decrease in the quantities from other countries than the United States, estimated in bales of four hundred pounds each, 2,485,000 bales, making a total available cotton supply to Europe of 4,610,000 bales. Such a supply will be equal to that of the year 1860, when there was undoubtedly a surplus. But of this quantity the United States will now furnish less than forty-seven per cent, instead of eighty-five per cent. In the year referred to. In short, under the stimulus of high prices, the world has produced more cotton than it can consume at the prices of the day.

To cheapen prices may greatly extend the consumption after recovery from the first shock of so great a change; but in the fall of prices there is no limit to disaster, resting upon the higher prices which invited its outlay, is to a very great extent, and for the time lost. Even if the American crop was in its supremacy, the average price of Surat cotton in Liverpool for the twenty years from 1841 to 1860 ranged from 7d. to 12d. per pound.—When it was 3d. in 1845, the import to Great Britain was only 1,250,000 bales.—When it was 12d., in 1857, the import was 3,000,000 bales. Thus, it appears that the price regulated the quantity imported, and neither the import to Europe nor the export from India was any measure of the production of that mysterious country, though its export, in annual average, had been only about 500,000 bales, and much of that to China.

When the American war made its sudden call for cotton in 1861 and '62, it contributed more than 1,000,000 bales that season. There is no evidence that there was any larger or more successful planting that year than previous, only that prices called it out and the stock left for consumption was so much the less, doubtless in the succeeding years. Cotton planting in India was increased, as elsewhere, but the stimulus was of wonderful and most effective prices to the producers and forwarders.

It is, however, safe to presume that there has always, at least in modern days, been a latent capacity in the country to produce upon the market an extra and perhaps unexpected half million of bales of cotton in any year when the price should offer sufficiently large profits, and an equal capacity to consume at home the whole production when at so low prices that the cost of delivering it to Europe or China. Since the completion of many hundred miles of railway in India, that power of adding promptly to the world's supply of cotton has been greatly increased. It therefore becomes evident that low prices for cotton must be anticipated for a considerable period, during which the consumption will increase to 3,000,000 bales, and the Committee believe that the United States will not again supply of far the largest part of the world's consumption of cotton, as it has done in the past. In America we have the means of producing cotton at a low price, and the Committee believe that the tax should be repealed.

The remainder of the report of this committee, not heretofore made public, is as follows: Having carefully observed what has been done and left undone by other nations, the Committee present the following conclusions:

1st. That cotton growing in the Southern States, if untaxed, can be conducted profitably and successfully as against all competition elsewhere.

2d. That, if burdened by a tax sufficient to pay the interest on the debt, and for its collection, it cannot, at present, if ever, be successfully prosecuted.

3d. That it is peculiar to our people in all its details, it is the only industry immediately available and practicable to the great body of the laboring population of the South for the profitable employment of surplus labor, that is, beyond the necessities of crops for subsistence, in the production of something saleable and exchangeable, whereby wealth can be replaced; and

4th. That the importance of a large production of cotton as the chief export of the country, in adjusting balances of trade and exchanges, and especially in its bearing upon the future position of the public debt so largely held and to be held abroad, cannot well be overstated, and so far transcends the value of any single tax that to preserve the latter at the cost of losing the former, would be "a penny worth of wisdom to a pound of folly." The whole amount of internal revenue derived from the tax on raw cotton for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1867, was $24,769,078 80, and although this sum comprises nearly all the revenue derived from the South, on section of the country, and constitutes an amount that can ill be spared from the Treasury, yet, respectfully but earnestly does the Commissioner, has no hesitation in recommending the immediate passage by Congress of an act repealing the entire cotton tax upon raw cotton, and the corresponding existing duty on imported cotton: in the same to take effect from the 1st proximo.

As yet, but a small quantity of the new crop of cotton has been marketed, but, if the repealing act be delayed to a later period, it will evidently work injustice to those producers, who may be forced to send their crops forward, in advance of the less the removal of the tax should be deferred, to take effect at the close of the present cotton year, Sept. 1st, 1868. If a repeal of the tax, to take effect immediately, should be enacted by Congress, it is important that one contingency should be effectually provided against; contracts, it is understood, are now pending, and some already made, for the purchase of cotton. tax unpaid, to be held in store until the repealing legislation of Congress has taken effect, thus insuring to the speculator, or exporting buyer, a gain equivalent to the amount of the tax. It seems desirable, therefore, that the act of repeal should be so worded as to relieve from the payment of the tax only such cotton, as, at the date named in the act, remained unsold by the producer; all cotton having passed into the hands of the producer to pay the tax, if it has not already done so. Only by this way can the relief, which it is intended, viz: to the impoverished cultivator.

It may be interesting, in this connection to mention that the Committee of the Commissioners of the Paris Exposition, assisted by H. F. Peters, Esq., of Boston, have collected, and caused to be suitably arranged, a series of samples of cotton from nearly all the cotton growing districts of the world, which collection they proffer to the government with the suggestion that it be placed, for public view and reference, in one of the public offices at Washington, in which suggestion the Special Commissioner fully concurs.

I am, sir, yours, most respectfully,

DAVID A. WELLS,
Special Commissioner of the Revenue.

The following is Kelly's resolution:

Resolved, That the welfare, faith and credit of the Government require the speedy repeal of the tax imposed by existing laws on cotton and the productions of mercantile and manufacturing industry.

It is said that the wool interests will approve the repeal of the tax.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—The feeling regarding impeachment is feverish.

The Election Committee will not report on the Kentucky delegation before the first impeachment committee reports, when, unless the interests of the impeachers require the exclusion of Mr. Wickliffe, (Democrat) Maj. Young, from McKee's District, they will doubtless be admitted.

RICHMOND, Nov. 2.—Gen. Davis' trial commences on Monday 11 o'clock. At that hour he will plead to the indictment of the U. S. Circuit, and it is believed he will be bailed from day to day on his own recognizance. About 150 witnesses summoned for the Government, including James A. Seddon, late Confederate Secretary of War, and Gen. Jos. E. Johnston.—It is stated that Mr. Davis will be tried on a new indictment, to be made by the Grand Jury here.

Chief Justice Chase and Judge Underwood will arrive here on Monday morning.

Chandler and Evarts, of the prosecution, and O'Connor and Shea, of the defence, will arrive here Saturday morning.

Mr. Davis spent nearly all of to-day with his counsel.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 23.—The Republican this morning has an editorial headed, "who is responsible?" It declares the wholesale removals by General Mower on orders from Washington, in which the following names appear: "The day is fast coming when the loyal people of Louisiana will hold the authors of this interference with the civil government of this State to account. The war of the rebellion is over, yet the States of the South are not yet reconstructed. The Grand Army of the loyal public, double in number to the old Grand Army of the Potomac, tried soldiers with muskets in their hands, still love their old professions and cherish the old muskets they carried so bravely on many a well-fought field.—The lowly and humble will know their rights and know how to fight, and needs be, to die for them. All power, next to that of the Almighty God, can crush the loyal people in the end from achieving their own liberty, and trampling Congress, as well as miserable of the old and still dominant slave power."

The same article calls ANDREW Johnson "that arch traitor and assassin".

The convention met at noon to-day, and elected negroes as temporary Chairman and Secretary. There was no permanent organization, arrived at, and the convention adjourned till Monday. 44 negroes and 25 whites present.

In the caucus Judge Taliaferro seemed to be the choice for permanent Chairman but it is probable that the negro members will elect one of their own color.

It is understood that it was resolved in caucus last night that the first step of the Convention would be to declare all State offices vacant, and fill them with appointees acceptable to the Radical party.

The recent appointments will be filled with one or two exceptions, do not satisfy the members of the Convention.

Mr. Avery, Radical, has ousted Sheriff Is in quiet possession of his office. He this morning swore in most of the old deputies.

The strongest efforts will be made to defeat the Convention.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 22.—Bavaria and the Pope have acceded to a conference, which meets at Munich on the 11th. Italy and Wurtemburg have declined.

MANCHESTER, Nov. 22.—Allen, Larkin and Gault were hung to-day. All quiet.

NOTICE.

Real estate owners are hereby notified that the assessment roll for 1868 is completed and ready for inspection at the office of the undersigned. All persons desiring to appeal will do so during the month of December, 1867.

R. L. HENDERSON,
Assessor and Collector.
Nov. 1, 1867. 1w1m

Wake of Stamps.

CONSTITUTIONAL WEAKNESS.—EFFECT OF HOSTETTER'S BITTERS IN CASES OF GENERAL DEBILITY.

Nature is not impartial. On some of its she has bestowed stalwart frames, strong constitutions, iron nerves; on others, but little physical power, or constitutional stamina, or nervous vigor. Let the feeble take heart, however. If they cannot become Samsons, they can, by the use of proper means, make up in a measure for the deficiency of nature, and may perchance live as long and enjoy life as much as their more Herculean neighbors. Delicate machines under proper care sometimes outlasts those of a more solid and ponderous structure. A fine watch will run longer than a steam engine of a thousand horse-power. The first object of the weak and fragile is, or should be, to acquire additional strength if possible. *It is possible.* It may be stated as a proved and established fact, that science has given to the world, in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a vegetable invigorant, which permanently braces up and smelting the whole physique, whether the lack of strength and stamina be an inherent defect or the result of extraneous causes.

If general debility is not a disease, it is something worse, viz: a condition which predisposes the body to succumb to all influences that produce disease. We are continually surrounded and beset, more or less, by infecting elements. Neither the purest air or the purest water is perfectly free from them, and in regions where both are absolutely poisonous, how shall the weakly constitution and frail system resist their deadly effects unless fortified by artificial means? If the BITTERS are the re-enforcing, vitalizing, sustaining preparation they are believed to be—and on this point the testimony in their favor is overwhelming and incontrovertible—then it is absolutely *gratuitous* for any one or woman, suffering from physical weakness, not to resort to so potent a remedy. With this specific in prevailing, or in prospect, the best safeguards are a perfect digestion, firm nerves, and a wise employment of the means which science has placed at the disposal of the public as antidotes against atmospheric influences. The great latter Hostetter's Bitters deservedly enjoy the highest reputation throughout the Western World.

☞ Remember that physical vigor is the best defense against disease, and that it may be increased to an extraordinary degree by the use of this celebrated tonic.

BOWEL COMPLAINTS, COLIC, DIARRHŒA, DYSENTERY, CHOLERA MORBUS, AND CONSTIPATION.—Billious Colic is a disorder characterized by such Paroxisms as all who suffer from pain. The torture extends over the whole abdomen, and a strong man will sometimes writhe in agony from the pain. The Bitters are useful to relieve the paroxysms, but it is as a sure means of preventing a recurrence of the attack they are particularly recommended. Tone the liver and the bowels with this gentle stimulant and corrective, and a cure will never be troubled with the agonizing and dangerous complaint known as Billious Colic.

The symptoms of Chronic Dyspepsia are frequent discharges generally, with some pain and griping; restlessness, thirst, poor appetite, debility, loss of flesh, dry, rough, and somewhat sallow skin, the tongue dry and heavily loaded. The food often passes through the bowels nearly in the condition in which it was swallowed, thus showing that the digestive fluids have not been generated in sufficient quantity, or that it has not the solvent properties necessary to decompose the nutritious food. The liver is generally out of order, and the bowels afflicted with a low grade of inflammation.

Under these circumstances a medicine slightly aperient, as well as tonic and antibillious, is absolutely required; and such a medicine is Hostetter's Bitters.

Let it be borne in mind, however, that chronic diarrhœa, as well as the acute form of the disease which leads to it, may always be avoided by keeping up the tone and energy of the mucous membrane of the intestines with this salutary and harmless invigorant. It is a great thing to regulate the irregularity of digestive function, but it is still better to exclude the necessity for restoration by preventive measures.

All sluggards require to be stimulated; and yet, strange to say, the sluggish bowels are often subjected to a treatment which in the end increases their torpidity, and renders a complaint, easily cured in the beginning, chronic and incurable. Let the constipated beware of drastic pills and of all such nostrums. In Hostetter's Bitters the sufferer has this important desideratum. A course of this genial corrective will invariably cure every form of constipation, and remove the headache, dizziness, feverishness, nausea, muddy-mindedness, by which it usually accompanied. Some persons who are by constitution of a constipated habit may overcome the difficulty by the exercise of regularity by using the Bitters daily in conformity with the directions.

THE TENDER MOST IMPORTANT PERIODS OF LIFE.—Physicians divide life into five distinct periods, the first extending from birth to the age of seven years, the second from the seventh to the fourteenth year, the third from the fourteenth to the twenty-first year, the fourth from the twenty-first to the fortieth year, the fifth from the fortieth to the close of life's strangely eventful history." Shakspeare divides life into "seven ages;" but five is the number in the progress of life.

In what is called the "third period" the important changes occur which mark and constitute sex. This is the stage of development, when the frame, in acquiring form, proportion, and strength, makes extraordinary demands upon the vital and constitutional resources. The weaker sex suffers most during this period. Whatever that sex ought to be in full vigor, also has its special difficulties. It is during this stage that the female is subject to most of the harrassing ailments peculiar to her organization. So numerous and distressing are these ailments, that the experience with which they are borne, while it excites the wonder, demands the earnest sympathy of the world. Indeed, the whole style themselves *par excellence* the 'lords of creation." In gratitude. If man be such, what the "lords" are. by no means equal to the "ladies."

The latter is important to know that in the troubles which precede and follow maturity, the Bitters are excellent, and may be used with perfect safety. They will be found a capital means of sustaining the female physique under the heavy demands upon it at the most distressing and perilous periods of married life.

The fifth stage is that in which all the powers and parts of the frame gradually bende under the weight of years. During this period, too, women suffer much more than men from nervous irritability, a condition which divides maturity from the decline of life, they have to encounter more difficulties and many causes of discomfort of when he crossed the Rubicon. Depression and gloom, hovering on hypochondria, irritable temper, physical disturbances, are among the pains and penalties they are compelled to endure. To the female as well as at first crisis of their lives. As a resulting and judicious use of this genial corrective will be found to be of the greatest service to them in the decline of life.

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Nov. 1, 1867. 1y1m

NOTICE TO MOTHERS.

DR. SEABROOK'S

Infant Soothing Syrup.

We have, by purchase of the original receipt, become Sole Proprietors of this Celebrated Medicine. We ask you to give it a trial, with all assurance that you will in future, discard all those nauseous and destructive stuffs, such as Batemen's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, Dewar's Mixture, &c., combinations of a past and antiprogressive age, when it was thought that the more disgusting the mixture the better the medicine

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SUMMER COMPLAINT, IRREGULARITY OF THE BOWELS, RESTLESSNESS, TEETHING, &c.

Gives health to the child and rest to the mother.

We could furnish any quantity of certificates, bearing evidence of its superior qualities, but prefer that our medicine should stand on its own merits, which it will do upon trial.

JAMES RU. BLE & CO.,
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PURIFY YOUR BLOOD.

HURLEY'S SARSAPARILLA.

Of all the remedies that have been discovered during the present age for the thousand ills that flesh is heir to, none equal this wonderful preparation. Only ten years have elapsed since the discoverer—who spent a decade in studying experiments, and perfecting it—first introduced it to the public, and it is already recognized by the most eminent physicians in all parts of the country to be the most surprising and effective remedy, for certain diseases, of which they have knowledge.

All other compounds or syrups of this rest have hitherto failed to command the sanction of the faculty, because, on being tested, they have been found to contain noxious ingredients, which neutralize the good effects of this Sarsaparilla, and oftentimes impair the health of the patient. It is not so with Hurley's preparation. This is pure and genuine extract of the root, and will, on trial, be found to effect a certain and perfect cure of the following complaints and diseases:

Affections of the Bones, Habitual Costiveness, Debility, Diseases of the Kidneys, Dropsy, Erysipelas, Female Complaints, Fistula, all Skin Diseases, Liver, Complaint, indigestion, Piles, Pulmonary Diseases, Syphilis, Scrofula or King's Evil.

Hurley's Ague Tonic,

PERFECTLY RELIABLE.

The only remedy for Chills and Fever or Ague and Fever that is not a Quack Nostrum, is Hurley's Ague Tonic. There have been then sold cured by using it who had tried the usual remedies without benefit, but to no such case

Hurley's Ague Tonic

failed to effect a cure. All who have used it cheerfully tell their afflicted friends of it as a sure and certain cure for chills and fever. And one self-ring from the chills will consult their best interest by resorting to the drug store and procuring a bottle. It is pleasant to take compared with others, and will be certain to cure all cases of fever and ague or chills and fever. Send for it to the proprietors.

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Use James Ruddle & Co's Extract of Jamaica Ginger for all summer complaints, Cholera Infantum, Indigestion, &c. This is the pure Ginger and can be relied on.

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These well known inks used only be used in the Banks and Counting Houses of the country.

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TESTIMONY OF MEDICAL MEN.

Sidney Point, White Co., Ark., May 23 '66.

DR. 'OHN BULL—Dear Sir: Last February I was in Louisville purchasing drugs, and I got some of your Sarsaparilla and Cedron Bitters.

My son-in-law, who was with me in the store, has been down with rheumatism for some time, commenced on the Bitters, and soon found his general health improved.

Dr. Gist, who has been in bad health, tried them, and he also improved.

Dr. Coffee, who has been in bad health for several years—stomach and liver affected—he improved very much by the use of your Bitters. Indeed these Bitters have given you great popularity in this settlement. I think I could sell a great quantity of your medicines this fall—especially of your Cedron Bitters and Sarsaparilla. Ship me via Memphis, care of Rickett & Neely.

Respectfully,
C. B. WALKER.

BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

TO MY UNITED STATES AND WORLD-WIDE READERS.

I have received many testimonials from professional and medical men, as my almanacs and various publications have shown, all of which are good. The following letter from a highly educated and popular physician in Georgia, is certainly one of the most sensible communications I have received. Dr. Chester knows exactly what he speaks of, and his testimony deserves to be written in letters of gold. Read what the Doctor says of BULL'S WORM DESTROYER.

WILLAMOW, Walker County, Ga., }
June 29, 1866. }

Dr. John Bull—Dear Sir: I have recently given your "Worm Destroyer" several trials, and find it wonderfully efficacious. It has not failed in a single instance to have the wished for effect. I am doing a pretty large country practice, and have done so for some years of the kind. I am free to confess that I know of no remedy recommended by the school authors that acts so certain and speedy in the effects on the contrary they are uncertain in the extreme. My object in writing you is to find out upon what terms I can get the medicine directly from you. If I can get it upon reasonable terms I shall order a deal of it. I am aware that the use of such articles is contrary to the teachings and practice of a great majority of the regular fold of M. D.'s, but I see no just cause or good sense in discard ing a remedy which we know to be useful, simply because we may be ignorant of its combination. For my part, I shall make it a rule to use all and any means to alleviate suffering humanity when I may be able to command—not hesitating because some one more ingenious than myself may have learned its effects first, and secured the ipsie right to secure that knowledge. However, I am by no means an advocate or supporter of the thousands of worthless nostrums that flood the country, that purport to cure all manner of disease to which human flesh is heir. Please reply soon, and inform me of your best terms.

I am, sir, most re pectfully,
JULIUS P. CLEMENT, M. D.

BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

A GOOD REASON FOR THE CAPTAIN'S FAITH

Read the Captain's Letter and the Letter from his Mother.

BOSTON BARRACKS, Mo., April 30, 1866.

DR. JOHN BULL—Dear Sir: Knowing the efficiency of your Sarsaparilla, and the benefit and good it has done me, I send you this testimonial of my case.

I was so ended about two years ago—was taken prisoner and confined for fifteen months. During my mo ed so often my wounds have not healed yet. I have at present about eight, and they are wounded. I am shot through the hips. My general health is impaired, and I need something to assist nature. I am filled with faith in your Sarsaparilla that in any thing else. I will that that is genuine. Please express me a dozen bottles, and oblige

Capt. C. P. JOHNSON,
St. Louis, Mo.

P. S.—The following was written April 5th, by my Mrs. Jennie Johnson, mother of Capt. Johnson.

Dr. Bull—Dear Sir: My husband, Dr. C. S. Johnson, was a skilful surgeon and physician in Central New York, where he died, leaving the above Dr. Johnson as my son. As a letters of age he had a chronic diarrhea and scrofula, for which I gave your Sarsaparilla, and cured him. I have for ten years recommended it to many in New York, Ohio, and Iowa, in scrofula, fever sores, and general debility. Perfect success has attended it. The cures effected in me is fearful of getting a spurious article, herein writing in you for it. His wounds were terrible, but I believe he will recover.

Respectfully,
JENNIE JOHNSON.

DR. JOHN BULL,

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FOR THE CURE OF

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CHILLS & FEVER.

The proprietor of this celebrated medicine justly claims for it a superiority over all remedies ever before offered for the cure of the above diseases, speedy, and permanent cure of Ague and Fever, or Chills and Fever, whether of short or long standing. He refers to the entire Western and South western country to bear him testimony to the truth of the assertion, and those who have never will it fail to cure, if the directions are strictly followed as given. In a great many cases a single dose has been sufficient for a cure, and while families have been cured by a single bottle, a remarkable, speedy restoration of general health. It is, however, prudent, and in most cases necessary, that the bowels be regulated in another dose or two, a few or two after the disease has been checked, more especially in those cases of long standing. In all cases the directions should be strictly adhered to, as the bowels in cold weather, are very apt to be torpid, requiring a gentle medicine to keep them in healthy action. Prepared and sold by the proprietor

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HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS AND HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC.

The Great Remedies for all Diseases of the

LIVER, STOMACH, OR DIGESTIVE ORGANS.

Hoofland's German Bitters.

Is composed of the pure juices (or, as they are medicinally termed *Extracts*) of Roots, Herbs and Barks, making a preparation, highly concentrated, and entirely free from alcoholic admixture of any kind.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC,

Is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with the purest quality of Santa Cruz Rum, Orange, &c., making one of the most pleasant and agreeable remedies ever offered to the public.

Those preferring a Medicine free from Alcoholic admixture will use

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.

Those who have no objection to the combination of the Bitters, as stated, will use

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They are both equally good, and contain the same medicinal virtues, the choice between the two being a mere matter of taste, the tonic being the most palatable.

The stomach from a variety of causes, such as Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, &c., is very apt to have its functions deranged. The consequence is, that the whole system sympathizes with the Stomach, and when becomes affected, the result of which is that the patient suffers from several or more of the following diseases:

Constipation, Flatulence,
Inward Piles, Fullness of Blood
to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach,
Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fulness or weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choaking or Suffocating Sensations when in a lying posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imagining of Evil, and Great Depression of Spirits.

The sufferer from these diseases should exercise the greatest caution in the selection of a remedy for his case, purchasing only that which he knows from reliable testimony is assured from his investigations and inquiries possesses the virtues of a purely compounded, and is free from injurious ingredients, and has established a reputation for itself which will insure the cure of the disease. In this connection we would submit those well known remedies—

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,

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Prepared by Dr. C. M. JACKSON,
At the German Medicine Store, Philadelphia, Pa.

Twenty-two years since they were first introduced into this country from Germany, during which time they have undoubtedly performed more cures, and benefitted suffering humanity to a greater extent, than any other remedies known to the public.

These remedies will effectually cure Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Diseases, Chronic Diarrhœa, Disease of the Kidneys, and all Diseases arising from a Disordered Liver, Stomach, or Intestines.

DEBILITY,

Resulting from any cause whatever; PROSTRATION, Nervous Debility, Premature Decline, Loss of Manhood, Exposure, Errors, &c.

There is no invigorant that is equal to these remedies in such cases. A tone and vigor is imparted to the whole system, the appetite is strengthened, food is enjoyed, the stomach digests promptly, the blood is purified, the complexion becomes sound and healthy, the yellow tinge is eradicated from the eyes, the skin, the blood from the cheeks, and the weak and nervous invalid becomes a strong and healthy being.

PERSONS ADVANCED IN LIFE,

And feeling the hand of time weighing heavily upon them, with all the infirmities it, will find in the use of this Bitters, or the Tonic, an elixir that will instil new life into their veins, restore in a measure the energy and ardor of more youthful days, build up their shrunken forms, and give health and happiness to their remaining years.

NOTICE.

It is a well-established fact that fully one-half of the female portion of our population are seldom in the enjoyment good health; or, to use their own expression, "never well." Hence they are hangnid, devoid of all energy, extremely nervous, and have no appetite.

To this class of persons the Bitters, or the Tonic, are especially recommended.

WEAK AND DELICATE CHILDREN

Are made strong by the use of either of these remedies. They will cure every case of MARASMUS, or Wasting Away.

Thousands of certificates have accumulated in the hands of the proprietor, but space will allow of the publication of but a few. The following are selected, are men of note and of such standing that they must be believed.

TESTIMONIALS.

Hon. GEO. W. WOODWARD, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pa.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1867.

"I find Hoofland's German Bitters a good tonic, useful in cases of depressive organs and of debility, and want of nervous action in the system.

Yours, truly.
GEO. W. WOODWARD.

Hon. JAS. THOMPSON, Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1866.

"I consider Hoofland's German Bitters a valuable medicine in cases of Debility, Indigestion or Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my experience of it. Yours, with respect,

JAMES THOMPSON."

From Rev. JOSEPH H. KENNARD, D. D., Pastor of Arch Street Church, Philadelphia.

Dr. Jackson—Dear Sir: I have been frequently requested to express my opinion of the preparations of discount kinds of medicines, but regarding the profession as appropriate only within its sphere, I have in all cases declined; but in the case of Hoofland's German Bitters, particularly in cases arising from nervous debility, or where from my usual course, to express my full conviction that, for general debility, they are unsurpassed. Also, in Liver Complaint it is a safe and valuable preparation. In cases of Dyspepsia, where it may fail to relieve, it will be very beneficial to those who suffer from the above cause.

Yours, very respectfully,
J. H. KENNARD,
Eighth, below Coates St.

From Rev. R. D. FENDALL, Assistant Editor of the Christian Chronicle.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1867.

I have derived decided benefit from the use of Hoofland's German Bitters, and feel it my privilege to recommend them as a most excellent tonic, to all who are suffering from general debility or from diseases arising from derangement of the digestive organs.

Yours truly,
R. D. FENDALL.

CAUTION.

Hoofland's German Bitters are counterfeited, and the name of Dr. JACKSON is also forged to certificates. All others are worthless imitations. The genuine has the signature of C. M. JACKSON in the directions around each bottle. Also, the name of the proprietor, C. M. JACKSON, stamped on the bottle.

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Just arrived and arriving from
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☞ Call early and get Bargains. ☜
Cotton bought at market prices.
BARTER for Dry Hides, Wool, Beeswax, Furs, Butter, Corn, Shingles, &c.
Remember the two store White Store "on top of the hill" and on Front Row next to Terwilliger Gallery. JNO. T. BALL.
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JOHN M. GOLDIN
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.
Respectfully announces to the public that he is prepared to make and repair Boilers, and repair mills and all kinds of machinery. He has had an experience of many years both in making and repairing machinery, and hopes to receive a liberal patronage from the public. nov4sawly

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NEW DRUGS.
THOS. D. REID & CO.,
Druggists and Apothecaries.
Have removed to the Two-Story Threefoot Building, on Lee Street, opposite the Gaines House, and next door to the store of Kahn, Wolff & Aaron, Meridian, Miss.
They have on hand a choice selection of Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Fine Liquors for medicinal purposes, &c. &c. Just received a large supply of Smith's Tonic, a celebrated remedy for Chills and Fever.
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Prescriptions compounded at all hours and of the purest medicines. nov4wlf

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Which they will sell as low as they can afford A new rule they have and to be understood: That none but cash and customers, friends and the public generally to call, and if they consult their own interest they will be sure to buy. may5sawly

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Your Insurance.
E. V. EARLY, General Insurance Agent, Meridian, represents the best fire insurance companies in the United States. Call and have your houses insured, as winter is approaching and dangers increasing. sept18wly

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Bricklayers,
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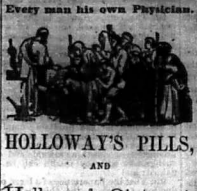
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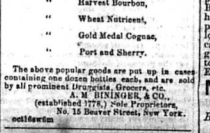
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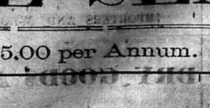

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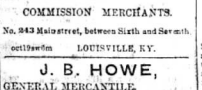

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Agricultural.

We have received the "Monthly Report of the Department of Agriculture for October, 1867," from which we select the following interesting facts:

WHEAT.—The total product of wheat will exceed that of any harvest hitherto gathered in this country; 40 or 50 millions bushels above that of last year. The entire crop will be from 220 to 225 millions. Texas and Kansas are below last year; in Texas there is a reduction of fully one-half. The Southern States show a material enlargement in the area of wheat, from an evident intention to become more nearly self-supporting and independent than formerly. This is particularly noticeable in Virginia, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee and Arkansas. The great decline in Texas results from several causes, one of which is the neglected and weedy condition of lands which formerly yielded good crops. The quality of the wheat is much superior to that of last year, but in some localities it is deficient in weight.

OATS.—The yield of oats has proved less than was expected in Maine, Vermont, New York, Virginia, Mississippi, Texas, Tennessee and Kentucky; in Michigan no increase over last year is reported but most of the Western States have made a comparative gain. As in the case of corn and wheat, the majority of the Southern States added to their area in oats, have a larger product.

RYE.—This grain is made a very uniform growth and yielded an average product, with few exceptions. The crop of all the States is a larger total product than last year, and the quality is uniform in most of the States. Those which show a slight depression are Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode Island, Delaware, Virginia, Tennessee and Nebraska. In the Southern States the crop is generally good.

BEANS AND PEAS.—The pea crop is one of some importance in the South, costing little for labor, and furnishing valuable food for fattening domestic animals, particularly hogs. It is gratifying to observe that this interest has not been forgotten. In Georgia an increase of 35 per cent is reported. In Alabama, 20 per cent., and in South Carolina, 8 per cent. Texas, Tennessee and Maryland report an average. A slight deficiency is indicated in Mississippi, 20 per cent. in Louisiana, 25 in Florida.

CORN.—Droughts in the parts of the West has reduced the aggregate yield. The Southern States have made a comparatively heavy increase. The quality is uniform good, leaving no doubt that the value of the entire crop, after deducting the deficiency in the Ohio Valley, and allowing for an increase in almost all the other States, will be near, not only in cash but in the intrinsic life-sustaining and pork-producing power, than that of last year. As the deficiency occurs in the center of the commercial pork-packing district, it will affect unduly the market, both for pork and corn, making the scarcity more prominent, while the comparative abundance of the South will greatly reduce the demand upon the West.

SORGHUM.—The sorghum interest has greatly declined. Frosts have injured the crop in many places, the average is much reduced, and despondency is evident in the feelings of many growers.

BARLEY.—Crop slightly deficient.

BUCKWHEAT.—Below the yield of last year.

POTATOES.—A poor crop.

TOBACCO.—A decline in the tobacco product is indicated in the principal tobacco-growing sections.

SUGAR.—Louisiana, the only State producing cane sugar to any extent, reports an increase of 20 per cent. over the small yield of last year.

COTTON.—Complete estimates will be made on the receipt of the November returns. The returns of October indicate a considerable increase in South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama; about the same yield as last year in Mississippi, Arkansas and Tennessee, and diminution in Texas and Louisiana. All estimates below 2,000,000 bales of 400 pounds are decidedly fallacious, while present indications favor an approximation to 2,500000, bales.

LABOR.—The following extract from the New Orleans Picayune, contains the pith and germ of the labor question:

"PROCURING" WHITE LABOR.—We are opposed to this. We want white men induced to come here to cultivate farms of their own. We want white men here to go to work themselves and not "procure" labor. The system of mercantile farming which has so long cursed the South, and bred debt and illiteracy, must cease or our decay will become ruin. It may answer to work out one lands, but it will never build up a State.

One of the "Astor children" died lately in Paris. They were traveling as the title show of a circus.

From the New York Tribune. Advice to the Negroes in Virginia.

The Republican party of Virginia ought seriously to reflect whether their own ultimate interests and good policy, as well as sound statesmanship, do not require them, in framing their constitution, to exclude few or no rebels from the ballot-box.

Conceding that this would endanger or defeat the success of the Republican party in the earlier elections to be held after the constitution shall be adopted, such a danger would be more than counted by the greater probability that the constitution itself would be adopted. Moreover, the ex-rebels of Virginia are holding aloof under the pretended fear, but real hope, that the convention will be guilty of the grossest excesses and most despotic distinctions against the ex-rebels. Retaliation, confiscation, exclusion of rebels from office, are plainly set as the bugbears to deter whites from voting the Radical ticket. Let the convention, let the Republican leaders of Virginia adopt the policy of making suffrage and the right to hold office as nearly universal as possible—the nearer the better. Such a policy will give them hosts of votes for the adoption of the Constitution among those who at the last election were arrayed against it. All the convention must trust the whole people of Virginia, and the whole people of Virginia will ratify its work. Such a magnanimity in the so-called "Negro Convention" will contrast with the rebellious bigotry, narrowness and exclusiveness of the Conservative party. And this contrast will aid the cause of negro suffrage at the North, throughout the South, and in Congress, more than volumes of argument. It will show that the blacks can use what little power is given them in Virginia more magnanimously than the whites have ever done.

Moreover, it is a fact which few have yet learned, that the power of a disfranchised minority is greater, by reason of the power of the principle of justice which is crucified and personified in them, than if they were enfranchised. Ireland's Irish disfranchised masses could not keep Great Britain in a turmoil, if they were fairly represented in her House of Commons, so dangerous as the commotion they would excite would be by reason of their alleged disfranchisement. The best way to quiet the Conservatives and ex-rebels of Virginia, and to destroy their influence, is to give them a share in the victory of the past ten years has proved that the negro in his bonds, because of the principle of justice which was crucified in him, was stronger than his master.

Let the Radicals of Virginia not up to the level of the truth which enfranchised them. Let them enact universal amnesty and universal suffrage. It may cause an election or two to go against them, or it may not; but it will give them more victories in the long run, and will make them invincible. The registered whites of Virginia amount to 716,382, of whom 76,084 voted, and 40,898 abstained from voting. The registered blacks were 537,772, of whom 93,145 voted, and only 11,617 abstained from voting. There would seem to be a probability, therefore, that in the final vote on the adoption of the constitution it will be rejected, unless a greater division of the white race can be effected. On the last vote 61,249 whites voted against convention, and 14,805 voted for it. Will the Republicans of Virginia consider whether a magnificent universal amnesty and universal suffrage policy, so far as they can apply it in their State affairs, would not utterly demoralize the Conservative vote, by taking away their chance to groan, and whether it would not change the 14,805 votes, would not reduce the Conservative vote in like proportion? If so, they will assure the adoption of their constitution, and Congress in their wisdom, of reconstruction, and the Republican party in the next elections, and would have no reasons to fear, that in the future politics of Virginia, they would get the offices about as often as they ought to have them, while it is seldom more than half the time for any political party.

Important Decision

PROPERTY ACQUIRED AFTER DATE OF PETITION DOES NOT GO TO CREDITORS.

A very important decision has been made by Judge Batchford, of the United States Court, Eastern District of New York, in relation to the rights of petitioners in bankruptcy. The case stated that on the examination of the bankrupt, under section 26, it appeared that about August 28, 1867, he had borrowed $1,000, loaned for the creditors, and some questions about this money, which were objected to by the bankrupt's counsel as relating to property acquired by him subsequent to the commencement of the proceedings in bankruptcy, claiming that nothing passed to the assignee but the property which the bankrupt had on hand on the day of the filing the petition; while the creditors claimed that everything passed which he had on the 13th of September, the date of the adjudication of bankruptcy. The Court held that in this case nothing passed to the assignee which accrued to the property of the bankrupt after the 25th of June, the date when the petition was filed, and that the questions in regard to the $1,000 were improper if that money was not the property of the bankrupt when his petition was filed—Great Republic.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE.

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J. J. SHANNON,.....Editor

MERIDIAN, MISS.

Wednesday : : : : December 4, 1867

THE CONVENTION.—The latest news from the Convention election, indicates that it has been carried by a small majority. We learn that Gen-Ord will in a few days issue an order designating the time and place of its assemblage.

THE MARION EXCITEMENT.—Several negroes were arrested by order of Major Norton and examined in reference to the contemplated attack on Meridian by the Marion negroes.

The explanation to the Military was that the Marion League were about to visit the Meridian League in a body but with no hostile purpose. R. C. Moryman delegate to the Convention was examined and is reported to have told two stories, one privately to white persons that the negroes intended to sack Meridian, the other in presence of his colored brethren that the visit was to be peaceful.

The last number of the Meridian Chronicle mourning over the defeat of the convention very considerately undertakes to instruct Gen. Ord in his duties as commander of this District, advising him at once to order another election, and to decapitate all State, County and municipal officers who failed to vote in the recent election. It is very plain that under the military bills Gen. Ord has no power to order another election. With the failure of the Convention, the whole plan of Reconstruction under the present congressional legislation falls to the ground. The advice to remove from office all who declined to vote in the Convention election doubtless harmonizes with Radical policy but we cannot believe Gen. Ord will entertain so monstrous and tyrannical a proposition. To coerce the exercise of the privilege of the ballot against the judgment and conscience of the voters destroys the very foundation of a free government. But this commends it to the Radical faction. A party that seeks to preserve its power by trampling on the Constitution, by exciting the passions of the base and ignorant, by keeping up dissension and strife adds to its infamy disfranchisement and punishment for a conscientious discharge of duty. This course far from saving Radicalism will only hasten its downfall. Every success in the South obtained by such base means, will take thousands of voters from their weakening ranks at the North. The intelligent people of that section can see that such measures are prompted by no patriotic purpose.

The Negro in Tennessee.

At an educational State convention recently held in Tennessee, a Prof. Ogden, President of a nigger College at Nashville made an elaborate speech in favor of throwing together promiscuously the white and black children in the common schools of that State. The object of the speech was to influence the Legislature then in session to change the common school laws which now provide for separate schools. The majority of the convention opposed the measure, but several other speeches were made by Radical teachers in which they took the ground that the change should be made and that all whites who refused to send their children to negro schools should be deprived of the benefits of the common school system. This is another of the beauties of Southern Radicalism, and we may expect an effort to be made in all the Southern States to force the white children into the same schools with the negroes. The Legislature of Tennessee some time since passed a law imposing heavy pains and penalties on Rail Roads and other common carriers for making distinctions on account of race or color. Rail Road Companies were even prohibited from having separate cars for ladies. This was passed just before the New York election. As soon as it was known that the Empire State had given fifty thousand majority against negro equality, the Legislature began to crawfish, reconsidered the common carrier bill and so far have refused to pass that or any kindred measure. As yet the nigger is not allowed to serve as a juror, or hold office in Tennessee and a bill conferring upon them these rights though offered in the Legislature was mislaid in progress.

Washington dispatches say:

Only forty votes are regarded as sure for impeachment.

Several of the faithful are weakening. The defeat of Convention in South Carolina discourages the Radicals very much. They apprehend the defeat on the adoption of the Constitutions in every State.

The lesson exhibited in Connecticut is no proper idea of the danger. Money on the stands and among the clergy.

Letter from New Orleans.

Gen. Mower's Course in Removing Officials—The State Convention—Business—Health of the City.

NEW ORLEANS, NOV. 25, 1867.

Since the recalling of Gen P. H. Sheridan from the command of this Military District up to a few weeks since, military matters have moved on quietly, and to all appearances, smoothly ; but a short time since Gen. Mowcr, Sheridan's temporary successor, changed his base, and has endeavored to rival his renowned predecessor in the matter of removing "impediments" to reconstruction ; but he has had a sudden check given him by Gen. Grant, who ordered him to reinstate most of the State and parish officers decapitated in his last order. This man has pursued a most singular course since he was temporarily elevated to power, showing himself totally unfit for so vast a responsibility as is now upon him. It is a sad fact that a man in whose hands rests the well-being of two millions of people, should spend his time in drunkenness and debauchery ; nevertheless, it is true that the acting commander of the military district composed of the two States of Louisiana and Texas, is guilty of this great crime. It is asserted on the streets to-day that Gov. Flanders, one of Sheridan's appointees, is to be the next object of his direful hate ; for it was on the recommendation of Gov. F. that Grant's annulling order was issued. Gen. Mower affirms that he will remove him if he is cashiered for it.

The Constitutional Convention for this State is now in session, and everything appears to move on quietly. Judge J. W. Taliaferro, of Catahoula parish has been chosen President. It will be, I think intensely radical in its proceedings.

Business is looking up, though as yet there is not much doing. The newspapers are doing very well, the old and ever reliable Picayune taking the lead in real business, though it does not devote a half a column each day in "chowing" its own praises. It speaks by its merits, and it seems to grow stronger with age. But you all know the old "Pic" up there, for it has been among you for more than a quarter of a century.

The yellow fever epidemic has entirely disappeared, and with the exception of cholera, the city is now in a healthy condition. It is to be hoped that this will soon disappear from among us. New Orleans has been a sadly afflicted city of late. At least 4000 of its inhabitants have been swept away by disease in the short space of six months. W. J. A.

Gen. Hancock.

Gen. Hancock, who succeeds General Sheridan in command of the Fifth Military District, arrived at New Orleans on Friday last, and at once assumed command.

The order which he issued on entering upon the discharge of his duties has given great satisfaction, and if carried out will do much to restore peace and good government to the oppressed and persecuted people of Louisiana and Texas. The following is General Hancock's order, and the just and humane sentiments it contains are in striking contrast with the contemptible partisan utterances of Sheridan and Pope :

The General Commanding is gratified to learn that peace and quiet reign in this department. It will be his purpose to preserve this condition of things. As a means to this great end, he regards the maintenance of the civil authorities in the faithful execution of the laws as the most efficient under the existing circumstances. In war it was indispensable to repel force by force, and overthrow and destroy opposition to lawful authority, but when insurrectionary force has been overthrown and peace established civil authorities are ready and willing to perform their duties, the military power should cease to lead and the civil administration resume its natural and rightful dominion.

Solemnly impressed with these views, the general announces that the great principles of American liberty still are the lawful inheritance of this people and ever should be. The right of trial by jury, the habeas corpus, the liberty of the press, the freedom of speech and natural rights of persons and the rights of property must be preserved.

Free institutions, while they are essential to the prosperity and happiness of the people, always furnish the strongest inducements to peace and order.

Crimes and offenses committed in this District must be referred to the consideration and judgment of the regular civil authorities, and these tribunals will be supported in their lawful jurisdiction. Should there be violation of existing laws, which are not inquired into by the civil magistrates, or should failure in the administration of justice by the Courts be complained of, the cases will be reported to these Headquarters, when such corrective will be made as may be deemed necessary. While the General thus indicates his purpose to respect the liberties of the people, he wishes all to understand that any insurrections or forcible resistance to the law will be instantly suppressed by arms.

In Liverpool on last Friday the boiler of a Greek mail Steamer exploded. Thirty three persons were killed and many wounded. The Steamer was totally destroyed.

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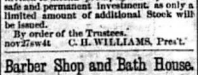

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☞Wholesale and retail depot for Crane's Metallic cases.

BANK NOTICE.

The Books of Meridian Savings Institution will be opened at the Bank from the 1st to the 20th of December for the purpose of receiving more Stock. Capitalists are invited to attend promptly if they wish a safe and permanent investment, as only a limited amount of additional Stock will be issued.

By order of the Trustees.
nov27ew4t C. H. WILLIAMS, Pres't.

Barber Shop and Bath House.

WILLIAM WILSON respectfully announces to the citizens of Meridian and the travelling public that he is now running a first-class Barber Shop in the basement of the Jones House, and has connected therewith an excellent Bath House where cold, warm, and shower baths can be used by all who desire them. nov27

REMOVAL.

I WOULD respectfully announce to the public that I have removed my Shaving Saloon from Lee Street to Johnson Avenue, opposite the Gazette office, where I would be pleased to see my old customers and friends. Feeling grateful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended upon me, I solicit a continuance of the same.
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Advertising Rates in Semi-Weekly Gazette.

SPACE.	1 MONTH.	3 MOS.	6 MOS.	12 MOS.
1 square	$ 5 00	$10 00	$ 15 00	$ 25 00
2 squares	10 00	20 00	30 00	45 00
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¼ column	20 00	40 00	60 00	90 00
½ column	35 00	70 00	100 00	125 00
1 column	60 00	120 00	175 00	225 00

Exciting News.

Considerable excitement existed in Meridian on Sunday night in consequence of startling news from Marion. It appears that on Saturday night the negroes at Marion and Meridian were organized through the Loyal Leagues into military companies. Three Captains were elected at Marion and two at Meridian. The idea at Marion was to make a raid on the merchants at Meridian and Marion, demand provisions and clothing and if their requirements were not complied with take what they wanted by force, and if resistance was offered burn both towns. The command was offered to R. C. Merryman, who it is reported declined and on that account the attack was postponed. It is said the military organization of this county is commanded by J. Aaron Moore, and that all the different companies are officered and thoroughly armed. The military at this place under the command of Major Norton, were apprised of the contemplated attack and were ready to meet it. It may be that the negroes have exaggerated the danger, but this can be relied on, that the negroes meet in their League meetings armed, that they are organizing military companies, that many of them are destitute of food and clothing, refuse to labor and threaten to take what they want by force. We do not wish to create any unnecessary alarm, but we regard the presence of the military here as indispensable to protect the lives and property of our people, and feel assured that unless these armed associations of negroes are broken up, disorder, violence, and bloodshed will result.

What Does It Mean?

We are informed that the Loyal Leagues of this city have been organized into military companies, captains elected and the whole ordered to be under command of J. Aaron Moore and Marshall Weir, two negroes of this city—that they meet armed and put out armed sentinels in every direction around the African Church, the place of assemblage. It is said they undertake to arrest negroes for failing to attend, and are inaugurating a reign of terror over the colored people who are opposed to the organization. A negro from Marion was arrested on Saturday night under some pretext or another and kept under guard all night and part of Sunday. Another has been examined on a charge of not voting, and it appears the League is exercising absolute power over the colored people, reducing them to a condition of abject slavery to its orders.

We advise the colored people to have nothing do with these military organizations. They will bring about disturbances and get them into trouble. They are unlawful, not recognized by the civil or military authority in the State, and if persisted in, will be *suppressed*.

They have no authority to arrest a negro for any cause whatever. To do so under the pretext of not attending their meetings, not voting, or anything else, is a *crime* for which all in any way concerned may be made to suffer. If any more of such arrests are made, we hope the matter will be investigated and the guilty parties punished.

The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it.—It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no more for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown is really deserved.

The reputation of Dr. Thos. A. Hurley's Bitters, Worm Candy, Sarsaparilla, and Ague Tonic is world wide, having been used through the whole of this country for many years past, and never having failed to give universal satisfaction. The proprietors never yet have received any complaints about them, hence their confidence in recommending them to the public as never failing to cure. As it is with the "Hurley Preparations" so also with Dr. Seabrook's Infant Soothing Syrup, and Dr. Bettison's English Horse Liniment, both of which are unequalled. These gentlemen are also the manufacturers of Seaton's Chemical Writing Fluids and Carmine Ink which are so well known and extensively used in the West and Southwest, for school, bank, and office, uses equalling the best English Inks now used. We cannot understand why their remedies might not as well be taken in the special diseases for which they are recommended with as much confidence as the prescription of a regular physician. tf

THE TRIAL OF PRESIDENT DAVIS.—The New York Herald in commenting on the trial of Mr. Davis before Judge Underwood and a negro jury says:

It would be an outrage on the decency of the nation if a man like Underwood should preside at this trial. On such an occasion, if ever, the bench should be graced by a man of learning, a man conscious of the dignity of his office, a man of probity, and one whose life has not been dragged in all the filth of party politics. Therefore the Underwood is the wrong man. If Davis is to stand before a nigger jury, which becomes of the notion that a man is to be tried by his peers? His peers —to cut the thing short—are not the greatest leveler could desire—they should be citizens of the United States; and no Richmond nigger was a citizen of our United States when the crime occured on which Davis is to be tried.

Meeting To-day at the African Church.

We have been requested to publish as an advertisement a call for a meeting of the colored people to-day at the African Church, to which all are invited. We learn the object of the meeting is to give the negroes an opportunity to express their acknowledgements and abhorrence of the designs of the whites, some of these and which for the last few days have created an unusual excitement. Some of the signers to the call are recognized in Meridian as possessing industrious and well disposed, and are not suspected as having any connection with the plot to plunder and sack the town believed to have been contemplated by some of the whites at Marion. We hope the meeting may be productive of good,and desiring as we do the welfare and prosperity of all black and white, we suggest to the colored people that nothing would do more to establish and maintain friendly relations with the whites, than for them to discourage secret political meetings, oath bound societies confined to their own color with a few disreputable whites.— Meetings of that kind, with armed sentinels and the forcible arrest of unoffending citizens by persons attending them devoid of assemblage, are well calculated to create distrust and will in the end indict serious injury on the blacks. There will be great difficulty for many of them to obtain employment for another year,even if planters desired it,in the service, on account of the low price of cotton and the losses of the last two seasons. The very fact that they are banded together in secret leagues, arraying themselves against the white people of the State, will deprive thousands of profitable employment. The end of the year is approaching, and the great majority of the blacks are without money, provisions, clothing or any certainty of employment for the next year. It is idle for them to think of cultivating farms on their own account. They are without stock or, supplies and destitute of credit. The Radicals have given them the ballot, but this will furnish no food or clothing. If disease, nakedness and starvation come their appeal to Radical charity will be in vain. We hope they may realize their true situation and take warning before it is too late.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—We invite the attention of our readers to the card of John Duffy & Co., Western Agricultural Ware House 121 Main street, Louisville, Ky. They have constantly on hand Garden seeds, fertilizers, Guano, Bone dust &c.—Cotton gins, Plows, and every kind of agricultural implements. This is one of the largest houses in the West and is receiving at it deserves a liberal patronage from the South. Our friends who visit Louisville should by all means give them a call.

We call attention to the advertisement of a dwelling house which can be purchased or rented on most favorable terms.—Apply to Mr. J. A. Gully, at the house of Rosenbaum & Gully, Front street.

Are you weakened by hardship and privation, slowly recovering from severe illness, afflicted with the infirmities of age, prematurely decrepit, or suffering in any other way from general debility, constitutional or otherwise? If so, put your trust in the Red Jacket Bitters, which will recruit your system.

PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED AT ALL HOURS.—Our friend Chadwick,the old and reliable Front Street druggist, is now living over his store, and will attend to filling prescriptions at all hours—day and night.—Chadwick's medicines are founded an experience of twenty years in the business, is a sure guarantee that they will be properly compounded. tf

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Extract of a Letter from Providence, R.I., May 12, 1866.

DR. JOHN BULL: I owe $20 for Cotton Bitters; please send what it will come to after paying freight to Columbus, Miss. I was taken sick with fever several years with indigestion; have had to take your bitters night for part of fifteen years, and in February, 1866, I was attacked with general paralysis. I was confined to my bed for five months the next year; and, in fact, continued in a very weak and nervous condition for some two months after that, when I was put under an operation, and your Cotton Bitters restored me. I commenced improving right away, and am pretty well restored.

Yours truly,
A. L. NEAL.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 28, 1866.

I received this day the following, from Leicester, Kentucky:

DR. JOHN BULL: Please send one in haste, for my wife says she can't live without it. I have tried them, and find them all you claim for them.

Yours truly,
W. C. BRINDLEBOWES.

ANOTHER TESTIMONY.

BLOOMFIELD, IND., Oct. 14, '64.

DR. JOHN BULL: We make an arrangement with Mr. Hall, of Bloomfield, to sell your Cotton Bitters, and his friend sold one. He would like to have the agency for your Bitters, and is introducing them readily, and think they answer a good purpose.

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The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption, is anxio to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, free, by return mail, will please address

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 26.—The convention seeking to be formed by negro members of the late convention, met at the African Church to-day. The first session was secret. The result of the first day's proceedings could not be learned. It is reported that the first and second days were devoted to the adoption of rules and regulations, and all minor business to be transacted with. Last evening a PICKLER (white) offered an ordinance proposing certain changes in the organic law of the State, which if adopted by the Convention shall establish free public schools throughout the State and provide for their support by taxation. Schools for children between six and eighteen be established, without distinction of race, color or condition. Provides that there shall be no separate schools established for negroes and that a university be established in New Orleans, open to all students capable of matriculation, without distinction of race, color or previous condition.— Other provisions for the maintenance and government of schools. Referred to the Committee on Education.

A resolution of thanks to God for the success of the Radical Republican party in this State was laid over under the rules.

A resolution to the effect that no property qualification be required for any State, parish, or municipal office of honor, trust, or emolument, was referred.

The two last resolutions were offered by negro members.

A resolution offered yesterday, that the proceedings of the Convention be published in the New Orleans papers and duly paid for, was debated to-day and tabled by four majority.

A resolution offered yesterday by McMillan, (white) to ratify as a part of the Legislature of 1868, to be held in pursuance to law, the bonds to provide means for repairing and constructing levees, was made the special order of the day for Monday.

General Hancock's order is having a healthy effect.

The Picayune's Washington special says that the President has directed Gen. Grant to instruct Gen. Hancock to inquire into the cause and circumstances of all removals of civil officers which have been made, and report the facts in each case.

MONTGOMERY, Nov. 30.—The Reconstruction Convention to-day passed an ordinance to organize the militia throughout of Alabama. It authorizes one company to every thousand voters. The officers to be appointed by the Governor, and to be of known loyalty. A great many officers, with heavy emoluments are appointed, one major general, three brigadiers, an adjutant, quartermaster, inspector general, paymaster, surgeon general, &c. The whole to be under command of the Governor. The Conservatives declare that this measure places the State in a military despotism similar to that of Brownlow. Its expenses will necessarily greatly increase the rates of taxation.

An ordinance was passed declaring the war debt of the State, and all liabilities created during the rebellion, illegal and void.

An ordinance reported by a select committee was discussed until the hour for adjournment, providing for the extinguishment between either of the debts of all debts existing July 30th, 1865, on the payment of installments by note of original amount of debt.

The session of the Convention will continue through a part of next week.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The reading of the President's message will occupy two hours.

The Ways and Means Committee will report a bill preventing contraction, and prescribing the time and manner of selling surplus gold.

The Senate Judiciary Committee is investigating the loyalty of Senator Thomas, of Maryland.

The following revenue decision has been promulgated:

Where cotton is exported it must be clearly identified as the same cotton for which a permit has been obtained. A permit does not authorize the collector to authorize the export of an equal number of bales or pounds of different cotton. Before to remove cotton showing the payment of the tax is sufficient to authorize exportation. The tax on cotton manufactured producing districts will be collected from the cotton itself, no matter in whose possession found. Cotton manufactured from cotton facturing in the districts where produced cannot be taxed until manufactured. Every person, firm or corporation manufacturing cotton for any purpose in the district where the cotton is produced must make returns and pay the tax.

Gen Rousseau has assumed command of the Department of Columbia.

Judge Storer, of Cincinnati, has decided that legal tender notes known as greenbacks are not taxable according to an exemptionary section of an act of Congress providing a loan bill.

Secretary McCulloch to-night furnished his report and statement of the public to newspapers. The document is of considerable length and refers to reports of different departments, drawing from facts and figures in support of the views advocated in his own report, and elaborating upon them at length.

He alludes to his earlier reports, going back to the time of his nomination, and also to contraction at the time of four hundred million dollars per month as provided by law. He shows that there were months when the amount that he had been paid in the amount, but refrained from doing so because he did not think it necessary or expedient.

He takes strong ground against expansion, which, to use his own language, would be run mad lest it should bankrupt. The views of Gen. Butler, Mr. Stevens and others are commented on: and the tendency and results of the financial measures schemes, if carried out, are enlarged upon and contrasted.

He interprets the law in reference to the five-twenties as forbidding the country to their payment in coin, principal and interest, and believes that if the policy including in their redemption in currency shall be adopted, the effect will be disastrous.— He states that he has been paid in the treasury to meet the demands on the government and keep the market in check,— He gives his reasons for not selling more gold, and endeavoring to bring about resumption in that way. The speculators would re-borrow and buy the gold he could offer, and could then easily control the market and make the premium higher than before. He says that the belief in immediate resumption will lead to an immediate crash in business, which he hopes to avoid. He concludes although the Internal Revenue Commissioner's report, and gives it as his opinion that the Internal Revenue Department and the Treasury had sole control of the system, the taxes would be left entirely and an end put to fraud and corruption.

The debt statement will be issued about the 5th, and will show a slight increase of debt.

The internal revenue receipts to-day were $836,000; for the week, $3,113,000; for the year, $30,130,000.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The Comptroller of the Treasury's report shows that since National Banks, 1863, 1,643 have gone into organization. Their aggregate capital was $1,250,000. The public loses about $1,000,000 annually on the circulation of these banks, and note holders lose nothing. Every failure is traceable to dishonest or incompetent officers, with few exceptions, in every case.

The President's message contains about twelve thousand words. The Secretary of War and Secretary of the Treasury are in favor of an early resumption of specie payments, and the President is understood to be there need by any committee of the paper circulation as preliminary to resumption.

The President's friends say that his message will express his matured views. The entire message is expected to be calm, dignified, favorable to the restoration of the Union of the South, and appeals for early restoration on constitutional basis.

AN APPEAL TO FARMERS and PLANTERS

A large number of persons have been induced to purchase worthless imitations of my Bitters, under various names, which are calculated to deceive the public, and are put up in bottles similar to mine, and sold to the various merchants of your locality by unprincipled men, who did not get a Physician's recommendation.

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MERIDIAN, MISS.

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From the Clarion.

Plant Plenty of Grass.

The attention of our Planters has been in a great degree attracted by the article, "Cultivation of Hops" in the Clarion of the 16th, 17th and 19th of November. Mr. Potter states that in selecting a site for a Hop-yard, it is best to avoid low and wet localities, and to select some spot where the circulation of air is good, and where no water stands upon the ground at any season of the year.

Our uplands show many excellent spots in this respect, but the Hops require a rich soil, which is generally not found in uplands.

In the expenses of cultivation of the five years crop, Mr. P., brings an item of $40 for hauling manure with a team during ten days on his 4 acre piece of Hops which proves that it required a very large quantity of stable manure.

Good profitable husbandry can only be carried on (rich alluvial bottoms excepted) with a good supply of manure.

HOW CAN WE PRODUCE GOOD MANURE?

Thousands of acres of once cultivated farming land lay idle for the want of reliable hands to cultivate them. Appropriate part of them for grass and make meadows. Raise stock and feed during winter, when pasturage becomes scarce, well with hay, turnips, ruta-baga's, etc., under shelter. The animals will repay you for your expense and trouble in the manure, and will enable you to raise the following year, 50 to 100 per cent more grain on the same ground than before, besides the improvement in the condition of your cattle, will materially increase your income. Mid-winters, when no field work will yield during winter almost the same quantity of milk as in spring, and the surplus of milk and butter can be readily disposed of. Thousands of pounds of butter are shipped every winter from the North and West here, and sold from 50 to 75 cents per pound. Look at the poor meat during winter, that is offered for sale here. Even from St. Louis our butchers were bound to say that the best, because fine home-raised stock was too poor. Is it not unnatural, that in a country so well adapted for grass growing we depend on far off countries for the most unsuitable articles of food? More could be said on this subject, but I will close with the heart-felt wish plant Grass and be prosperous.

GOLDEN SHEAF.

MR. "BLOCKADE" TED. General Mower is determined to make the congressional military reconstruction policy odious as well as impracticable, ridiculous as well as destructive. Upon no other theory can his conduct be rationally explained. After his previous action toward our public authorities almost any amount of extravagant interference might have been anticipated from him, and hence it is not surprising that he should attempt the order which appears in another column.

The fantastic disregard of publi-opinion manifested in the appointment hitherto made by Mower would have exceeded and exaggerated in this "reconstruction" of our judiciary—an act of tyranny entirely superfluous, and perpetrated with a wanton carelessness of the interest which it is the duty even of a military despot to protect.

If anything were needed to impart a ludicrous aspect to this tyrannical act, it would be the exquisite absurdity of the reason assigned for it. It is certainly not very amusing to the people of this city to see their judiciary subjected to the caprice of military despotism, and all the cherished tuppoints of evil liberty torn away by the ruthless hands of military power; but Gen. Mower, himself, can surely not refrain from laughing when he directs A. A. G. to proclaim that the gentlemen who pass their time quietly in deciding litigated cases, and in issuing writs of process, are "officials to reconstruction under the laws of Congress." Why does he not say at once that he wants the offices for his friends, and that he is determined not to give Gen. Hancock a chance to say anything in the matter? Candor is a soldierly quality. Why will General Mower not practice at least that virtue in his official acts?—New Orleans Crescent.

The corn crops has turned out abundantly in this neighborhood; farmers are bringing in some of the finest ears we have ever seen grow in North Mississippi. There will be no want here next year; fat horses, fat hogs, fat cattle will soon be seen everywhere. Corn is worth only seventy-five cents, delivered. Sweet potatoes plentiful and cheap. Beef, poultry, fish, turnips, thousands. People healthy, fat and good-humored. Politics horrible. Rads willing. Negroes caving.—Iuka Gazette.

New gold mines have been discovered in Peru, which are said to surpass, in abundance of yield, the best mines of California.

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.—We received this important document too late for this issue, but will present it to our readers in our next. A synopsis of the message will be found in our telegraphic dispatches.

We understand that the colored members of the League here deny that they have organized military companies, or that any officers of that kind have been elected at the League meeting. We trust this statement is correct. It is proper, however, to state that the reports of the military organization here came from negroes themselves and on that account, and because it was known that armed sentinels surrounded the League meetings and hailed persons who happened to be passing that way, was generally credited. We shall be glad to know that the reports are untrue and will cheerfully make room for any explanation that the parties to whom we referred in our last issue may wish to make.

We desire to see good feeling and friendly relations preserved between black and white, and if the rumors so freely circulated this week have done injustice to the colored people, the truth should be published and any misrepresentations exposed.

In the Louisiana Convention a resolution was offered recommending General Hancock to remove from office all men disfranchised under the reconstruction laws, and the appointment of loyal citizens in their places.

Gen. Hancock has revoked several of the orders of removal made by Gen. Mower, but a few days before his taking command at New Orleans. The following extracts from his order issued last Monday are published in the New Orleans papers :

Paragraph one, special order 197, from these headquarters, Nov. 28, 1867, issued by Bvt. Maj. Gen. J. A. Mower, removing from office Smith Izard, aid to the Chief of Police of the city, and appointing in his place Parker W. Pettus, is hereby revoked.

Paragraph two, special order No. 197, from these headquarters, dated Nov. 28, 1867, removing from office Lieut. O'Donnel, Dieut of Police, 2d district, city of New Orleans, and appointing Angelo W. Ward in his place, is hereby revoked.

If any charges or allegations are presented against the officers who are reinstated by this order, they will be considered by the Mayor and Police Board, to whom the subject properly pertains.

Extract 2 of order No. 290 removes E. King Cutler from the bench of the 2d Judicial District Court by Mower, and he was appointed by Gen. Mower, and declares the office vacant.

The Canton Mail says that a difficulty occurred at Madison Station, on Thursday, the 29th ult., between Mr. Lat Cameron and Mr. McCarty, both living there, which resulted in the death of the latter, by a pistol shot, at the hands of the former. The circumstances of the unfortunate affair, we are told, were very sad indeed, but as we have been unable, to gather the full particulars, will refrain from what might prove to be only a partial statement.

The British ship Consul was lately burned on the Georgia coast near Tybee Island. She had on board about 3000 bales of cotton insured in Liverpool.

The Alabama Convention.

MONTGOMERY, Dec. 2—The Reconstruction Convention adopted a resolution that when this Convention adjourns it shall adjourn subject to the call of E. W. Peck, President, or the Military Commander of this State or District; but if not re-convened within one year, it shall stand adjourned sine die.

A resolution to adjourn on the 4th instant was rejected.

The oath of office, as finally adopted, requires officers to swear that they are not disfranchised by the Constitution of the State of Alabama or the laws of the United States, and that they will support the Constitution of the State and of the United States, and the Union of the States, &c.

The Radical members of the Convention to-night, in caucus at the Capitol, nominated a full ticket for State officers.

Wm. H. Smith, of Randolph county, was nominated for Governor. He is a man of moderate views, and was late Superintendent of Registration for this State.

A. J. Applegate, of Madison, was nominated for Lieutenant Governor. D. H. Bingham was defeated for the nomination of Governor. All the other candidates are thoroughly Radical and nearly all Northern men.

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For the Gazette.

Mr. Editor: I think that the condition of affairs in this part of the State should be made known to the General commanding this District, with a view that some plan might be devised that would prove beneficial.

It is a fact that the low price of cotton and the heavy tax on it, have left the planters unable to pay the debts contracted for supplies to make their crops. The majority are in this condition, and will be unable next year to obtain provisions to feed hands either black or white. It is certain that *more than half of the cotton farms in this part of the State will not be cultivated at all next year.* The planters having made nothing, the negroes are in the same condition. It is certain that the hands of the negroes, if they remain here, can get no employment. The question then comes up, how can they be fed? The general cry among planters is that they can't hire hands because they have not the provisions to make a crop and can't get them. There is some corn, but scarcely any meat in the country. Much of the stock has been killed by idle and worthless negroes, and farmers find they can't raise their meat on account of the depredations. But bad as it has been, it will be infinitely worse next year. With so many out of employment, with nothing to live on, almost naked, the fear is they will steal for a support, and that those who have been provident enough to save a little, will have to protect their property by force, and thus scenes of disorder and violence will be inaugurated more terrible than civil war. This is no fancy sketch but what may be expected. CIVIS.

For the Gazette.

I hear that Moore denies holding any military office, and that the report to that effect originated from the fact that he holds the highest position in this county in the Loyal League. This may be correct. I wish, however, to ask if it is true that Moore has sent out and had negroes arrested for failing to attend the League, and if the parties who went to make these arrests, have not been armed? And if this be true will the military allow the rights of the colored people to be trampled on in this way?

JUSTICE.

The New Constitution of Alabama.

The Mobile Times in referring to the new constitution for Alabama says :

A servile and ignorant majority, following the imperious dictates of a handful of contemptible leaders, has adopted, as the charter of rights of the people of Alabama, and finally of the whole South, the most odious instrument of tyranny and oppression ever penned by the hand of man. What, in the most despotic countries, is the single momentary outburst of a tyrant caprice, has become a written law for ten millions of free white born citizens of the Great Republic. And even this "Bill of Rights," as its framers have the audacity to call it, is not all they have done.

Forgetting that they were not called together by the will and choice of the people to revise their social compact, but simply by a superior, though not a legitimate power, to prepare a constitutional organization, the vagabonds have even presumed to go beyond their warrant, and to deal in matters entirely foreign to the object Congress has intrusted to them.

They have granted divorces, and such as women have been found vile enough to seek those decrees to cover adulterous alliances. They have repealed, altered, amended legislation which had been consecrated by the unimpeded and unconfested legitimate power of the State, they have dabbled in financial questions, subverted family organizations, destroyed the obligation of contracts and, inaugurating the reign of violence, excluded courts of justice from taking cognizance of alleged nullities in the transfer of property.

One of the nameless vagabonds has even demanded that "summary punishment" be dealt to the "leaders of the character," as if he and his gang had any character at stake. They have finally, and to crown their work, organized mercenary bands of janizaries, consisting of vagabonds as contemptible as themselves, to be fed, clothed and armed for purposes of plunder and murder. Thank God, their very excesses will be the means of their destruction!

The Times concludes by advising every registered voter go to the polls and record his protest against the adoption of that instrument of thraldom and tyranny, attempted to be forced on us by the Montgomery bogus State Convention.

Let that protest be so imposing that the friends of peace, law and the Union, may have their hands strengthened for the forthcoming battle they are going to fight for the preservation and unity of the Great Republic.

A man whose wife was sickly and deadly pale,
And whose every looks told a melancholy tale;
Was seen in a deep meditative mood,
Walk to a fellow stream that ran through a wood;
His face was pale, his eyes were dark and low,
His blood-shot eyes fixed on the stream below;
He walked, then stopped, as if he sought to find
A balm for his wife, and cure for his mind.
He pondered over the deep moaning tide,
Then stooping, he laid his garments by his side,
And with pen in his hand, prone and still,
He once bowed on the stream, and then drank his fill.
Then quickly he said two Italian Francs he threw,
Then quicker, he
My wife is declining—oh! she'd so sick!

The Cotton Tax.

We understand the Committee of Ways and Means have unanimously resolved to recommend the appeal of the cotton tax, and from present indications it is likely Congress will repeal it. Such action would not only be just toward the Southern people of both races, but would be good policy as well, for it would show that the government is relaxing its severity over those obsolutely in its power. A people unrepresented in the body that makes laws for them are generally oppressed. It has been so through the history of all countries; it cannot be otherwise, for legislators or even statesmen see only their own interests or the interests of their immediate constituents. We have a striking example of this in Great Britain taxing the American colonies, which led to our war for independence. We have another more striking still in the cotton tax imposed upon the South. This tax, too, has something vindictive in it. A large party in Congress voted for it for the purpose of punishing the South. But, as we intimated, representatives in any legislative body are always disposed to favor the States or people they represent directly, and to lay as much of the burden of taxation as possible on the unrepresented.

There are numerous examples in our history of different branches of industry being protected, and even of direct bounties being given by government to them. The manufacturers of New England and the iron interest of Pennsylvania have been and are fostered by a protective tariff. The New England fisheries received for a long time direct bounties. Agriculture and other industrial interests—the people generally—have paid all along increased prices for what they wore and consumed to protect, or, rather, to enrich manufacturers. But never before, as far as we remember, was an important branch of domestic industry burdened with direct taxation. It is doubtful if this cotton tax be constitutional; but if even it can be made out to be so by a strained construction of the constitution, it is nevertheless partial, invidious, oppressive and iniquitous. It is said the foreigner must take the cotton, and, therefore, he has to pay the tax. This is a fallacious argument. Cotton will go down in proportion to the supply, and if the price be high the production will be stimulated elsewhere. The present tax falls immediately on the cultivator. But this is not all. The cotton agents of the government are not only a heavy cost to the Treasury, but they have every oppotunity to fleece the planters as well as negro laborers, who are mostly paid for their crops by a percentage of the crop in the arbitrary control of the cotton trade and movement.

In nothing is the hypocrisy of the pretended radical negro philanthropists seen more than in this cotton tax. They cry out continually "the poor negro," and they pretend to be his best friend, yet they tax his labor. Ignorant as the negroes are they understand this, and hence, in the Louisiana Convention and elsewhere throughout the cotton States where they have a voice, they proclaim loudly against the iniquity. Not the planters alone, but negro laborers protest against the tax. The New York Chamber of Commerce, too, seeing the unjust character and ruinous effect of this tax, has protested against it. The South needs all the encouragement possible to recover from the ruinous consequences of the war, not for the sake of the Southern whites alone, but for the general welfare, for the revenue, for the negroes, for commerce and to save a magnificent country from permanent desolation. Yet a weak and radical Congress taxes heavily the productive power of that section. If the radicals have no regard for principle, for the general welfare of the South or for the white people thereof, they will listen to the voice of their negro friends and repeal this iniquitous cotton tax.—N. Y. Herald.

A late number of the Cincinnati Commercial contains the following first rate notice of a portion of the outfit of the new steamer Gov. Allen. It would seem the officers of that boat need "reconstructing" very badly.

General Butler's popularity in the South is so great that the owners of the new steamboat Gov. Allen, Captain John Smoker, intended for the Red river trade, and which is now fitting out at the port of Louisville, have thought it expedient to provide the ladies' state-rooms with an article of furniture that formed an essential part of the nitre bureau of the Confederate Ordinance Department, to have its mirror delicately etched with a portrait of the General in the uniform of an officer of his rank in the army of the United States. It must be accepted as evidence of the progressive spirit of reconstruction that Southern Indian should evince so profound an attachment for a General they soundly abused during the war, that they cannot bear to be deprived of his portrait, even in their moments of deepest repose. The consequences may be deplorable, if husbands, jealous of this extraordinary manifestation of attachment, in searching the state-rooms of their wives, should make so unexpected a discovery as Don Alonso in ransacking the apartments of the Donna Julia; and they will certainly be disastrous if the pictorial artist has imparted to the counterfeit presentment the dangerous jollarity of vision that characterizes the face of Gen. Butler.

A special to the Mobile Times says :

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2—[P. M.—The tax on cotton will certainly be removed, to take effect septemeber 1st, 1868.

Copies of the President's Message for the newspaper press was sent by mail last night. It will be read in Congress to-morrow at 12 M.

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MERIDIAN, Miss., Nov. 6, 1867.

No freight will be delivered under any circumstances, unless the receipt of the company is presented and surrendered.

No freight will be delivered on Sunday, from any depot, except perishable freight, and that only to the consignee.

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There will be no agent at the depot at Marion Station.

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From the Democratic Iowa Democrat.

Temperance in all Things.

All good men, all christians, all patriots are advocates of temperance. Indeed public sentiment is unanimous on this point, although there may be difference of opinion as to the best method of accomplishing the desired end. Temperance means moderation, though technically applied to abstinence from the use of intoxicating drinks has a much broader signification than that. The individual who agitates all medical subjects, and prescribes as a deadly poison any, nevertheless, be intemperate, in his language, in his pursuit of wealth, in his eating, in his political opinions, in the gratification of any one of his passions, his prejudices or his appetites. It is even possible to preach "temperance" intemperately.

There are certain enthusiasts, for example, who demand the entire abolishment of alcoholic stimulants. Against these ultra-prohibitionists the great body of the medical profession takes decided ground.—Nine-tenths of the physicians and surgeons of the civilized world prescribe alcohol, and medicines of which alcohol is a cardinal ingredient in their practice. They say that it is one of the most important articles in the materia medica, and that nothing can supply its place. Sometimes they administer it neat, sometimes deluded with water, sometimes medicated; and while admitting, as any sane and honest man admits, that it is, morally and physically, a poison when taken to excess, they argue that under certain conditions, and in certain cases, its use is not only advisable, but essential to the preservation of life and the restoration of health.

Believing that the most profound pathologists and physiologists of the age understand the matter somewhat better than non-professionals, we accept their doctrine and practice as philosophic and correct—the more especially as the results of their treatment confirm their theories.

The rational friends of temperance side by side with whom we stand, frankly concede that alcohol is sometimes necessary as a sanitary agent. Mr. Greely grants this in a recent article published in "The Independent," and only fanatics, whose zeal is unhampered by knowledge, venture to deny it.

Here, however, a difficulty occurs. The liquors of commerce are so generally adulterated that it is perilous to give them to sick persons. All the brandies, rums, gins, whiskys, &c., are more or less empoisoned. Each contains some ingredients which provoke a thirst for ardent spirits—and drunkards are made.—Under these circumstances sensible "temperance men" should be the first to appreciate the importance of a pure stimulant for medical use.

This deideratum is supplied to the public in all locality in the form of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, which is not merely a wholesome stimulant but an invaluable vegetable tonic, corrective and alterative. In manufacturing, advertising and selling it for sanitary purposes only—the proprietors claim to be contributing a sound and substantial plank to the temperance platform.

There is a good deal of cant talked and written by some of the self-elected reformers of the necessity of mankind. It is the misfortunes of many of these persons, and of their disciples, to confound the use of difficulties and habitual abuse with their misuse as a beverage. The spirit by which they are animated is a spirit of blind bigotry and intolerance akin to that which, in the olden time, led to the massacre of St. Bartholomew, the crusades and the Albigenses; and many other foul wrongs committed in the name of religion. Thomas Hood, the witliest of publishers, and the most philosophical of wits, characterized that narrow-minded and aggressive piety which is continually preaching whatever does not strictly conform to its peculiar ritual as mag-piety, and there are a good many birds of the magpie feather who would fain obtain the exclusive control of the whole temperance flock.

The doctrine of these individuals lacks consistency. The same arguments—if they deserve the name—which they urge against the employment of alcohol and alcoholic tonics in the treatment of disease, or for its prevention, apply with still greater force to most of the favorite specifics of the family. Yet they have not a word to say against opium, quinine, strychnine, mercurial salts, and other deadly poisons which are prescribed daily by thousands of medical men. Are these less deleterious than the pure alcoholic stimulant used as a medium for diffusing the healing influence of wholesome herbs and roots through the system? The most uncompromising ultra-prohibitionists, must admit that they are not.

But he has a rejoinder in reserve. The powerful mendicants referred to are prescribed in limited doses. Bounds are affixed to their use by those who recommend them. And is it not the same, we ask, with regard to medicated spirituous stimulants. Every bottle of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, for example, is accompanied by directions for its use. These directions are as clear and explicit as those in a physician's prescription, and even if they happen to be misstated through inadvertence, no serious consequences ensue. A double or triple dose of laudanum, or of strychnine, or of mineral salt, may kill, and very often does kill, but a dose or even a wine-glass full of the BITTERS would produce no such terrible effect. Opium is an infinitely stronger and more virulent poison than alcohol, and is extensively used in producing intoxication as well as in medical treatment. Nevertheless, in spleen, dyspepsia and as a useful curative by the same parties that utterly proscribe all alcoholic preparations! It is always the dose that is consistent.

Bigoted Prohibitionists would do well to profit by the lessons taught from Sacred History. The patriarchs and prophets of the old dispensation and the Apostles of the new were not total abstainers. They did not hold that the abuse of the thing was an argument against its use. The cautious Paul, for example, counsels the manufacturer of wine to sanctioned by the Scriptures. It is commanded to be given to those who "be ready to perish," and also to "those that be of heavy hearts." Red wine, and wine taken in excess, is made the type of "the wine's wrath, as the "Wine of Astonishment," of "vaping" of "fury," of "affliction," &c., but good wine is not condemned, but is forcibly recommended in many pages of the Bible. Some condemnation by Divine Authority confirmed to alcohol—that it was unfermented grape juice—but set in its strongest form, as "strong drink" in Proverbs and elsewhere, and is expressly stated to be "raging," and "deceiving" and "biting like a serpent and stinging like an adder."

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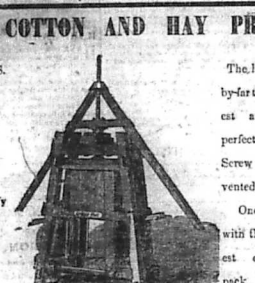

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REMOVAL.

I WOULD respectfully announce to the public that I have removed my Shaving Saloon to the room adjoining the Gazette office, where I will be pleased to see my old customers and as many new ones as may favor me with their patronage.

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SEMI-WEEKLY GAZETTE

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Meridian Railroad Directory.

Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

Mail trains pass up at ..... 10.27 P. M.
" " " down ..... 3.15 A. M.

GOING NORTH.

Mail trains leave Mobile at 3:00 P. M. Arrive at Buckatunna 6:30 P. M. Enterprise 9:54 P. M. Meridian 10:43 P. M. Macon 2:18 A. M. Artesia 2:54 A.M. Okolona 6:02 A. M. Corinth 10:18 A.M. Humboldt 2:40 P. M. Columbus, Ky., 7:30 A. M. Distance 472 miles, time 27 hours and 30 minutes.

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Mail trains leave Columbus, Ky.,6:30 A.M. Arrive at Humboldt 11:00 A. M. Corinth 3:45 P. M. Okolona 8:03 P. M. Artesia 10:20 P. M. Macon 11:15 P. M. Meridian 3:10 A. M. Enterprise 4:23 A. M. Buckatunna 6:05 A. M. Mobile 11:00 A. M. Distance 472 miles; Time 28 hours and 30 minutes.

Selma and Meridian Railroad.

Trains leave Meridian ..... 7.30 A. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 P. M.
" leave Selma ..... 4.30 P. M.
" arrive ..... 4.30 P. M.

Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad.

Passenger train leaves ..... 7.00 A. M.
" " arrives ..... 4.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Vicksburg daily at 5:10 a. m.; arrives at Jackson at 9:55 a. m.; reaches Forest at 12:40 p. m. for dinner, and leaves at 1 p. m. arriving at Meridian at 4:30 p. m.

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Remember the Agricultural meeting to-day at the Mayor's office at 3 o'clock.

VICKSBURG AND MERIDIAN RAILROAD.—This road is in better condition now than we have ever before seen it. A vast amount of work has been done during the administration of the present Superintendent, Mr. E. F. Haworth, and in passing over it the other day, we found gangs of laborers still scattered along the line of road, engaged in making additional improvements. During the past year the entire road has been rebuilt and re-bridged; many miles of good substantial ballasting put in and thousands upon thousands of cross-ties put down; new iron has been laid, in many places cuts widened ditches cut and a great quantity of other work done to make the road safe during the winter season. The most favorable commentary on the road and its condition is the uniform regularity with which the trains have been run and are now running. Two elegant passenger cars have recently arrived from the East and at Vicksburg others are being repaired and rebuilt, and it is confidently expected that by the 1st of January the passenger accommodations on the Vicksburg and Meridian Railroad will be equal to those of any other road in this section of country. The freight capacity is equal to any emergency, and the Company are constantly augmenting it. Considering the tightness of the times and the present unreliable system of labor, the officers of this road have accomplished wonders" and are entitled to much praise for their skill and ability.

A NEW MAYOR.—The term of Hon. R. L. Henderson, who for the last year has discharged the duties of Mayor, of Meridian, having expired on the first of this month, Gen. Ord has appointed Wm. Cathey, one of the Board of Registration of this county, his successor. Mr. Cathey is an old citizen of the county, and is a very respectable clever gentleman. Mayor Henderson has been a faithful and efficient officer, and if the wishes of the people of Meridian had been consulted, would have retained the office. He has preserved order, and maintained the authority of the law under all circumstances while he held the office, and carries with him in his retirement the best wishes of the citizens of Meridian.

John T. Allison of this city, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Smith, as cotton weigher at Meridian. This appointment is one of the best that could have been made, and gives entire satisfaction.

THE BANKRUPT COURT.—This court has been in session in this city all the week, and will probably adjourn to-day. There has been considerable business before it about forty petitions having already been filed and most of them adjudicated.

The garrison, which has been stationed here during the summer, took their departure yesterday morning for Jackson.—During their stay in our midst the officers have preserved the best of order, and the troops conducted themselves in a manner highly commendable. There is a general regret expressed at their leaving.

Beauty, health, comfort and neatness secured by the use of the PERFECTION or NEW HOME Sewing Machine. Call and examine the latest and most improved machine and all those troublesome complaints and fancy patentees and agents, so annoying and perplexing to purchasers, will be avoided.

Remember the Grand Opening of Ash Brown's Dry Goods Store, on Front street, next door to Mr. Wm. Hall's. From the unbounded success that has attended the opening of a similar establishment in this city by the same firm, we feel assured that a large number of our citizens will be present on the occasion.

THE BIG SNOW.—We suppose everybody has heard of the big snow—circus and menagerie—and her hero—Mr. Joseph Jacobs. We are pleased to announce the fact that this company carries with it the praise and applause of the press and public. Last week we gave an extract from the Mobile Tribune in reference to it, and now we have one from the La Grange (Ga.) Reporter, which will show what the show is:

THE ELEPHANT IS COMING—CASTELLO'S MODEL CIRCUS AND VAN AMBURGH'S MENAGERIE AND COLOSSAL EXHIBITION.—Although there are few people in the city who are not aware that this "big show" is coming to La Grange for one day, Friday, Nov. 15th. The little folks are in high glee over the anticipated delights in store for them, and all amusement-seekers are on the qui vive for the occasion. The establishment is a large one. The circus company is composed of some of the best riders, contortists and gymnasts in the profession; in addition to all of which Mademoiselle Pauline, a beautiful and accomplished equestrienne from Paris, will make her American debut here, and will display gaily ereata as great a flutter among our young men as she has among the sons of the Gauls for the last few years. The Little Minnie, the "Child Wonder," the most *petite* performer ever before the public will also appear here. Old Bob Fish, the rival of James Robinson, the truly great bare-back rider. Dan Castello, in addition to his fine breeds of steeds, introduces his wonderfully-trained Hessian horse "Czar," and his school of educated animals. The menagerie, during the period of a collection of rare and beautiful animals, many of which will be novelties here—and Prof. Leo Hall will enter the den of Van-Amburgh's performing lions, and go through a series of remarkable feats, including placing them with restment from his hands.

Remember, this day and date, Friday, Nov. 15th. So make up your parties in time for the Great Moral Combination—All should witness the Grand Procession of Knights and Heralds and ladies in royal robes; also the *Live Lion* loose on the streets of La Grange. Again we say come and see the show.

The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of our friends, Messrs. James Ruddle & Co. of Louisville Ky., which may be found in another column of our paper. All those afflicted by disease, or who have friends suffering from sickness, should carefully read, and we know they will derive profit from it. It gives us much pleasure to be able in this manner to recommend to our people these gentlemen, and the medicines of which they are Proprietors, as we know they claim no merit for their remedies than long years of trial has fully shown it fully deserved.

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LATEST TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The following is a synopsis of the President's message:

The first duty at the close of the civil war was to reap the fruits of victory, secure benefits, and appreciate its lessons at the earliest moment. This duty was promptly accepted by the President. All of the citizens of the insurrectionary States, and their restoration in the first moment of peace was believed to be regarded as indispensible. These expectations were disappointed by legislation and now there is no Union where there should be Union. Congress abolished amendments to the Constitution to the Southern States, and secured the acts of the confederate Judges of the Supreme Court have included the Southern States in their districts.—The Southern States are now conquered parts of the Union, the Constitution is the supreme law for them as for all other States. They are bound to obey it and so are we. Being sincerely convinced that these views are correct, the President recommends the repeal of all acts abolishing the Southern States under military masters. The conflict between the reconstructed acts and the rights of the people under the constitution, is argued and illustrated at length.

Alluding to negro suffrage, the President says: The subjection of States to negro dominion will be worse than existing military despotism. The people will endure endless military oppression rather than degrade themselves by submission to the negro race. The blacks are entitled to be well and humanely governed, but if it were possible to force them a government of their own it would become a grave question whether we ought to do so, or whether common humanity would not require us to save them from themselves. But it is not proposed that they shall rule, but govern themselves, as that they shall govern the white man, and to a greater or less extent control the destinies of the State. Universal suffrage is inconsistent with the virtue, intelligence and progress of the white race

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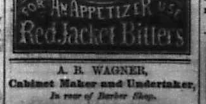

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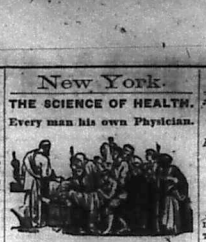

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State Convention—Constitutional Union Party.

A State Convention of the Constitutional Union party of Mississippi will be held in the city of Jackson on Wednesday, the 29th day of January next, for the purpose of thorough organization, consultation and action.

All citizens of the State who are in favor of Peace and Union under the Constitution, are earnestly invited to meet, without regard to former political associations, and send delegates to take counsel with us for the common good. We urge the people to assemble in primary meetings, without delay, and to select able and trusted men who will attend the Convention. We suggest that each county select double the number of delegates to which such county is entitled by representation in the lower branches of the Legislature, with a like number of alternates.

All newspapers in this State friendly to the cause are requested to publish this notice until the day appointed for assembling.

GEO. L. POTTER,
E. MCYERGER,
W. BROOKS,
D. SHELTON,
D. W. MCRAE,
R. H. JONES,
Central Executive Committee.

JACKSON, Dec. 16th, 1867.

PRESS CONVENTION.—The third semiannual convention of the Mississippi Press Association will meet at Natchez, on the third Monday of January, 1868. The address will be delivered by Col. E. M. Yerger, editor of the Vicksburg Herald.

In the New Orleans Convention when discussing the preamble and resolutions denying the statements contained in the memorial to Congress, expressing the fear of a war of races, a negro member named Cromwell declared, "we will rule until the last one of us goes down forever. That the negroes were going to have their rights if it was by a revolution and blood, in spite of Andy Johnson or any other man." He declared that he was ready for a revolution.

In the Georgia Convention Parrott, of Barlow county, was elected President. His election was regarded as a triumph for the more Conservative, wing. Parrott, in an address, said that above all things, the Convention should do nothing to throw additional obstacles in the path of the Republican party or put weapons in the hands of their enemies. The address was partisan, but not ultra.

It appears that Col. McCardle is not the only Editor in Gen. Ord's District under Military arrest. Mr. Gatewood, the Editor of the Lake Village (Ark.) Press has been for some time in confinement at Vicksburg. His accuser is a Provost Marshall who at last accounts was on trial before an Arkansas Court for obtaining goods under false pretences.

Since negro suffrage has been forced on the South at the point of the bayonet, the question has been submitted to the voters of four Northern States and defeated by the following majorities:

Ohio, 50,000 ; Kansas, 8,500 ; Minnesota, 1,298 ; New Jersey, 10,000.

This is the verdict of four States in which the Republicans had a majority at the time the Military Bills were passed.

The Labor Reform and People's candidates for Mayor and other city officers of Pittsburg have defeated the regular Republican candidates by over 3000 majority.

The extreme measures of the Alabama Convention appear to have seriously alarmed the Radical leaders. Greely of the Tribune desires them "restrained," and Senator Wilson writes General Swayne that the policy pursued by the convention in legislating for divorces and in other ways transcending their authority, and the ultra speeches of Bingham and men of that class, are doing great injury to reconstruction and bringing odium on the Republican party.

The Convention has provided for the submission of the Constitution for ratification on the 4th February 1868, the election to be under the control and management of Gen. Pope. All State and county officers are to be elected at the same time. The new Legislature is to meet at Montgomery on the 18th of March, 1868.

The article on franchise has been amended so that all persons are disfranchised who are disqualified from holding office by the proposed amendment to the Constitution, known as the fourteenth article, and those who have been disqualified from registering to vote for delegates to the convention under the reconstruction acts of Congress, except such persons as aided in the reconstruction proposed by Congress and accepted the political equality of all men before the law, provided that the General Assembly shall have the power to remove the disabilities incurred under this clause.

Proclamation by Gov. Humphreys.

We publish to-day an important proclamation from Gov. Humphreys with the approval and indorsement of Gen. Ord. It appears that in several parts of the State the freedmen are forming combinations to seize the lands and establish farms, expecting that Congress will arrange a plan for their division. Any attempt of this kind would be most unfortunate for the blacks, and would lead to their swift and complete destruction. They may rest assured that the Military power of the United States will promptly suppress any movement of the kind, and in the absence of the Military the white people of the State are fully able to take care of themselves, and crush out any outbreak of the kind that may occur.

As one who wishes the black people well, we impress upon them the importance of relieving the public mind from any apprehensions of this sort. The losses of the last two years have so crippled the resources of the country that it will be very difficult for them to find employment at all for the next year. Such reports as these will prevent hundreds from planting, while their secret League meetings with mean whites, and the reports of the intemperate and incendiary language used by some of their number, is daily widening the breach between the two races.

The Bankrupt Law.

The Clerk of the United States Court at Memphis, in answer to inquiries about the costs of a case in bankruptcy, publishes a letter in the Bulletin in which he states that in addition to the deposit of fifty dollars (which is solely under the 47th section of the Bankrupt act, on account of Register's fe s), the applicant must also pay, in cash, the ascertainable fees of the Clerk (generally about twelve dollars), on filing his petition. It also suggests that the fees and costs of the United States Marshall for serving notices, advertising, etc., must be secured by a cost bond ; and the reason for this is, that the 29th rule of Proceedings in Bankruptcy, prescribed by the Supreme Court of the United States, which accompany and are a part of the law, distinctly says that "the fees of the Register, Marshal and Clerk shall be paid or secured, in all cases, before they shall be compelled to perform the duties required of them," under the Bankrupt act. The practical interpretation of that rule in this office is, for all fees to be paid in cash that are ascertainable at the time of filing a petition, and to take a cost bond for those fees that are not ascertainable in amount, but certain to accrue.

Under the rule o the Supreme Court above quoted, it is not necessary to file this cost bond. The applicant can take his choice, and pay the cash as his case progresses. And this, I understand is the rule in St. Louis, and perhaps in all cities. In St. Louis, I learn, the applicant deposits the $50 for Register's fees, and pays $15 on account of Clerk's fees, on filing his petition. At stated future periods, he makes other cash deposits, say $15 in thirty days ; $15 in sixty days, and so on, until his case is ended. In cities, it is easy for applicants to watch their cases, and pay the fees as the case progresses. But in an extensive district such as ours, wherein applicants may reside a hundred miles from the court, it is not convenient to do this ; and hence a cost bond is assorted to as the usual means of "securing" the officers of the courts in their fees."

In this State we learn that the fifty dollars is divided between the Clerk and Register, leaving the applicant to pay in cash the fees of the Marshall, publication, &c. In ordinary cases this will amount to about twenty-five dollars. This would make the cost of a Bankrupt case at least seventy-five dollars besides the attorney's fee.

AFFAIRS IN FLORIDA.—A correspondent of the Charleston Mercury, who has traveled extensively in Florida, gives a most deplorable account of affairs in that State. The cotton crop is a signal failure, little corn was raised, and the negroes are stealing what little there is and killing and carrying away the stock of every description. Without cotton enough to pay the advances for raising the same, stock killed by the idle negroes and without corn to last longer than the opening of the year, the majority of the planters in Florida are truly in a pitiable condition.

The Virginia Convention shows that Hanover county, the birthplace of Clay and Henry, Orange county, the birthplaces of Madison and Zach Taylor, Albemarle county, the birthplace of Jefferson, Charles City county, the birth-place of Harrison and Tyler, are all represented by negroes.

Congressional.

In the Senate Wilson introduced a bill to amend the Reconstruction laws so as to allow a majority of those who vote to decide on the ratification of the new constitutions. Senator Doolittle offered an amendment providing that all persons offering to vote on adoption of the Constitutions, who do not possess the qualifications required by the States prior to the rebellion, shall possess one of three qualifications :

First—Service in the army of the United States at least one year.

Second—Ability to read and understand the nature of an oath, or

Third—The possession of $250 freehold in his own or wife's right. It was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Senator Wilson has offered a bill to remove the disabilities of 284 Alabamians recommended by the Convention. The impeachment question was finally defeated in the House of Representatives by a vote of 57 to 108.

A resolution suspending the power of the Secretary of the Treasury to contract the currency, prevailed by 128 to 32.

The National Union Republican Committee have called a National Convention for the nomination of a candidate for President and Vice President to meet in Chicago on the 20th of May.

Putnam's Magazine has been revived to commence with January 1868.

In New York, recently, a woman took advantage of her husband's absence to get a divorce from him ; on his return it came out that he had been to Indiana, where he had obtained a divorce from her.

A Democrat named Shutleff has been elected Mayor of Boston. He is the first Democratic Mayor in the last twenty years.

A Specimen of the Loyal League.

R. King Cutler, of New Orleans, one of the leaders of the Loyal Leagues, was appointed by General Mower Judge of the Second District to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Judge Cazabat. When Gen. Hancock arrived, the appointment was so notoriously bad that he removed Cutler. A gentleman of New Orleans, who knows Cutler's history, says of him :

Gen. Mower could not have been ignorant of the fact that Cutler is morally and intellectually unfit for the office ; that he possesses neither the respect nor the confidence of the public, and that he is a man of notoriously bad character, for his antecedents have been made public through one of the leading journals of this city since General Mower's residence here. It has been made public upon the authority of a certified copy of the record of the Court of Massac county, Ill., that Cutler only escaped rendering that State some service in one of her public institutions by failing to appear and answer charges of a criminal character preferred against him. It has been made public that he was a violent secessionist previous to the occupation of this city by the Federal troops and that he clamored for the life of every man who professed loyalty to the Union.

HD QR'S SUB-DIST. OF MISSISSIPPI,
Vicksburg, Miss., Dec. 6, 1867.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 20.

The following extracts of General Orders from Headquarters 4th Military District, are published for the information and guidance of all concerned :

1. Hereafter persons not in the Military Service of the United States and not engaged in execution of the laws, are prohibited carrying, concealed weapons under a penalty of forfeiture of the arms found upon them, and of being tried and punished by a Military Commission for disturbing the public peace.

2. Any person found guilty of a violation of this order will be liable to a fine of not more than one hundred dollars and imprisonment for not more than three months at the discretion of a Military Commission.

3. Justices of the Peace, Magistrates and Sheriffs are authorized and directed to execute this order so far as the arrest and confinement of offenders and the seizure of arms found upon them as directed. It is expected that this order will be executed regardless of race color or opinion.

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1. It having been reported that large quantities of stolen goods are sold or delivered after dark in this district, all merchants traders and pawn brokers are hereby notified that the purchase or delivery of country supplies, such as corn, pork or flour, beef or live animals after sunset and market hour in the morning is made a military as well as civil offense, both by the party receiving and the party delivering or selling.

2. Hereafter no person or persons shall be considered as authorized to purchase country produce as above enumerated after the first day of January, 1868, except they have a special license in each case so to do. In all cities and corporate towns the license will be granted by the Mayor outside of the limits of such cities and towns the license will be issued by the Sheriff of the County ; and the granting and authority granting such license is hereby authorized to withdraw the same whenever satisfactory evidence is produced that the privileges therein conferred are being abused.

3. Every violation of either paragraph of this order will subject the offender to a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars, or in default of payment of the fine imposed, confinement not to exceed three months in the county jail, at the discretion of the Magistrate or Judge before whom the case is tried.

4. Military Commissions and local Magistrates, Justices of the Peace and County Judges are authorized to take cognizance of offenses against this order.

By order of Brevet Major General
ADJUTANT C. GARLAND.

M. BARNES, 1st Lieut. 35th U. S. Inf'y, A. A. A. G.

A Voice from the Orphans' Home.

The near approach of Christmas, the gala season of the year, with all classes, awakens vivid recollections of merry makings, family reunions, the giving and receiving of presents, and general hilarity. So firmly established has this custom become, so hallowed indeed, are its associations, that the severe ordeal, through which our country has passed, ending in a complete overthrow of many of our social customs, has failed to make any material change in the festivities of this occasion. The Christmas Tree still buds, blooms, bears fruit, and perfects it in one night. Little stockings of various sizes, and of almost every hue, still adorn, through the preceding night, the chimney corners of almost every household, and, on Christmas morn—the little owners, rising from their dream-disturbed slumbers, make the welkin ring with their glad shouts, on finding that good old Santa Claus, though sadly affected by the general pressure, is not yet so poor as to forget his little friends.

Notwithstanding the well known benevolence of the kind old fairy, we cannot help having occasionally, an anxious thought, with regard to his intended movements, at the ensuing season.—During the past few weeks the much vexed question—will he, in his generous distributions, remember the orphans at the Home?—has frequently obtruded itself.—Will he be frightened at the long array of little stockings, that will greet his eyes, as he takes a peep down each of our chimneys, and, fearing that he cannot satisfy such a large family, will he gather up his reins, whistle to his coursers, and take his flight to more favored households ? or—will he, with his famous wagon filled to overflowing, visit the Home, while down each chimney, and, with a merry twinkle of his grey eyes, fill the long rows of stockings, hanging with gaping mouths in anticipation of his visit? Shall a number of little disappointed faces flit about the squares on Christmas morning? or, shall the surrounding hills echo with the gleeful shouts of happy children ? Shall the Home have a Christmas Tree, or not?—Shall her little ones sit down on that day, to their usual fare (good though it is, thanks to their kind friends) or, shall their table be graced with a few luxuries from the outer world? Shall Christmas pass over the Home quietly and unnoted, or shall its fertile files form a pleasant reminiscence in the hearts of the orphans? Which shall it be? These questions have frequently occurred to me, and, I hope I shall be forgiven, what some may think, an overweening desire to see the orphans have a Merry Christmas, while preparing for Christmas in their own household, please to remember the orphans at the Orphans' Home.

It is no unimportant deed to give innocent pleasure to children. When you hear your own little ones shouting with delight over their Christmas presents, it will add to your hearts' pleasure to know that you helped to fill Santa Claus' wagon for the orphans. When you sit down to your own tables, smoking with Christmas cheer, it will add to your reflection, that the orphans are at that moment, regaling themselves with your bounty. Last Christmas, a few kind ladies in Columbus, Miss., sent through Dr. D. P. Bestor, an ample contribution of toys, fruits, cakes, &c., and it is still held in grateful remembrance. But the family of the Home has increased so much within the year, that a few ladies, or *all* the ladies of any one city, would be too heavily taxed, if they attempted to furnish a feast of any kind. But I feel satisfied, those ladies will have generous co-operation in their efforts, not only in Columbus, but in other cities. The Railroad is very convenient. Any box, barrel &c., for Santa Claus, directed to Orphans' Home, Lauderdale Miss., Care of S. S. Granberry, and properly started, will be sure to create a pleasurable excitement at the Home.

MARY J. WELSH,
One of the teachers Orphants' Home.
Nov. 28th, 1867.

Papers favorable to the Home, will please copy.

JEFFERSONVILLE

RAILROAD.

Three Trains Daily.

Leaves Jeffersonville (immediately opposite Louisville) as follows :

7:00 a.m. Daily (except Sunday) making direct connection at Seymour with the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad for Cincinnati and the East ; connecting at Indianapolis for all Eastern cities ; also by two routes for Chicago and the Northwest.

Passengers by this train arrive at Chicago TEN HOURS IN ADVANCE of any other line.

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40 Cortlandt St., (In the 17th Broadway,)

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Double-Acting, Anti-Freezing, Lifting, and Forcing Pump.

The reputation of this Pump is established on the simplest and most powerful in use. It is bought and used by the best Engineers and Mechanics of the city and neighborhood, and gives universal satisfaction. It is recommended as the best, by such Engineers as Captain Ericsson, J. C. Hoyer & Gillis, H. R. Worthington, H. Rice & Co., T. R. Timpson, Wm. A. Hadden, &c., &c., whose reputation extend throughout the world.

These Pumps took the first premium at the United States Agricultural Fair at Richmond ; at the National Fair at St. Louis ; at the Fair of the Boston Mechanics' Association ; three times at the American Institute Fair ; and at numerous State and County Fairs since.

Our House Pump is made to discharge upwards, for supplying the tanks above or downwards. It is safer against frost than any other pump, being so low, because the water chambers are surrounded with air-chambers, and the upper valve is placed so much under the water—and like all other styles, is easier to work than any other pump of similar capacity.

Our Well and Cistern pump is perfectly safe against freezing when placed in a well in the ground, with the top of the elbow not less than a foot of the cylinder left open ; and, altogether, is a perfect little fire engine ! We have in use of the large size, in good for no extra discharge pipe, which can be attached under the ground to convey water to a distant tank, barn or other place where wanted.

Deck Pumps—Large Size.

This Cut shows the Pump as adapted for Factories, Steamboats, Ships, Mines, Railroads, &c., &c., either for hand or power, of any size required. We can refer to the best judges of hydraulic machinery in the city to support our statements with regard to these pumps, and will give their name to any one who wish for them. But read what some of those using them say of them.

WHAT APPLETON DEEP WELLS, they have received the highest commendations. Have no stuffing box, and a strong piston, they work easier and are less liable to get out of order than all others, and at the same time are more simple to repair.

They are very easy put in the well, everything hanging suspended perpendicularly from the platform on top, and the boring, properly put in, answers every purpose as well as a larger one, as for a ladder to descend on the cylinder.

The following are a few of the residences who have them in down wells :

Wm. Worthington, King Bridge Front St. Nicholas Insurance Co., N. Y.

Jay L. Adams, Broomfield, N. J.

H. Bailey Tenant, Newark, N. J.

T. W. A bertson, Rinecliff, L. I

Lt. M. P. Freeman, Staten Island, N. Y.

N. Halleck, and others, Queens, L. I.

LAGRANGE, TEXAS, Feb, 1861.

J. D. WEST & CO.—GENTS : I have now your pump in operation and am highly pleased with it. I have no trouble in getting it to work well. It can blow the water all over and into my house, affording the greatest facility for purifying the air inside. I have witnessed my wind mill to it and all works like a clock. I shall recommend them everywhere.

D. G. GREGORY.

Solon Robinson to the Farmers' Club, Jan. 63.

"No Farmer who owns a well or cistern can possibly afford to be without an iron Pump. It should be 7 inches suction and force-pump—a perfect little fire engine, such as are now sold as 'West's Improved Pump.' I speak of this pump because I have known its merits for many years. It is reliable, powerful and cheap, and it now's PARRY ice, nor get out of order once a year.... I know this, as I have used it for many years, and by speaking of it...., A boy ten years old can work it with ease, and a man can work it with perfect ease.... It can be made to work in deep wells as well as shallow ones.

PENSACOLA, FLA., Aug. 2, 1869.

Please buy and send me as early as practicable, another West's Improved Pump, like the one I bought last winter. It proves a good pump, and I am greatly pleased with it. Also send forty feet hose like that I then bought, with connections, and a pipe to water my garden.

S. B. MALLORY,
Ex Secretary of the Navy.

From the New York Tribune.

PUMPS.—An inquiry has reached us in reference to a pump which may be available on farms, and carbe worked by a windmill and made to force water from the spring to the house. One enquirer also wants a cistern Pump which will not freeze in the winter and get out of order in the summer.

Six years ago we placed one of West's force pumps, all iron with iron pipe down to the water in a well in Westchester Co., where it has been in use every day since, without one cent of expense for repairs. Other pumps having been stopped in its operations by frost ; and it has never had any protection, except to pull out a little water from the top of the pipe. This pump which lets the water run out of the spout that leads the water to the spout, &c.

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Upon this spout we fasten a gutta percha hose and pipe, and throw water wherever we choose in the house. We also attach it to a small windmill and carry water all over the farm. In fact, one of our acquaintances, Mr. J. J. Adams, butter merchant, New York, has just such a pump operated by a windmill at Broomfield, N. J., which raises the water ninety feet, working to his set satisfaction nearly four years. After having failed with other pumps, he now thinks it the best, most perfect pump in the world.

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The most Simple, Strong, Controllable, and Cheapest Wind Mill in use.

WIND POWER is the cheapest of all power, if it can be made available. Heretofore all good wind-mills have been very expensive, and not always reliable. Now we offer one that is cheap, reliable, and simple, and will do the work of any other mill. It is self-adjusting and adjustable, and will run in the lightest breeze, and will stand the heaviest gale that blows without injury. It is so simple that any ordinary mechanic can put it up and keep it in order. It is so cheap that every farmer can afford to have one. It will do all the work that is done on a farm, and will pump water for stock, irrigate land, saw wood, churn, grind feed, &c., &c. We will sell at less than New York prices.

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One Mule, with the greatest ease, can pack a heavy bale of Cotton.

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These Gins which attained such great celebrity during the few years just previous to the war, are again manufactured by Mr. Gullett, the Patentee with greatly improved facilities. We can offer this season to our friends the very best Gin made—The steel brush cleans the Cotton from the hair brushes and deliv-

ers it through the flue perfectly straight, preventing any nubs and cleans out all dust, motes and trash, thus causing Cotton to sample much higher grade ever gave Cotton ginned in other gins to pay entire cost of gin in one crop of fifty bales. Price $6 per Saw. All sizes from 40 to 80 Saws.

We have now on hand a supply of the above.

Also :

Leach & Avery's Plows, Jones Straub's Corn Mills ; Engines and Saw Mills, and Machinery generally.

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Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, etc.

THE Proprietor offers for sale at the

PEACHWOOD NURSERIES,

the ensuing planting season, a choice stock of Apple, Pear, Peach, Plum, Apricot and Nectarine trees.

ALSO—

Grape Vines, Strawberry Plants, etc., etc.

Descriptive Catalogues will be forwarded promptly upon application

GEO. S. GAINES,

Battle Line Station,

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Bathing suit at Cost for Cash.

As I am desirous of removing to Mobile, will sell my entire stock of Bathing Suits, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions, Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Umbrellas, Parasols, Saddles, Bridles, Harness, Saddlery, Hardware, Crockery, Glassware, Groceries, Liquors, Tobacco, Segars, Cigars, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Ready Made Clothing, Hosiery, Gloves, Fancy Goods, Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Plated Ware, Cutlery, Guns, Pistols, Ammunition, Fishing Tackle, Sporting Goods, Stationery, Blank Books, Wall Paper, Window Shades, Fixtures, Counters, Shelving, Desks, Safes, Scales, Show Cases, Store Furniture, Household Furniture, Kitchen Furniture, Stoves, Tinware, Woodenware, Willowware, Brushes, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Cordage, Rope, Twine, Oakum, Tar, Pitch, Turpentine, Rosin, Oils, Paints, Varnish, Glass, Putty, Lamps, Chandeliers, Gas Fixtures, Lamp Goods, Medicines, Perfumery, Soaps, Candles, Matches, Pipes, Tobacco Boxes, Snuff Boxes, Cigar Cases, Pocket Books, Purses, Combs, Fancy Articles, Toys, Dolls, Musical Instruments, Strings, Sheet Music, Books, Pictures, Picture Frames, Looking Glasses

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4 squares.	12 50	25 00	35 00	60 00
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The many friends and acquaintances of Joel P. Walker, Esq., will be pained to hear of the death of his wife, which occurred in this city during the present week.

The North Mississippian of the 6th, contains an awful account of murder committed by one Briggs a Methodist *Preach*, (we suppose he means *Preacher*) near Milltown, Ala., on the night of the 30th ult. It appears that Briggs murdered a man named DeGraffenreid and a Mr. Noah and his wife. The instrument used was a billet of wood. No cause is assigned for the bloody deed. Briggs is a young man whose father resides near Selma, Ala.

We see from the last Clarion that Messrs. Power & Burkedale's affairs are succeeded by Power & Burkedale—Captain B. F. Jones retiring from the firm. Mr. Burkedale as an Editor has few equals, and under his management we look for the Clarion to continue as it is now a widely circulated and influential journal.

Col. Power is a practical printer, thoroughly conversant with every department of the business, and besides a very ready and graceful writer. The office in both the newspaper and Job departments is the most complete in the State and receives as it should a liberal patronage.

We wish our friend Jones, who retires, success at whatever he may embark in.

Major L. L. Maughs for the last five months Editor of the Houston Record has severed his connection with the paper and is succeeded by J. E. Whitley & Co.

The North Mississippian, in the exceedingly courteous and dignified style which appears so natural to the distinguished Editor of that influential sheet, complains that we have refused him an exchange. The Gazette is mailed regularly to our Tupelo friend, and if not received we can only say it is no fault of ours. We feel grateful for his compl mentary allusions and can assure him they are fully appreciated.

To Business Men.—If you would prosper in your business—in every department of life—you should make your business known through the best channel, and your success will greatly depend upon your liberality in advertising. Now if you would make your business known, and extensively known deall and leave your orders at the office of the Gazette. It has a larger circulation than any paper in this part of the State, and will introduce you at once to the cl ss of persons with whom you desire to do business.

L. Brewer & Co. Mobile.—We fully endorse the following complimentary notice of this house which we find in the Keuper Flag. Brewer & Co. from their well known character and the low prices at which they sell groceries, are doing a prosperous business, notwithstanding the present hard times:

"The many friends of Mr. Brewer of this firm, will be pleased to know that they have added largely to their extensive wholesale grocery house at the Corner of St. Louis and Commerce sts., Mobile.—They have added a large and convenient Cotton Room, which, with the Grocery Store, presents a fine appearance on Commerce st. Mr. Brewer has for a long succession of years been building up his fine business character and capital, and, therefore, deserves a heavy patronage. He is at all times anxious to see his many friends from this section."

New Advertisements.

Stockley & Co., Mobile.—We call attention to the advertisement of Stockley & Co. Mobile who offer for sale one of most select and cheapest stocks of clothing ever brought to the Southern market. This stock was selected with great care by Mr. Stockley, who has been well known for many years in Mobile as a fashionable tailor and dealer in gentlemens furnishing goods. His good taste and skill in selecting good articles are well known, and the present stock of this firm is the best in Mobile.

They are determined not to be undersold, and we advise all our friends who visit Mobile to give them a call.

Captain B. C. Clark and Mr. C. H. Travis, both well known in this State, are with the house of Stockley & Co., and will be pleased to see their old friends.

Campbell House Mobile.—We call the attention of our readers who visit Mobile to the card of the Campbell House, which appears in the Gazette. The Campbell House is kept in the building formerly known as the Roper House, and we can recommend it as the best place to stop at, in the City. Besides furnishing the very best fare, good rooms, the charges are exceedingly moderate, and in accordance with the hard times. Any of our friends who stop there once will be sure to call again. Try the Campbell House and you will not be disappointed.

Wm. H. Kelly & Co. Mobile, Ala.—Among our advertisements will be found that of W. H. Kelly & Co. dealers in furniture, carpets, oil cloths &c. This is one of the oldest and most reliable houses in Mobile, and they have on hand now one of the best stocks of every thing in their line ever brought to the Southern market. Give them a call.

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We regret to learn of the death of Governor Winston, a resident of Choctaw county, near Macon, on the 1st inst. He was, as we believe, a brother of Col. Winston of this city, and formerly one of the first men of the county, and his death is a great loss not only to his family and friends, but to the community with whom he was identified.

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A Proclamation.

Executive Department,
State of Mississippi,
Jackson, Miss., Dec. 9, 1867.

Whereas, Communications have been received at this office, from gentlemen of high official and social position in different portions of the State, expressing serious apprehensions of danger from secret conspiracies are being formed among the blacks, "to seize the lands and establish farms, expecting and hoping that Congress will arrange a plan of division and distribution," "and unless this is done by January next, they will proceed to help themselves, and are determined *to go to war*, and are confident that they will be victors in any conflict with the whites," and furnish names of persons and places; and

Whereas, Similar communications have been received at Headquarters 4th Military District, and referred to me for my action, and the co-operation of the civil authorities of the State, with the United States Military, in suppressing violence and maintaining order and peace,

Now, therefore, I, Benj. G. Humphreys, Governor of Mississippi, do issue this my Proclamation, admonishing the black race, that if any such hopes or expectations are entertained, they have been grossly deceived, and if any combinations or conspiracies, have been formed, to carry into effect such purposes, the law is violence, I now warn you that you cannot succeed.

What is not known of your plans and conspiracies, will be ultimately and anticipated, and the first outbreak against the quiet and peace of society, or threatening of insurrection, will signalize the destruction of your cherished hopes and the ruin of many of your race.

That you may no longer be deceived, by the restless spirits—white or black—of your race, I call upon them, to publish to your information, the following endorsements of Gen. E. O. C. Ord, made on the most mature consideration of the civil, as well as military affairs of this State.

Headq'rs 4th Military District,
Office of Civil Affairs,
Holly Springs, Miss., Nov. 21, 1867.

"Respectfully referred to Brev't Maj. Gen. Gillem, who will send an officer immediately to [illegible] to learn what foundation has been advising the freedmen to take arms, seize lands or any other illegal act. The impression seems to be general, and for information that there is no intention on the part of Congress to take land from master and give to slave. I publish for

CONFECTIONERY.

WE have just received a Fresh Lot of Confectionery from the best of manufacturers, at prices to suit the times. We recognize the loss of the great bearing of stock, and are determined to regulate our prices in accordance therewith, and to place our goods within the reach of all

TO CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS we offer our assortment as perfect as low as they can be had in the Mobile market.

Give us a call and examine our stock and prices for yourselves.

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Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours of the day or night.

Dr. N. B. Kennedy's office is in the Drug store, where he may be found at all hours of the day, unless professionally absent.

R. Y. R. CHADWICK,

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DRUGS, MEDICINES Chemicals,

FANCY SOAPS, PERFUMERY, OIL, GLASS, INK, &c.,

Hair Restoratives, Dentifrice, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Cigars, Fishing Rods, Hooks, Lines, &c.

Also a large Stock of AYRES', SCOVILL & Co.'s & Patent Medicines which I am agent for.

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HARDWARE, CROCKERY, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES

&c., &c., &c., &c.,

which he will sell as low as he can afford and asks his old friends and the public generally to give him a call.

His CLOTHING will be sold for the present at cost, and MACHLIN bound to suit.

He is now running his own machine, and all he asks is a fair trial.

His grocie from friends to make it go smoothly. nov4dtf

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS,
GENERAL COMMISSION,
Receiving and Forwarding Merchants,
Front Street, (In the Brick Store.)
MERIDIAN, MISS.

The Agents of the Shelby Life Insurance Company which they will furnish in any quantity at Mobile prices.

Their Liens have an unusually large percentage being equal to the best, are produced in our own Northern States, Alabama and Georgia, and are to furnish the whole country convenient to their agency to write this article. The especial attention of builders is directed to our Agency of the Shelby Lime Company. June fourlf

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MERIDIAN SAVINGS INSTITUTION,

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Buys and Sells Northern and Southern Exchange,

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Boots and Shoes and Shoe Findings Establishment.

Keeps for sale the best quality of Leather, Lasts, Shoe Thread, and other goods of that description.

Boots and Shoes made to order at short notice. oct23ly

Notice.

I OFFER FOR SALE my place, situated seven and a half miles east of Quitman, on the Enterprise road, the place settled by John Cox, Esq., containing in all 160 acres of well watered cultivated land, eighty acres of which is open and the balance under a very good fence. There is a good dwelling house, smoke house, barn and negro houses. Also an excellent spring and an ever running branch within forty yards of the dwelling house. The range is good, and young and healthy. Any one wishing to purchase a home will find this a desirable one. The title is unquestionable, as I am determined to leave the State. For terms of sale apply to

A. J. MARTIN,
on the place, or to C. Mellen, opposite R. H. Wallace's, Meridian, Miss. septlawtf

NOTICE.

THE copartnership of Kennedy & Gibbs, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

N. B. KENNEDY,
JOE. GIBBS.

Meridian, Miss. Sept. 12th, 1867.

The books, notes and accounts are in the hands of Jas. H. Martin for collection. Call at the Drug Store of N. B. & T. H. Kennedy. septlawtf

MERIDIAN SALOON.

BASEMENT OF THE JONES HOUSE.

MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI.

Constantly on hand brands of LIQUOR to be found in the market. Wholesale and Retail. The BRANDIES and WHISKIES are of superior quality—no common article on hand.

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DUNCAN, HART & BENTON,

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—AND—

GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,

Johnson Avenue, corner Sidney St.,
MERIDIAN, MISS.

HAVE on hand a full assortment of Dry Goods, Notions, Hardware, Crockery, Groceries, etc.

Also, Agents for sale of all kinds of Tobacco at Manufacturer's prices. sep18tf

Smith & Alford,
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WOULD respectfully call the attention of your citizens to their well selected stock of

DRY GOODS, READY MADE CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hardware, Groceries, Cutlery, Notions, Tailor Trimmings, Saddlery, Collars, Trunks, Valises, Bags, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Looking Glasses, Queensware, Glassware, Tinware, Woodenware, Willowware, Stone Ware, Iron and Steel, Nails and Spikes, Castings, Wagon Material, Agricultural Implements, Wagons, Buggies, Carriages, Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Whips, Leather, Shoe Findings, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Putty, Powder, Shot, Lead, Caps, Fishing Tackle, Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, Pipes, Matches, Soaps, Candles, Starch, Perfumery, Fancy Goods, Stationery, Books, Blank Books, Wall Paper, Window Shades, Fixtures, Cornices, Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, Paints, Varnishes, Brushes, Glue, Whiting, Patent Medicines, Liquors, Wines, Brandies, Whiskies, Gins, Rums, Cordials, Ales, Porters, Cider, Champagne, Sherry, Port, Claret, Hock, Sauterne, Madeira, Malaga, Teneriffe, Rhine Wine, Lisbon, Cognac, Scotch, Irish, Rye, Bourbon, Monongahela, Peach, Apple, Blackberry, Cherry, Ginger, Raspberry, Strawberry, Currant, Gooseberry, Quince, Pineapple, Lemon, Orange, Lime, Sarsaparilla, Wormwood, Peppermint, Spearmint, Anise, Cinnamon, Clove, Rose, Jamaica Ginger, Aromatic, Blackberry Balsam, Tonic, Bitters, Pain Killer, Cough Syrup, Lozenges, Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Dates, Prunes, Citron, Currants, Spices, Pickles, Sauces, Preserves, Jellies, Jams, Fruits, Canned Goods, Oysters, Sardines, Lobsters, Salmon, Tongues, Herring, Mackerel, Codfish, Pickled Fish, Smoked Beef, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, Lard, Sausages, Cheese, Crackers, Biscuits, Flour, Meal, Grits, Rice, Hominy, Corn, Oats, Bran, Shorts, Feed, Hay, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Molasses, Syrup, Vinegar, Pepper, Mustard, Ginger, Saleratus, Soda, Yeast Powders